GOVERNING BODY STRUCTURE

The Governing Body has sole responsibility for the strategic direction of the College, acting as critical friend and being accountable for its decisions.

The Governing body has agreed to have three standing committees:-

Challenge: To challenge the College progress on key priorities and outcomes as outlined in the College Development Plan, considering relevant data and reports at regular intervals.

Strategy, Finance and Staffing: To oversee budget setting and all financial processes within the College, including salaries and performance management outcomes. To ensure health and safety issues are appropriately prioritised and to have an oversight of site issues.

Learning, Curriculum and Enrichment.: To consider curriculum matters and ensure the standards of teaching in the College are at their highest. To oversee behaviour and attendance reports and policies including exclusions.

All committees report to the full Governing Body three times per year.

GOVERNOR/ COMMITTEE	TERM OF OFFICE	COMMITTEE	LEAD	DATE APPOINTED	DBS COMPLIANT	GOVERNANCE ROLES IN OTHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS	BUSINESS INTERESTS
David Edwards CHAIR CO-OPTED	23.4.15- 22.4.19	Challenge CHAIR	Leadership & Management	12.10.10	YES	NO	NO
Mrs Smita Gandhi VICE CHAIR CO-OPTED	23.4.15- 22.4.19	Strategy and Finance Challenge	Governor Training and Development	01.10.13	YES	NO	NO

Mr Andrew Taylor CO-OPTED	23.4.15- 22.4.19	Strategy and Finance Learning and Enrichment	Teaching and Learning Health and Safety	22.3.07	YES	NO	NO
Mr David Shafford CO-OPTED	19.9.18- 18.9.22	Learning and Enrichment	Develop the curriculum to include a focus on STEM	19.9.18	YES	NO	Owner Dartford Living magazine
Mrs Vicki Maddison PARENT	16.3.17- 15.3.21	Learning and Enrichment RESIGNED 10/7/18	Behaviour and Engagement	16.3.17	YES	NO	NO
Mr Rajan Patel PARENT	30.10.17- 29.10.17	Learning and Enrichment	Outcomes	30.10.17	YES	NO	NO
Mrs Angela Cawley PARENT	26.10.18- 25.10.22	Challenge		26.10.18	YES	NO	YES
Mr Tim Yeates PARENT	30.10.17- 29.10.17	Learning and Enrichment	Marketing and Recruitment	30.10.17	YES	NO	NO

Dr David Whatrup PARENT	27.9.13- 01.09.21	Learning and Enrichment CHAIR	Post 16	27.9.13	YES	NO	NO
Mr Paul Shaw ASSCOCIATE GOVERNOR	12.12.17- 13.12.20	Strategy and Finance CHAIR		03.12.04	YES	NO	Director of PBS Restaurants
Mr Geoffrey Prout AUTHORITY GOVERNOR	28.6.16- 27.6.20	Challenge	Safeguarding	28.6.16	YES	NO	NO
Mrs Anne Davis STAFF				1.9.16	YES	NO	NO
Mr Jon Dix Staff Governor	01.09.17- 31.8.21	Challenge Learning and Enrichment	Community Relations		YES	NO	NO

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GOVERNORS ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS 17/18

FGB Attendance	14.09.17	14.12.17	15.3.18	12.7.18
David Edwards	***	***	***	***
David Whatrup	***	***	***	***
Smita Gandhi	***	***	***	
Geoff Prout	***	***	***	***
Andrew Taylor	***	***	***	***
Rajan Patel		***		
Tim Yeates		***	***	***
Tapiwa Dobo		***		
Jon Dix	***	***	***	***
Vicki Maddison		***	***	

SFS Attendance	17.10.17	06.02.18	15.05.18
Paul Shaw	*	*	*
Andy Taylor	*	*	
Smita Gandhi	*		*
Tapiwa Dobo		*	

LCE Attendance	05.10.17	08.02.18	24.05.18
David Whatrup	*	*	*
Andy Taylor	*	*	*
Jon Dix	*	*	
Vicki Maddison			
Rajan Patel			

Challenge Attendance	13.11.17	22.01.18	30.04.18
Geoff Prout	*	*	*
Jon Dix	*	*	*
Smita Gandhi	*	*	*
David Edwards	*	*	*

*Denotes Attendance