## **GOVERNING BODY**

The responsibilities of the Governors are wide ranging and cover issues of finance, curriculum, development and strategy, the maintenance of the grounds and buildings and matters relating to personnel.

Our Governors bring a great deal of expertise to the governing body; they play a key role in setting the strategic direction of our school and in providing the necessary support and challenge for our school's leadership team. As we continue on our improvement journey towards Outstanding, this role is absolutely crucial. Elections for Parent Governors' elections are held periodically as vacancies arise.

		DATE OF APPOINTMENT	TERM OF OFFICE	LINK GOVERNOR / LEAD	COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP	
Chair of Governors  governor@ryecroft.staffs.sch.uk	Mr Oliver Howlett	01.01.2018	01.01.2022	Data Analysis English	Joint Management Committee MAT School Representation Board Headteacher Performance Management Education Excellence Committee – Chair Wellbeing Committee	
Vice-Chair of Governors	Mrs Susan Edmonds	21.09.2016	21.09.2021	Special Educational Needs Pupil Premium Teaching & Learning QA	MAT School Representation Board Wellbeing Committee – Chair Headteacher Performance Management	
Headteacher	Miss Rachael Baramuszczak	01.09.2016	Headteacher		Education Excellence Committee Wellbeing Committee	
Parent Governors (Elected by Parents)	Mr Oliver Howlett	01.01.2018	01.01.2022	Data Analysis English	Joint Management Committee MAT School Representation Board Headteacher Performance Management Education Excellence Committee – Chair Wellbeing Committee	
	Mrs Sian Pike	26.09.2019	26.09.2023	Health & Safety Design & Technology	Wellbeing Committee	
Foundation Governor (Appointed by Lichfield Diocese)	Mrs Susan Maiden-Dalton	16.10.2018	16.10.2021	Church Safeguarding Looked After Children PREVENT French	Wellbeing Committee SIAMS	
	VACANCY	VACANCY	VACANCY	VACANCY	VACANCY	
	Mrs Louisa Harrop (previously Co-Opted Governor – appointment date 11.07.2019)	01.04.2020	31.03.2024	Religious Education Geography History	Wellbeing Committee SIAMS	
Staff Governor (Elected by Staff)	Mr Alun Hughes	28.09.2018	28.09.2022		Education Excellence Committee	
Co-opted Governors (Appointed by the Governing Body)	Mrs Susan Edmonds	21.09.2016	21.09.2021	Special Educational Needs Pupil Premium Teaching & Learning QA	MAT School Representation Board Wellbeing Committee – Chair Headteacher Performance Management	
	Mr Paul Callum	01.10.2020	01.10.2024		Education Excellence Committee	

	Mr Stephen Dobson	21.09.2016	21.09.2021	Music Computing Pupil Voice	Joint Management Committee Education Excellence Committee SIAMS	
	Mr Jon Tomlinson	05.03.2020	04.03.2024	Maths Science	Education Excellence Committee	
Associate Members	Mr Stephen Bardon	N/A	Deputy Headteacher		Wellbeing Committee	
	Mr Matthew Hall	N/A	Assistant Headteacher		Education Excellence Committee	

	NAME	DATE OF APPOINTMENT	GOVERNOR CATEGORY	DATE RESIGNED FROM OFFICE
Resigned From Office	Mr Terry Jones	(previously Ex-Officio- appointment date 11.07.2019)	Foundation	05.03.2020
	Mr Andrew Doyle	01.12.2017	Parent	09.07.2020