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 two standing committees:

Quality of Provision (QP) 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. 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.

Finance and Resources (FR) 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. All committees report to the full Governing Body three times per year.

To contact any member of the Governing Body or to request copies of non-confidential minutes, please email

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GOVERNOR/ COMMITTEE	TERM OF OFFICE	APPOINTING COMMITTEE	COMMITTEE	LEAD	DATE APPOINTED	DBS COMPLIANT	GOVERNANCE ROLES IN OTHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS	BUSINESS /MATERIAL INTERESTS
David Edwards CO-OPTED RESIGNED 2.7.20	6.3.19-5.3.23	FGB	QP/FR	Leadership and Management	12.10.10	YES	NO	NO
Dr David Whatrup CO-OPTED VICE CHAIR	31.8.17-30.8.21 Parent CO-OPTED 2.7.20 – 01.07.24	FGB	QP CHAIR FR	Curriculum and Outcomes/ Health and Safety	27.09.13	YES	NO	Partner employed at school
Matt Watts CO-OPTED	11.5.20-10.5.24	FGB	FR	Health and Safety	11.5.20	YES	NO	NO
Mr Andrew Taylor CO-OPTED VICE CHAIR	6.3.19-5.3.23	FGB	FR QP	Pupil Premium Health and Safety Training	22.3.07	YES	NO	NO
Mrs Barbara Johnstone CO-OPTED	12.12.19- 11.12.23	FGB	QP	Careers Curriculum and Outcomes	12.12.19	YES	NO	NO

Mrs Angela Cawley PARENT Resigned 11/3/21	26.10.18- 25.10.22	PARENT BALLOT	QP	SEN	26.10.18	YES	NO	NO
Mr Tim Yeates PARENT Resigned 16/10/20	30.10.17- 29.10.21	PARENT BALLOT	QP	Marketing and Recruitment	30.10.17	YES	NO	NO
Ms Jasmine Jayham PARENT	26.11.20- 25.11.24	PARENT BALLOT	QP		26.11.20	YES	NO	NO
VACANCY								
Mr Minal Patel PARENT	11.03.21- 10.3.25	PARENT		SEN	11.3.21	YES	NO	NO
Miss Lucy Husband PARENT	5.3.20- 4.3.24	PARENT	QP	Safeguarding	5.3.20	YES	NO	NO
Miss Melissa Bourne FOUNDATION	5.3.20-4.3.24	TRUST	QP	Behaviour, Attitudes and Attendance	5.3.20	YES	NO	NO

Mr Les Gunasekara FOUNDATION	5.3.20-4.3.24	TRUST	FR	Finance and IT	5.3.20	YES	NO	Managing Director LDG consultancy Ltd and L&A Autos.
Mr Paul Shaw ASSOCIATE MEMBER	12.12.17- 13.12.21	FGB	FR CHAIR (voting rights)	N/A	03.12.04	YES	NO	Director of PBS Restaurants
Mrs Smita Gandhi ASSOCIATE MEMBER END OF TERM 11/3/21		FGB	FR (voting rights)	N/A	1.10.13	YES	NO	BIFFA Employee
Mr Geoffrey Prout AUTHORITY GOVERNOR CHAIR of GOVERNORS	19.5.20- 18.5.24	LA	FR/QP	Leadership and Management Post 16	28.6.16	YES	NO	NO
Mrs Anne Davis STAFF	1.9.16-	Principal	FR/QP	N/A	1.9.16	YES	NO	Family member employed at school
Mr Jon Dix Staff Governor	01.09.17-31.8.21	STAFF BALLOT	QP	Personal Development House System	1.9.18	YES	NO	NO

Dartford Science & Technology College Attendance

Y = Attended, N = Apologies Accepted, NA = Apologies not Accepted, NS = No Apologies sent, Blank = Not Required

		Full governing board	FR	QP	Full governing board	Full governing board	A.	Full governing board	QP	FR	Full governing board	Full Governing Board
Governor	Governor Type	26 Sep 2019	15 Oct 2019	27 Nov 2019	12 Dec 2019	16 Jan 2020	11 Feb 2020	05 Mar 2020	11 Mar 2020	19 May 2020	02 Jul 2020	03 Jul 2020
Ms Tessa Barnby	Clerk	Y	Y	Y	Y	Υ	Υ	Y	Y	Y	Υ	Υ
Ms Melissa Bourne	Foundation governor							Y	NS	NS	NS	NS
Mrs Angela Cawley	Parent governor	N		Y	Y	N		Υ	Υ	Y	Υ	Υ
Mrs Anne Davis	Principal	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Υ		Υ	Υ	Υ
Mr Jonathan Dix	Staff governor	Y			Y	Y		Υ	N	Υ	Υ	Υ
Mr David Edwards	Chair	Y			Y	N		Υ		N	Υ	Υ

Mrs Smita Gandhi	Associate Member	Υ	N		Y	N	Υ	Υ		N	Y	
Mr Les Gunasekara	Foundation governor							Υ		Y	Y	Y
Miss Lucy Husband	Parent governor							Υ	N	Υ	Υ	Υ
Mrs Barbara Johnstone	Co-opted governor					Y		Υ	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mr Geoffrey Prout	Local Authority Governor	Υ		Υ	Y	Y	Υ	Υ		Y	Y	Y
Mr Paul Shaw	Associate Member		Υ				Υ			N		
Mr Andrew Taylor	Co-opted governor	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y	Y	Υ	Υ		Y	Y	Υ
Mr Matt Watts	Co-opted governor										N	N
Dr David Whatrup	Co-opted governor	Υ		Υ	Y	Y		Υ	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mr Tim Yeates	Parent governor	N			Υ	NS		N		NS	NA	NA