



**St Mary and St Thomas Aquinas Catholic Primary School**  
**Academic Year 2025/2026**  
**Local Governing Committee Membership & Register of Pecuniary and Other Interests**  
**(attendance covering the 2024/25 academic year)**

**The Chair of Governors is Siobhan Ferguson**

**The Vice Chair is Cllr Chris Buckley. They are elected annually from amongst the Foundation Governors.**

**Information correct as of 1 September 2025.**

**The Chair can be contacted via the school office or via [governance@bwcet.com](mailto:governance@bwcet.com)**

The Trust collects and publishes all diversity data related to Governors across the Trust (where provided). When available this will be published on the Trust website in the governance section – <https://www.bwcet.com/governance/>

Full Name	Category of Governor & Appointed by	Date of Appointment	End of Term of Office	Date stepped down (if applicable)	Attendance at LGC meetings (2024/2025)	Relevant Business & Pecuniary Interests	Roles/links to sub committees/ monitoring links
James Craig	Headteacher/Ex Officio	16 April 2023			3/3	None	Admissions
Siobhan Ferguson	Foundation Governor Appointed by the Diocese	11 Jul 2023	10 Jul 2027		3/3	None	Chair Admissions HT PM Staffing and finance, Leadership and Management, Safeguarding, Quality of Education
Chris Buckley	Foundation Governor Appointed by the Diocese	06 May 2022	5 May 2026		2/3	None	HT PM Inclusion /SEND, Health and Safety, Leadership and Management

Hannah Rosa	Foundation Governor Appointed by the Diocese	16 Sep 2022	15 Sep 2026		3/3	None	Quality of Education, RSE/PSHE
Fr Jonathan Rose	Foundation Governor Appointed by the Diocese	04 Nov 2024	03 Nov 2028		1/3	Governor at St Thomas More, Blaydon	Admissions Staffing and Finance, RE
Andrea Carver	Parent Governor Elected by parents	17 Feb 2023	16 Feb 2027		2/3	None	Admissions Finance, Curriculum,
Victoria Ogilvie	Staff Governor Elected by staff	08 Sept 2023	07 Sept 2027		2/3	None	
David Jones	Co-opted Governor Appointed by the Board	20 May 2022	19 May 2026		3/3	None	HT PM Quality of Education, Curriculum, Website, Pupil Premium, Leadership and Management
<b>Governors who have left in the last 12 month 2024/25)</b>							
Sarah Meikle	Foundation Governor Appointed by the Diocese			10/07/2024			
Tom Smulders	Foundation Governor Appointed by the Diocese			07/11/2024			