

THE WEALD SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY
March 2026

Our Governing Body consists of 20 Governors (presently there is 1 Co-opted Vacancy) and operates with 3 committees: Resources Committee, Teaching & Learning Committee & Pastoral Committee. The Vice-Chair position is currently vacant.

Full name of Governor	Governor Category	Date of current Appointment or Election	Source of Appointment (where appropriate)	Term of office/ Role within GB	Committee Membership	Declarations on register of business & pecuniary interest	Remarks
Sarah Edwards	Headteacher	01/01/2021	Ex Officio	N/A	Pastoral Resources Teaching & Learning	Trustee for The Weald's Classrooms for Kenya Charity Trustee for the Women's Hall, Billingshurst	Head of the Weald
Nicola Waters	Co-opted	22/03/2023	Governing Body	4 Years Chair of Governors	Pastoral Resources Teaching & Learning	Supplier of Football Tables Chair of Governors at Billingshurst Primary Academy Trustee at Sussex Learning Trust	
Rachel Terry	Co-opted	17/03/2026	Governing Body	4 Years Chair of Pastoral Committee	Pastoral		
James Bartlett	Co-opted	15/07/2024	Governing Body	4 years	Pastoral		
Steve Earl	Co-opted	22/03/2023	Governing Body	4 years	Pastoral		
Sophia Goodway	Co-opted	22/03/2023	Governing Body	4 Years	Teaching & Learning		

Chris Hawley	Local Authority	10/07/2023	WSCC	4 Years	Teaching & Learning		
Jo Hindhaugh	Co-opted	22/03/2023	Governing Body	4 years Vice Chair of T&L Committee	Teaching & Learning		Member of Staff at The Weald
Tim Jordan	Co-opted	22/03/2023	Governing Body	4 Years Chair Resources	Resources		
Alex Nicholson	Parent	11/12/2023	Elected by Parents	4 years	Resources		
Tim Puddefoot	Co-opted	17/03/2026	Governing Body	4 years	Pastoral Resources Teaching & Learning		
David Wood	Staff	19/11/25	Elected by Staff	4 Years	Teaching & Learning		Member of staff at the Weald
Keef Sloan	Parent	29/02/2024	Elected by Parents	4 years	Vice Chair of Resources Teaching & Learning		
Abi Smith	Co-Opted	04/09/2024	Governing Body	4 Years	Pastoral		
Stephanie Tempest	Parent	01/05/2023	Elected by Parents	4 years	Teaching & Learning Pastoral		
Jon Williamson	Parent	11/12/2023	Elected by Parents	4 years	Resources Teaching &	Teacher at Forest School	

Dan White	Parent	17/2/2025	Elected by Parents	4 years	Pastoral		
Craig Gale	Co-Opted	09/7/25	Governing Body	4 years	Teaching & Learning		
Rosa Chidgey	Parent	30/3/26	Elected by Parents	4 years	TBC		