

King Edward VI Northfield School for Girls

School Governing Body - 2024/2025



SGB composition – in accordance with the Trust Terms of Reference for School Governing Bodies

Headteacher (ex-officio)

Neil Jones

Trust Appointed Local Governors

1. Rachel Edwards
2. John Gopsill
3. Isobel Simmons
4. Nicola Smith
5. Mark Lee
6. Sharon Hart
7. Ruth Wareham

Co-opted Local Governors

1. Emmanuel Sule
2. Vacancy
3. Vacancy
4. Vacancy

Trust Appointed Parent Governors

1. Vacancy
2. Vacancy
3. Vacancy

Elected Parent Governor

1. Vacancy

Elected Staff Governors

1. Jenny Adey (Teaching staff)
2. Clair Hughes (Support staff)
3. Vacancy

Governor details and SGB meeting attendance

Governor	Link Governor Roles	Appointment	Term	22.10.24	11.03.25	08.07.25	Attendance
Jenny Adey	-	Appointed 14.07.23 Expires 13.07.27	1st	✓	✓	✓	3/3
Melody Bridges	-	Appointed 01.09.21 Expires 31.08.25 Resigned 13.03.25	1st	Apologies	Apologies		0/2
Lesley Brookes	-	Appointed 01.09.21 Expires 31.08.25 Resigned 05.11.24	1st	Apologies			0/1
Rachel Edwards	Safeguarding Link Governor	Appointed 29.11.23 Expires 28.11.27	1st	✓	✓	Apologies	2/3
Dorcas Fatade	-	Appointed 01.09.21 Expires 31.08.25	1st	Apologies			0/1

		Resigned 06.03.25					
John Gopsill (Vice Chair)	Science Subject Link Governor Humanities Subject Link Governor	Appointed 01.09.21 Expires 31.08.25	1st	✓	✓	✓	3/3
Sharon Hart		Appointed 21.05.25 Expires 20.05.29	1st			✓	1/1
Clair Hughes	-	Appointed 21.11.22 Expires 20.11.26	1st	✓	✓	✓	3/3
Polly Higgins	-	Appointed 15.03.22 Expires 14.03.26 Resigned 25.02.25	1st	✓			
Glenn Jones	Health & Safety Link Governor, Arts & Technology Subject Link Governor	Appointed 16.05.22 Expires 15.05.26 Resigned 05.05.25	1st	Apologies	N/A		
Neil Jones (Headteacher)	-	NA	NA	✓	✓	✓	3/3
Mark Lee	-	Appointed 20.03.24 Expires 19.03.28	1st	Apologies	✓	✓	2/3
Isobel Simmons	English Subject Link Governor	Appointed 28.09.22 Expires 27.09.26	1st	✓	✓	✓	3/3
Nicola Smith (Chair of Governors)	SEND Link Governor	Appointed 01.09.21 Expires 31.08.25	1st	✓	✓	✓	3/3
Emmanuel Sule	-	Appointed 01.09.21 Expires 31.08.25	1st	✓	Apologies	✓	2/3
Ruth Wareham		Appointed 21.05.25 Expires 20.05.29	1st			✓	1/1

Education Committee Attendance

Committee member	24.09.24	28.01.25	13.05.25
Nicola Smith (Chair)	✓	✓	✓
Neil Jones (Headteacher)	✓	✓	Apologies
Jenny Adey	✓	✓	✓
Lesley Brookes Resigned	✓		
John Gopsill	Apologies	Apologies	Apologies
Polly Higgins Resigned	Apologies	Apologies	
Glenn Jones	Apologies	N/A	N/A
Isobel Simmons	✓	✓	✓

Finance, Estates & Resources Committee Attendance

Committee member	20.11.24	26.02.25	25.06.25
Lesley Brookes (Chair) Resigned			
Neil Jones (Headteacher)	✓	✓	✓
John Gopsill	✓	✓	✓
Nicola Smith	✓	✓	✓
Mark Lee	✓	✓	✓

Welfare Committee Attendance

Committee member	01.10.24	04.02.25	20.05.25
John Gopsill (Chair)	✓	✓	✓
Neil Jones (Headteacher)	✓	✓	✓
Melody Bridges Resigned	✓	✓	
Lesley Brookes Resigned	Apologies		
Rachel Edwards	✓	✓	✓
Dorcas Fatade Resigned	✓	N/A	
Clair Hughes	✓	✓	✓
Glenn Jones	Apologies	N/A	
Nicola Smith	✓	✓	✓
Emmanuel Sule	N/A	✓	Apologies