

Role of the School Governors

The purpose of any school governing body is to ‘conduct the school with a view to promoting high standards of educational achievement at the school’.

As with all schools, our governing body has a strong focus on three core strategic functions:

- Ensuring clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction;
- Holding the Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils, and the performance management of staff; and
- Overseeing the financial performance of the school and making sure its money is well spent.

Horningsham Governing Body:

Horningsham Governing Body is made up of volunteers and currently consists of:

1 LA Governor	5 Co-opted Governors	2 Staff Governors	2 Parent Governors
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Name	Category of Governor	Term of office	End of term of office	Who Appointed	F&P Committee	Curriculum Committee	Staffing Committee	Comms Committee	Current Roles & Responsibilities	Attendance For last academic year	Pecuniary & Personal Interests
Miss Carole Andrews	Head Teacher	n/a	Ex-officio	ex officio	✓		✓			FGB 6/6	No relevant interests
Mrs Odele Lapham	Staff	4 years	31/08/22	Staff election		✓		✓		FGB 6/6	No relevant interests
Mrs Caramantha Wellstead	Parent	4 years	07/05/23	Governing body		✓			Vice Chair of Governing Body Chair of Curriculum Committee English, EYFS, Eco	FGB 5/6	No relevant interests
Mrs Louisa Cruikshank	Parent	4 years	26/06/21	Parent election		✓		✓	Chair of Communications Disadvantaged Pupils Arts, PE	FGB 5/6	Creys charity trustee, employed by Horningsham School
Dr Bob Grove	LA	4 years	23/06/22	Governing body	✓				Chair of Governing Body Chair of Finance & Premises Child Protection, Looked After Children, Whistle Blowing, SEND	FGB 6/6	Creys charity trustee Treasurer SW Wilts Constituency Labour Party
Mrs Ali Ballamy	Co-opted	4 years	07/05/23	Governing body		✓		✓	Maths	FGB 4/6	No relevant interests
Ms Ann Middleton	Co-opted	4 years	19/10/24	Governing body	✓		✓			N/A	No relevant interests
Mr Geoffrey Wheating	Co-opted	4 years	20/01/24	Governing body	✓		✓			FGB 3/6	No relevant interests
Fiona Marshall	Clerk to Governors										No relevant interests

Term of office ended

Mr Daniel Edmund	Co-opted		21/10/20							FGB 3/6	No relevant interests
Mrs Katharine Gullick	Co-opted		17/10/20							FGB 5/6	No relevant interests