

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Governor Register – September 2023



Holy Cross Catholic Primary School's Governors are responsible for the overall direction of the school. They ensure:

- that the school's vision and strategy are clearly defined;
- that the Headteacher fulfils her responsibilities for the school's educational performance;
- the proper and effective use of the school's budgets.

The Governing Board includes elected Parent Governors, staff, foundation governors and a local authority representative.

If there is something that should be raised through the Governors, please feel free to contact them via the school office.

Governors

Name of Governor (Occupation)	Role / Sub-committee / Link	Type of Governor	Appointed	Until
Stephen Hendry	Chair - Pay Committee - Admissions <i>Link Governor: Pupil Premium & Sports Funding Link Governor: Curriculum</i>	Local Authority	13.01.2022	12.01.2026
Helen McComb	Joint Vice Chair - Headteacher Performance - Management (Joint with Broadlea Primary) <i>Link Governor: RE</i>	Foundation	16.10.2023	15.10.2027
Jim Willetts	Joint Vice Chair <i>Link Governor: Curriculum</i>	Foundation	01.12.2022	30.11.2026
Lucie Banks (Head of School, Holy Cross RC Primary)		Elected Staff	06.10.2022	05.10.2026
Michelle Beattie	<i>Link Governor: Curriculum</i>	Parent	25.09.2023	24.09.2027
Rebecca Colman	- Admissions <i>Link Governor: Safeguarding; Children in Care</i>	Parent	27.07.2023	26.07.2027
Sharon Freeley (Interim Executive Headteacher, Holy Cross RC Primary)		Interim Executive Headteacher	01.09.2022	Ongoing

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Fr. Jonathan Redvers Harris (Parish Priest)	- Pay Committee - Finance & Premises Working Party - Admissions <i>Link Governor: RE</i>	Foundation	01.09.2022	31.08.2026
Cecily Howden	- Pay Committee - Finance & Premises Working Party	Foundation	21.12.2022	20.12.2026
Victoria Lauchlan	<i>Link Governor: Curriculum</i>	Foundation	18.11.2020	17.11.2024
Catrina Millington	<i>Link Governor: SEND</i>	Foundation	01.12.2022	30.11.2026
Vacancy		Foundation		

Associate Members

Name of Associate Member	Sub-committee	Type of Governor	Appointed	Until
Paul Brading	- Finance & Premises Working Party	Associate Member	20.09.2022	31.08.2024
Samantha Matthias	- Safeguarding	Parent	17.07.2023	31.08.2024

*Finance & Premises Working Party incorporates Finance, Buildings, and Health & Safety

Clerk to Governors: Alison Starnes

Governors, and the Clerk to Governors, may be contacted via the school office: 01983 292885 or admin@holycrossrcpri.iow.sch.uk

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Governors' pecuniary and personal interests declaration

All parties have declared interests, including where they have none. All interests that exist have been recorded on the register.

Name of Governor	Relevant Business Interests	Links to Other Educational Establishments	Personal Relationships with School Staff or Other Governors
Lucie Banks			Sibling is a Foundation Governor at Holy Cross
Sharon Freeley (Interim Executive Headteacher, Holy Cross RC Primary)		Headteacher, Broadlea Primary School, IoW Member of NAHT	
Fr. Jonathan Redvers Harris		School Chaplain, Priory School of Our Lady of Walsingham	As parish priest, pastorally supports members of the school community who are parishioners
Stephen Hendry	Enegen Power Systems Limited (Director) Office of Bob Seely, MP (Spouse Employment) Isle of Wight Council (Councillor) East Cowes Town Council (Councillor)	Local Authority Governor, Queensgate Primary School, IoW	None to declare
Vicky Lauchlan	Director of Operations at IOW NHS Trust with portfolio that includes paediatric services		Sibling is an employee of Holy Cross
Samantha Matthias	IOW NHS Trust Safeguarding Children Nurse		
Paul Brading (Associate Member Finance & Premises Committee)	Isle of Wight County Councillor for Lake South (School ward) Lake Parish Council Councillor (Currently Chair) Sandown Rotary Club Member (Past President) IW Multiple Sclerosis Society (Currently Chair)	Local Authority Governor, Broadlea Primary School, IoW	

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Governors who have stepped down in the past 12 months

Name of Governor (Occupation)	Type of Governor	Term of office	Date stepped down
Samantha Matthias	Parent	20.09.2022 31.08.22	17.07.2023
Monica Kiely	Foundation Governor	03.12.2021 - 02.12.2026	20.09.2022
Frances Nunn	Foundation Governor	16.10.2019 - 15.10.2023	16.09.2022
Elizabeth Dyer (Headteacher, Nine Acres Primary)	Interim Headteacher	21.11.2021 Ex-officio	31.08.2022
Kathy Mather	Staff Governor	10.09.2020 - 09.09.2024	31.08.2022
Samantha Matthias	Parent Governor	10.02.2022 - 09.02.2026	27.05.2022
Peter Ball	Parent Governor	10.02.2022 - 09.02.2026	27.04.2022