

LINWOOD SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

Register of business interests 2026-2027, attendance 2025-2026 and key information

Name	Type of governor	Committee(s)	Attendance 2025-2026	Other governing responsibilities	Terms of office	Business Interests	Personal Interests	Governor at other schools?	Date interest registered	Other interest information
Gemma Talbot	Headteacher Ex officio	Learning & Achievement Finance & Resources	FGB 6/6 LAC 3/3 FAR 3/3	None	25/09/24	Linwood School, Executive Headteacher, Employed Linwood School, Trustee of Charitable Trust	None	No	05/09/24	None
Sue Lay	Co-Opted (Chair)	Finance & Resources Pay	FGB 6/6 FAR 2/3	Chair of the governing board Link governor for Post 16 Summerwood	26/06/24-25/06/28	Non-Executive Director ZeroPA Technology Ltd ZeroPA CIC ZeroPA Holdings Ltd Strategic Advisor Sangix Appointments	None	No	01/07/24	None
James Winsor	Co-Opted	Finance & Resources	FGB 3/6 FAR 3/3	None	24/01/24-23/01/28	Ability Projects Ltd. Winsor Group Ltd.	None	No	09/09/24	ACCA membership
Jeremy Payne	Parent	Finance & Resources Pay	FGB 6/6 FAR 3/3	Link Governor for Woodford Vita Chair of the Finance & Resources committee Named governor for Pupil Wellbeing & Behaviour /	08/01/24-07/01/28	YMCA Family Help Team Manager	Parent of a child at Linwood School and Wife is a teacher at the Woodford campus	No	26/01/26	None

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Cathy Naude	Parent	Learning & Achievement	FGB 6/6 LAC 3/3	Link governor for Linwood Vita Named governor for Safeguarding, attendance & Pupils with Medical Needs	08/01/24-07/01/28	None	Parent of a child at Linwood School Spouse employed by BCP	No	05/09/24	None
Sonia Colton	LA (Vice-Chair)	Learning & Achievement Pay	FGB 6/6 LAC 3/3	Vice-chair of the governing board Link governor for Linwood & Springwood Post 16 Link governor for Linwood Lumos Named governor for Careers / CEIAG & Transitions Chair of the Learning & Achievement Committee	22/09/21-21/09/25 reappointed 21/09/25-20/09/29	None	None	No	08/09/24	None
Ruijie Wang	Co-Opted	Learning & Achievement	FGB 1/4 LAC 1/2	TBC	05/11/25-04/11/29	None	None	No	21/11/25	None
Jess Brolan	Parent	Finance & Resources	FGB 2/2 FAR 1/2	TBC	19/01/26-18.01.30	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC
Sophie Vye	Staff	Learning & Achievement	N/A	TBC	01/09/26-31/08/30	Teacher at Linwood	None	None	01/09/26	None

Abu Asraf Matin	Parent	Finance & Resources	N/A	TBC	28/09/26-27/09/30	None	Spouse, Forzana Rahman is a TA at Springwood Campus	None	28/09/26	None
Olivia Glass RESIGNED 10.09.2026	Co-Opted	Learning & Achievement	FGB 3/6 LAC 2/3	None	22/01/25-21/01/29	None	None	No	27/01/25	None
Festus Adedoyin RESIGNED 02.09.2026	Co-opted	Finance & Resources	FGB 4/6 FAR 2/3	Link governor for CHI Post 16 Named governor for Health and Safety & Cyber Security	25/01/23-24/01/27	Bournemouth University, Employed St Swithuns, Trustee Respected, Trustee	None	No	05/09/24	None
Tabitha Sherlock RESIGNED 21.07.2026	Staff	Learning & Achievement	FGB 6/6 LAC 3/3	Link governor for Linwood Alma	27/09/23-26/09/27	Member of staff at Linwood School	None	No	05/09/24	None
Matthew Boulding RESIGNED 21.07.2026	Parent	Finance & Resources	FGB 4/6 FAR 0/3	None	25/10/24-24/10/28	Broni & Bo Ltd.	Parent of a child at Linwood School	No	08/11/24	None
Lorna Booth RESIGNED 31/12/2025	Parent	Learning & Achievement	FGB 2/2 LAC 0/1	Link governor for early years	11/10/22 – 10/10/26	None	Parent of a child at Linwood School Mother- Linwood Charitable Trust	No	07/09/24	Runs the parent Wellness group at school (unpaid)