

## FRINGFORD CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Every governing body has three core functions which are:

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

At Fringford CE Primary School we undertake this work by meeting 6 times per year as a Full Governing Body to:

- Review what has been achieved against the School Development Plan
- Receive information about the school, including information about pupil progress, attendance, staff appraisal, financial information, health and safety and safeguarding.
- Ensure our statutory duties are being met
- Challenge the school and ourselves.

There is a **Finance and Personnel Committee**, a **Curriculum Committee** and a **Sites and Buildings Committee**, each of which meet at least 3 times per year to consider and challenge the strategies being used to help the school move forward. Governors also:

- Ensure that policies are reviewed and updated to underpin the school's work
- Visit the school to speak with staff and children about various aspects of the school
- Ensure that all statutory duties are being met
- Attend training both in and out of school to increase their knowledge about governance
- Prepare for each meeting by reading information to be able ask the challenging questions which help the school show that there is a continuous drive for improvement in all aspects of school life

## In the academic year 2017/2018 the Governors at Fringford CE Primary School were:

Name	Mrs Vanessa Benjamin-Smith
Governor category	Staff
Date of appointment	06/02/15
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	05/02/19
Appointed by whom	Staff
Committee membership and role	Curriculum Committee
	Finance Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Curriculum Committee: 2/2
meetings 2017 - 2018	Finance Committee: 3/3
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	Teacher at Fringford CE Primary School

Name	Mr Nick Blyton
Governor category	Parent
Date of appointment	06/11/17
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	05/11/21
Appointed by whom	Parents
Committee membership and role	Sites and Buildings Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 5/5
body meetings and committee	Sites and Buildings Committee: 2/2
meetings 2017 – 2018 (since	
appointment)	
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mr David Bradford
Governor category	Co-opted
Date of appointment	01/09/15
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	31/08/19
Appointed by whom	Governing Body
Committee membership and role	Finance Committee - Chair
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Finance Committee: 3/3
meetings 2017 - 2018	
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mr Stephen Brake
Governor category	Parent
Date of appointment	06/11/17
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	05/11/21
Appointed by whom	Parents
Committee membership and role	
Attendance record at governing body meetings and committee meetings 2017 – 2018 (since appointment)	Full Governing Body: 5/5
Relationship with other governors or school staff	None
Governance roles in other educational institutions	None
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mr Jeremy Coke-Smyth
Governor category	Foundation
Date of appointment	03/10/17
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	02/10/21
Appointed by whom	Diocese
Committee membership and role	Finance Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Finance Committee: 3/3
meetings 2017 - 2018	
Relationship with other governors	None
or school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mrs Meryl Daniell
Governor category	Co-opted
Date of appointment	01/09/15
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	31/08/19
Appointed by whom	Governing Body
Committee membership and role	Curriculum Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Curriculum Committee: 2/2
meetings 2017 - 2018	
Relationship with other governors	None
or school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mrs Camilla Deeley
Governor category	Parent
Date of appointment	25/11/15
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	24/11/19
Appointed by whom	Parents
Committee membership and role	Curriculum Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Curriculum Committee: 2/2
meetings 2017 - 2018	
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mr Edward Moore
Governor category	Local Authority
Date of appointment	06/01/17
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	31/12/17
Date of end of term of office	05/01/2021
Appointed by whom	Local Authority – Oxfordshire County Council
Committee membership and role	Finance Committee
	Curriculum Committee
	Sites & Buildings Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 2/2
body meetings and committee	Finance Committee: 1/1
meetings 2017 - 2018 before	Curriculum Committee: 0/0
resignation	Sites & Buildings Committee: 1/1
Relationship with other governors	None
or school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Revd William Muncey
Governor category	Foundation
Date of appointment	26/09/2016
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	31/08/2018
Date of end of term of office	25/09/2020
Appointed by whom	Diocese
Committee membership and role	Sites & Buildings Committee - Chair
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 4/6
body meetings and committee	Sites & Buildings Committee: 3/3
meetings 2017 - 2018 before	
resignation	
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mrs Phillippa Murphy
Governor category	Co-opted
Date of appointment	21/11/2016
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	20/11/2020
Appointed by whom	Governing Body
Committee membership and role	Curriculum Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Curriculum Committee: 2/2
meetings 2017 - 2018	
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	None

Name	Mr Franco Pastore
Governor category	Headteacher
Date of appointment	01/09/2015
Term of Office	N/A
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	N/A
Appointed by whom	Governing Body
Committee membership and role	Finance Committee
	Curriculum Committee
	Sites & Buildings Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 6/6
body meetings and committee	Finance Committee: 3/3
meetings 2017 - 2018	Curriculum Committee: 2/2
	Sites & Buildings Committee: 3/3
Relationship with other governors or	None
school staff	
Governance roles in other	None
educational institutions	
Nature of any interest	Headteacher of Fringford CE Primary School

Name	Mrs Carole Thomson
Governor category	Co-opted
Date of appointment	01/09/15
Term of Office	4 years
Date stepped down (if applicable)	N/A
Date of end of term of office	31/08/19
Appointed by whom	Governing Body
Committee membership and role	Finance Committee
	Sites and Buildings Committee
Attendance record at governing	Full Governing Body: 5/6
body meetings and committee	Finance Committee: 3/3
meetings 2017 - 2018	Sites and Buildings Committee: 3/3
Relationship with other governors	None
or school staff	
Governance roles in other	Director of Bicester Learning Academy (Cooper School and
educational institutions	Glory Farm Primary School) since July 2014
	Custodian Trustee of Shelswell and Fringford Playgroup
Nature of any interest	None