

Ambergate Primary School

Governor Attendance 2023-2024

Governing Bodies are accountable to parents, the local community, and Derbyshire County Council – they are at the heart of how a school operates and how they undertake their role affects the interests of pupils, staff, and the reputation of the school in the community.

Governors help to set our school's vision, ethos, and strategy; they hold the Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils, and oversee the school's financial performance to make sure the money is spent wisely and achieves best value. The school appreciate the wide range of skills, knowledge and experience Governors bring to the school; the support and advice they provide is invaluable.

We record attendance at Board of Governors meetings and its committees. However, this does not provide a complete picture of Governor involvement. As well as playing their part at the meetings, they also visit and get to know the school, support staff with specific projects and attend school events. Many Governors also work or have other busy roles – so we value the time they can give us.

- Each committee requires a minimum of three Governors to be in attendance to meet the quorum.
- Regarding the Board meetings, a minimum of 50% of Governors are required to be in attendance to meet the quorum.

The tables below show the broad attendance figures for each committee during 2023/2024.

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Clerk to Governors – Ambergate Primary School

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<u>Governor Attendance at Full Board of Governors meeting 2023 - 2024</u>	
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Name of Governor	18 th September, 2023 (AGM)	15 th January, 2024	22 nd April, 2024	8 th July, 2024				Total meetings eligible to attend	Total meetings attended	Term of Office
Mr J Allen – Staff Governor	✓	✓	✓	✓				4	4	23.9.21 – 22.9.25
Mrs S Bailey Co-opted Governor	A	✓	✓	✓				4	3	4 years (11 th July, 2022 – 9 th July 2026)
Mr C Balls-Co-opted Governor	✓	A	✓	✓				4	3	12.9.22 – 11.9.2026
Mrs C Bush Parent Governor	✓	✓	✓	✓				4	4	9.11.22 – 8.11.26
Mr S Dashfield – Co-opted Governor	✓	A	✓	A				4	2	15.3.23 – 16.3.27
Mr A Ford – Co-opted Governor (Vice Chair of the Board)	✓	✓	-	✓				4	3	September, 2023 – September, 2027
Mr A Hopkin – LA Governor	Resigned									14.9.21 – 13.9.25 <i>Stepped down 2023</i>
Mrs C Howell – Headteacher & Governor	✓	✓	✓	✓				4	4	Ongoing
Mrs C Labram – Parent Governor	Resigned									4.10.19 – <i>September 2023</i>

Name of Governor	18 th September, 2023 (AGM)	15 th January, 2024	22nd April 2024	8 th July, 2024				Total meetings eligible to attend	Total meetings attended	Term of Office
Mrs G McGarrigle Parent Governor	✓	A	✓	✓				4	3	18 th September, 2023 – 17 th September, 2027
Mr P Mulchinock – Co-opted Governor (Chair)	✓	✓	✓	✓				4	4	18 th September, 2023 – 17 th September, 2027
Mr P Robertson – Co-opted Governor	✓	✓	✓	✓				4	4	18 th September, 2023 – 17 th September, 2027

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Finance, Personnel and Premises Committee 2023-2024

Name of Governor	13th November, 2023	12th February, 2024	13th May, 2024					Total meetings eligible to attend	Total meetings attended	
Mr C Balls	✓	✓	✓					3	3	
Mr S Dashfield	✓	✓	-					3	2	
Mrs C Howell Headteacher	✓	✓	✓					3	3	
Mr P Mulchinock	✓	✓	✓					3	3	
Mr P Robertson	✓	✓	✓					3	3	

AMBERGATE PRIMARY SCHOOL**Pupils and Curriculum Committee**

Name of Governor	11th December, 2023	4th March, 2024	17th June, 2024				Total meetings eligible to attended	Total meetings attended	
Mr J Allen	✓	✓	✓				3	3	
Mrs S Bailey	✓	✓	✓				3	3	
Mr C Balls	N/A	✓	N/A				1	1	
Mrs C Bush	A	✓	✓				3	2	
Mr A Ford	✓	✓	✓				3	3	
Mrs C Howell	✓	✓	✓				3	3	
Mrs G McGarrigle	✓	✓	✓				3	3	
Mr P Mulchinock	✓	N/A	N/A					1	
Mr P Robertson	✓	✓	N/A					2	

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Governor Monitoring Visits 2023-2024

Date	Purpose	Name of Governor(s) involved
18.3.24	9.00 am Governor monitoring – Monitoring and Evaluation (KP1)	Sarah Bailey (Safeguarding Governor) Cate Bush (SEND Governor) Chris Balls Paul Robertson
17.6.24	9.00 am Governor monitoring – SEND and Science (KP4 & KP3)	Sarah Bailey (Safeguarding Governor) Cate Bush (SEND Governor) Stephen Dashfield