



## The Governing Body



The Governing Body of Bramcote C of E Primary School is a combination of appointed and elected members. The foundation governors are appointed by the local church and the Board of Education to preserve and develop the religious character of the school and to secure compliance with the Trust Deed. They represent the interests of the church, foundation or other organisation connected with the school and should include parents. The foundation governors are the majority of our governing body.

The Governing Body is an integral part of the school leadership team and is responsible for;

- setting the Christian ethos of the school;
- developing the school improvement plan
- making decisions about expenditure of the school budget
- challenging and holding the headteacher to account
- They also monitor the implementation of the policies developed in consultation with the school leadership team.

Sometimes the governing body is referred to as the critical friend. It has a strategic role: governors are not involved in the day to day running of the school. In voluntary aided schools such as ours the governing body is the employer of the staff.

The Governing Body of Bramcote C of E Primary School sign a declaration annually declaring any business or financial interests. In addition at the beginning of any Full Governor or sub-committee meeting there is an opportunity for members to declare an interest in agenda items. These are minuted and records of these are kept in school.

There have been no business or financial interests declared for the academic year 2017-18.

**Constitution of the Governing Body Bramcote C of E Primary School 2017-18**

<b>MEMBER</b>	<b>ROLE</b>	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBER</b>	<b>LINK GOVERNOR ROLE</b>
Mrs Sarah Meredith	Headteacher Ex Officio	SDC, P&P, F&GP, DC, AC, PC	
Rev Paul Reynolds	Vicar of St Michael and all Angel Ex Officio	SDC, F&GP, PC	HT appraisal, RE &SSEAL
Mrs Cindy Jones	<b>Chair of Governors</b> PCC Foundation Governor	SDC (Chair), P&P, DC, AC	HT appraisal, Models of school leadership, EYFS, Child protection, safeguarding & looked after children.
Mr David Hanford	PCC Foundation	F&GP, P&P,	
Mrs Philippa Love	Southwell Diocesan Foundation Governor	F&GP, PC	Parent Liaison, KS1
Mrs Christine Fergusson	Southwell Diocesan Foundation	P&P	School Website, Lower KS2
Dr John Hart	Southwell Diocesan Foundation	F&GP (Chair), PC	HT appraisal, Data
Mrs Sandra Reed	Southwell Diocesan Foundation Governor	P&P	EYFS, E-safety, Parent Liaison
Mr Mike Elbourne	Southwell Diocesan Foundation Governor	F&GP	Upper KS2
Councillor Tim Brindley	<b>Vice Chair</b> Nottinghamshire County Council	P&P (Chair)	Data
Mrs Katherine Prayle	Parent elected	SDC	Lower KS2, Phonics
Miss Caroline Myers	Parent elected	P&P	KS1, Phonics
Mrs Suzanna Wagner	Parent elected	SDC	TBC
Mr Matthew McCallion	Staff elected	F&GP	Models of school leadership, Anti-bullying

Strategic Development Committee (SDC)  
Pupil and Personnel (P&P)  
Discipline Committee (DC)

Finance and General Purpose (F&GP)  
Admissions Committee (AC)  
Pay Committee (PC)

