

Corporation & Committee Membership

@ 1st January 2025

Corporation (up to 19 Full Members + 2 External Members)			Term of Office
1.	VACANCY	Full Member	
2.	VACANCY	Full Member	
3.	Paul Assinder	Full Member – Chair of Corporation	December 2027 #
4.	Tony Lucas	Full Member – Vice Chair	April 2027 #
5.	Christine Abbott	Full Member	December 2025 +
6.	Megan Bacalla	Student Governor [FE]	31 st August 2025 *
7.	Sharmin Rima	Student Governor [HE]	30 th November 2025*
8.	Rebecca Gater	Principal and Chief Executive	Ex Officio
9.	Sarah Horton-Walsh	Full Member	August 2028 #
10.	Ravi Kumar	Full Member	December 2026 +
11.	Helen Kinghorn	Full Member	31 st August 2025*
12.	Dr Mehreen Mirza	Full Member	31 st August 2027+
13.	Susie Ankrett	Full Member	1 st November 2025*
14.	Amirun Nehar	Full Member	May 2029#
15.	Cheryl Pidler	Full Member	31 st August 2027+
16.	Donna Poole	Staff Governor	30 th November 2025+
17.	Harrison Thompson	Full Member	October 2028#
18.	Graham McKean	Full Member	31 st May 2025*
19.	Dave Nanda	Full Member	31 st October 2025+

* denotes 12 months Term of Office when newly appointed.

+ denotes first Term of Office

denotes second Term of Office

Current Vacancies

1 Joint Vice Chair

Known Future Vacancies

2 vacancies wef 1/1/25 (BH/TC)

1 Remuneration Committee member wef 1/1/25 (BH)

Audit & Risk Committee (6 members inc. 2 external members)

Dave Nanda	Full Member	
Amirun Nehar	Full Member [Chair of the Committee effective Aug 24]	
Sarah Horton-Walsh	Full Member	
Harrison Thompson	Full Member	
Tony Worth	External Member [Vice Chair of Committee]	July 2027 (3 rd term)
Michael Burnett	External Member	31 st October 2027+

Remuneration Committee (max 5 members)

Tony Lucas	Full Member & Chair of Committee
Paul Assinder	Full Member & Chair of the Corporation
Cheryl Pidler	Full Member
Amirun Nehar	Full Member

VACANCY

Search and Governance Committee (5 members)

Paul Assinder	Full Member and Chair of Corporation
Rebecca Gater	Principal and Chief Executive
Tony Lucas	Full Member
Christine Abbott	Full Member
Cheryl Pidler	Full Member

In Attendance at Committees

Audit & Risk Committee

Sam Bromwich – Director of Corporate Governance, Risk and Compliance
Nancy Buckley – Vice Principal Business Growth, Skills & Partnerships
Rebecca Gater - Principal and Chief Executive
Pete Haynes – Vice Principal HR & Student Services
Heather Hunt - Deputy Principal and CFO
Gita Gorman – Director of Finance
Lee Jamieson - Vice Principal Quality and Curriculum
Louise Tweedie – RSM
Laura Gough – RSM
Edward Blackman - RSM
Bishop Fleming LLP

Remuneration Committee

Sam Bromwich – Director of Corporate Governance, Risk and Compliance
Nancy Buckley – Vice Principal Business Growth, Skills & Partnerships
Rebecca Gater - Principal and Chief Executive
Pete Haynes – Vice Principal HR & Student Services
Heather Hunt - Deputy Principal and CFO
Lee Jamieson - Vice Principal Quality and Curriculum

Search and Governance Committee

Sam Bromwich – Director of Corporate Governance, Risk and Compliance
Rebecca Gater - Principal and Chief Executive

Financial Oversight Group (FoG)

Tony Lucas – Chair of FoG wef 1st September 24
Paul Assinder
Rebecca Gater
Dave Nanda
Cherly Pidler
Graham McKean

All Governors are invited.

Special Interest Groups (SiG)

Property Paul Assinder – Chair of SiG. All Governors are invited.

Education Village Paul Assinder - Chair of SiG. Membership TBC. All Governors are invited.

Link Governors

Safeguarding Lead

Dr Mehreen Mirza

SEND

Tony Lucas

Careers

Sarah Horton-Walsh

Digital and Technology

Harrison Thompson

Skills

Ravi Kumar

Children in Care and Care Leavers

Helen Kinghorn

Sustainability

Tony Lucas