GOVERNING BODY OF SUMMERLEA COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our Governing Body consists of 12 members and operates a circle model with 3 committees. The core functions of our governing body, as set out in The School Governance (Roles, Procedures and Allowances) (England) Regulations 2013, are:

- ensuring that the vision, ethos and strategic direction of the school are clearly defined;
- ensuring that the head teacher performs his or her responsibilities for the educational performance of the school; and
- ensuring the sound, proper and effective use of the school's financial resources.

The statutory purpose of the Governing Body is to promote high standards of educational achievement at the school.

The day to day management of the school is the responsibility of the Headteacher and staff, whereas the governors are responsible for the general direction of the school and providing a strategic overview.

The Governing Body acts as a critical friend to the school and ensures accountability, whilst considering the interests of children, parents and staff. It makes decisions about curriculum, finance, staffing and premises matters, to help raise standards of achievement and to make sure that the school provides a good quality education for all of our pupils.

Full name of Governor	Governor Category	Date of current Appointment or Election	Source of Appointment (where appropriate)	Term of office/ Roles within GB	Attendance at Full GB (FGB) Meetings & Extraordinary General Meetings (EGM)*	Committee membership	Attendance at Committee meetings*	Declarations on register of business & pecuniary interest and details of governorships at other schools	Remarks
Mr Dave Burrows	Co-opted	26/09/18	FGB	4 years	8/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Nil	Nil	Nil	Resigned wef 20/07/20
Mrs Liz Henderson	Co-opted	23/07/15 & renewed on 17/07/19	FGB	4 years	7/10 FGB 0/1 EGM	Headteacher Performance Management	1/1	Diocesan Board of Education	
Ms Kim Horner	Co-opted	17/07/19	FGB	1 year Chair of Resources Committee	10/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Resources	2/2	Nil	Resigned wef 20/07/20
Mrs Amanda Howlett	Co-opted	17/07/19	FGB	4 years	9/10 FGB 0/1 EGM	Resources	2/2	Nil	
Mrs Sara Hughes	Parent	24/04/19	Voted in at Parent/Carer Election	4 years	7/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Nil	Nil	WSCC Safeguarding	

Mrs Sue Meekings	Local Authority	24/04/19	WSCC	4 years Chair of Governors wef 10/09/19 Chair of Pay Committee	9/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Headteacher Performance Management Pay Committee	1/1 5/5	Governor at Storrington Primary School	
Mrs Helen Morris	Head teacher	01/09/14	FGB	N/A	9/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Resources	2/2	Nil	
Ms Marilyn Osborne	Co-opted	19/03/18	FGB	4 years	8/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Pay Committee	4/5	Nil	
Mr Clive Patterson- Lett	Co-opted	06/02/19	FGB	4 years Vice Chair of Governors wef 10/09/19 Chair of HTPM Committee	6/10 FGB 1/1 EGM	Headteacher Performance Management Pay Committee	2/2	Nil	
Ms Louise Prideaux	Prospective Co-opted	N/A	N/A	N/A	1/1 FGB	Nil	Nil	Nil	Attended on 14/07/20 & appointed on 22/09/20
Mrs Clare Smith	Parent	14/01/20	Voted in at Parent/Carer Election	4 years	5/6 (appointed on 14/01/20) 1/1 EGM	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Mrs Britt Turvey	Staff	15/05/17	Voted in at Staff Election	4 years	5/10 FGB 0/1 EGM	Nil	Nil	Nil	

Full name of Observer	Voting rights Yes/No	Date of Appointment	Attendance at Full GB (FGB) Meetings & Extraordinary General Meetings (EGM)*	Committee membership	Attendance at Committee meetings*	Declarations on register of business & pecuniary interest	Remarks
Mrs Jo Maxted – School	No	10/09/19 for academic	-	Resources	2/2	Nil	
Business Manager		year	1/1 EGM				
Mrs Karla Strong – Assistant	No	10/09/19 for academic	10/10 FGB	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Headteacher		year	1/1 EGM				

*Attendance during previous academic year from 01/09/19 to 31/08/2020