

Great Abington Primary School Governing Body



PUBLICATION OF GOVERNOR'S DETAILS AND REGISTER OF INTERESTS 2025-2026

CURRENT GOVERNORS

Full Name	Category of Governor	Appointing Body (In accordance with the Instrument Government)	Date of Initial Appointment	Current Term of Office	Committees Governor Serves on	Positions of Responsibility	Relevant Business Interest / Pecuniary Interests	Governance roles in any other educational establishments	Relationship between Governors and members of the school staff
Guy Underwood	Headteacher	N/A	N/A	N/A	Resources, Strategy Group & LTS	None	Member of Staff	None	Yes
Mark Carter	Co-opted	Governing Body	01/04/2007	01/04/2023 - 01/04/2027	Resources, Strategy Group & LTS	Co - Chair of Governors, Finance, HTPM	None	None	Yes
Rachel Clay	Co-opted	Governing Body	24/09/2019	04/07/2023 - 05/07/2027	Resources, Strategy Group & LTS	Co - Chair of Governors, Safeguarding	None	None	None
Sally Phipps	Co-opted	Governing Body	25/09/2018	25/09/2018 - 25/09/2026	Chair Resources	Governance Lead	None	None	None
Alan Cooke	Co-opted	Governing Body	01/04/2011	01/04/2023 - 01/04/2027	Resources	Health & Safety Governor	None	None	None
Will Earl	Co-opted	Governing Body	12/07/2016	12/07/2024 - 12/07/2028	Chair LTS	Reviewing Curriculum	None	None	None
Susan Blakeley	Co-opted	Governing Body	12/11/2024	12/11/2024 - 12/11/2028	LTS		None	None	None
Neil Larkin	Parent	Elected	01/09/2022	01/09/2022 - 01/09/2026	LTS	Vice Chair	None	None	None
Matt Davies	Parent	Elected	14/03/2023	14/03/2023 - 13/03/2027	LTS	Communications	None	None	Yes
Rob Aiano	Parent	Elected	28/01/2024	28/01/2024 - 27/01/2028	Resources	Health & Safety Maintenance	None	None	None
Adrian Granger Brown	Parent	Elected	28/01/2024	28/01/2024 - 27/01/2028	Resources	Finance	None	None	None
Stuart Haynes	Parent	Elected	28/01/2025	28/01/2025 - 28/01/2029			None	None	None
Jess Robinson	Staff	Elected	01/09/2022	01/09/2022 - 01/09/2026	LTS	None	Member of Staff	None	Yes
Gary Buttercase	Local Authority	Governing Body	07/05/2025	07/05/2025 - 06/05/2029			None	None	None

Great Abington Primary School Governing Body



CURRENT ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Full Name	Category of Governor	Appointing Body (In accordance with the Instrument Government)	Date of Initial Appointment	Current Term of Office	Committees Governor Serves on	Positions of Responsibility	Relevant Business Interest / Pecuniary Interests	Governance roles in any other educational establishments	Relationship between Governors and members of the school staff
Nick Brown	Associate Member	Governing Body	N/A	N/A	Resources (Non-voting)	GDPR	None	None	None
Tony Orgee	Local Authority	Local Authority	N/A	N/A	LTS (Non-voting)	SEND Governor, Core Skills	None	Governor & Chair of Finance - Granta School	None

PREVIOUS GOVERNORS (SERVED AT ANY POINT OVER THE PAST 12 MONTHS)

Full Name	Category of Governor	Appointing Body (In accordance with the Instrument Government)	Date of Initial Appointment	Date Stepped down	Committees Governor Serves on	Positions of Responsibility	Relevant Business Interest / Pecuniary Interests	Governance roles in any other educational establishments	Relationship between Governors and members of the school staff
Tony Orgee	Local Authority	Local Authority	18/11/2004	18/11/2024	LTS	SEND Governor, Core Skills	None	Governor & Chair of Finance - Granta School	None

POINT OF CONTACT FOR GOVERNING BODY

Name of Clerk	Emma Presland
----------------------	---------------

Structure of the Governing Body

The school is a community school and it is constituted in line with statutory guidelines dated 29 August 2017.

Great Abington Primary School Governing Body



19th May 2026: there are 13 appointed governors, 3 associate members (non-voting).

1/1 Headteacher
6/6 Co-opted governors
5/5 Elected parent governors
1/1 Elected staff governor
1/1 Local Authority governor
3 Associate Members (non-voting)

Vacancies:

None

The term of office of all governors (other than the headteacher) is four years.

This instrument of government came into effect on 1st April 2015. *(Checked in July 2022, since there have been no changes the date remains the same).*

The Governing Body has established committees to which it delegates day to day responsibility for various aspects of the running of the school: Resources committee and Learning Teaching & Standards committee (LTS). The Terms of Reference for the committees which detail their remits and also the Standing Orders and Code of Practice for the Governing Body can be found on the school website.

ATTENDANCE RECORD AT GOVERNING BODY AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 - 2026

Full Name	Category of Governor	FULL GOVERNING BODY MEETINGS					
		16 September 2025	9 December 2025	26 February 2026	24 March 2026	19 May 2026	14 July 2026
Guy Underwood	Headteacher	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Sally Phipps	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	A	✓	
Mark Carter	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Alan Cooke	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	A	✓	
Will Earl	Co-opted	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	
Rachel Clay	Parent	A	✓	A	✓	✓	
Neil Larkin	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Matt Davies	Parent	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	
Rob Aiano	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Adrian Granger Brown	Parent	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	
Jess Robinson	Staff	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Sue Blakeley	Co-opted	✓	✓	A	✓	A	
Stuart Haynes	Parent	F	✓	A	F	A	
Gary Buttercase	Local Authority	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Emma Presland	Clerk	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

Key to Attendance :

- ✓ Attended the meeting
- A Absent with the consent of the governing body
- F Failed to attend or absent without the consent of the governing body
- N/A Not required to attend

Full Name	Category of Governor	LEARNING, TEACHING and STANDARDS COMMITTEE MEETINGS				
		14 October 2025	13 January 2026	17 March 2026	12 May 2026	07 July 2026
Guy Underwood	Headteacher	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Mark Carter	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Will Earl	Co-opted	A	✓	✓	✓	
Rachel Clay	Parent	✓	✓	A	✓	
Neil Larkin	Parent	✓	A	✓	✓	
Jess Robinson	Staff	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Gary Buttercase	Local Authority	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Rob Aiano	Parent	✓	✓	A	A	
Matthew Davies	Parent	N/A	✓	✓	✓	
Sue Blakeley	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	A	
Stuart Haynes	Parent	✓	✓	A	A	
Alan Cooke	Co-opted	✓	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Key to Attendance :

- ✓ Attended the meeting
- A Absent with the consent of the governing body
- F Failed to attend or absent without the consent of the governing body
- N/A Not required to attend

Full Name	Category of Governor	RESOURCES COMMITTEE MEETINGS				
		30 September 2025	25 November 2025	27 January 2026	5 May 2026	16 June 2026
Guy Underwood	Headteacher	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Sally Phipps	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Mark Carter	Co-opted	A	✓	✓	✓	
Alan Cooke	Co-opted	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Rachel Clay	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Rob Aiano	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Adrian Granger Brown	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Sue Blakeley	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Stuart Haynes	Parent	✓	✓	✓	✓	

Key to Attendance :

- ✓ Attended the meeting
- A Absent with the consent of the governing body
- F Failed to attend or absent without the consent of the governing body
- N/A Not required to attend