

**REGISTER OF GOVERNOR INTERESTS****NAME OF SCHOOL: Thornaby Church of England Primary School 2023-2024****From September 2015, Governing Bodies are required to publish on their website, information about their governors:**

Name, Category & Appointing Body	Term of Office	Nature of Interest			Resignation Date
		Pecuniary (you or a close connection – see point 1)	Governor in another school/education establishment	Spouse, partner or relative working in school or with business interests (see point 2.)	
Mrs E Hughes-Narborough Headteacher	01/01/2009	No	No	No	31/08/2023
Mr R Chandler Headteacher	01/09/2023	No	No	No	
Father R Desics (Vice Chair) Ex-Officio Governor Appointed by Diocese	22/06/2020	No	Chair of Governors Thornaby Academy	No	10/09/2023
Mrs S Smith Staff Governor Appointed by staff	01/09/2023 to 31/08/2027	No	No	No	
Mr S Durham Foundation Governor Appointed by Diocese	23/02/2021 to 22/02/2025	No	No	No	02/11/2023
Mrs J Higgin Foundation Governor Appointed by Diocese	23/02/2021 to 22/02/2025	Husband T Higgin also a governor	No	No	
Mrs J Rigg (Chair) Co-opted Governor Appointed by GB	01/07/2019 to 30/06/2023 01/07/2023 to 30/06/2027	No	No	No	
Mrs A Metcalfe Co-opted Governor Appointed by GB	10/03/2021 to 09/03/2025	No	No	No	23/01/2023

Mr E Collins Co-opted Governor Appointed by GB Foundation Governor Appointed by Diocese	07/05/2020 to 30/11/2022 1/12/2022 to 30/11/2026	No	No	No	
Mrs C Sheridan Staff Governor Appointed by Staff Co-opted Governor Appointed by GB	14/10/2019 to 31/08/2023 01/09/2023 to 31/08/2027	No	No	No	
Mr M Barlow Parent Governor Appointed by Parents	18/05/2022 to 17/05/2026	No	No	No	
Mrs C McKenna Parent Governor Appointed by Parents	23/05/2022 to 22/05/2026	No	No	Husband Gas Engineer for Marshall and McCourt	
Miss S Carnall Staff Governor Appointed by Staff	03/05/2023 to 02/05/2027	No	No	No	
Mr T Higgin Co-opted Governor Appointed by GB	01/09/2023 to 31/08/2027	Wife J Higgin also a governor	No	No	

## REGISTER OF GOVERNOR INTEREST GUIDANCE

Governors must declare any relevant business interests as well as the details of any other educational establishments they govern. The register must also set out any relationships between governors and members of the schools staff including spouses, partners and relatives. It is important to address any perception of a conflict of interests by making clear where such potential personal or pecuniary interests might apply; this might be a conflict between personal interests and the interests of the school or the Council when dealing with outside organisations or individuals.

- Note 1. Pecuniary interest includes current employment, businesses (of which partner/proprietor), company directorship, charity trusteeship and other conflict.
- Note 2. Personal Interests can also include business involvement/company directorship or trusteeships or family or close connections to the governor (for example a company the school might have contracts with).

Examples (potential conflicts):

- A governor whose spouse/partner is employed by the school – *Should not take part in discussion regarding the school's pay policy or any staffing matter that might impact on their partner. Both direct and indirect decisions might impact on the salary range of senior staff e.g. increasing pupil numbers.*
- A governor involved with any committee group, business or after school club who hire part of the school – *Should not be party to discussion involving the use of the school or their charging policy.*
- A governor who is a supplier of goods or services to the school – *Should not take part in decisions regarding the letting of contracts for that type of goods or services where a sub-contract relationship might exist.*

The register of governor interests must also include details of attendance record at the governing body meetings and committees over the year and reviewed and updated on an annual basis indicating also when a governor steps down.

Associate governors must be included on the register and it should be clear when they have voting rights.

The school is required to maintain a similar register of staff interests that should also be reviewed annually – as specified in the NCC code of conduct. Staff had previously been included with the governor's declarations but in light of the governing body register of interests being required to be published on the school web site, a separate register should be drawn up. Staff governors will need to be included on both registers.