

THWAITES SCHOOL

The remit of the governing board:

It is stated in the Governance Handbook that all boards, no matter what type of schools or how many schools they govern, have three core functions:

- Ensuring clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction;
- Holding executive leaders to account for the educational performance of the organisation and its pupils, and the performance management of staff;
- Overseeing the financial performance of the organisation and making sure its money is well spent.

The constitution of our governing board is as follows:

- 2 Parent governors
- 1 Local Authority governor
- 1 Headteacher
- 1 Staff governor
- 4 Co-opted governors (if applicable)
- Term of office for all governors is 4 years

GOVERNING BOARD – ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

NAME	GOVERNOR CATEGORY <i>Incl Associate Members</i>	APPOINTING BODY	APPOINTED TO	ATTENDANCE OVER ACADEMIC YEAR <i>2025/2026</i>	ATTENDANCE OVER ACADEMIC YEAR <i>2026/2027</i>	ADDITIONAL ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES <i>ie chairs of governing board and committees and if Associate Members have voting rights at committee level</i>
M Redhead	Headteacher	By virtue of office	-	7/7	1/1	Finance Committee
L Bawden	Co-opted	Governing Body	September 2028	7/7	1/1	Chair Finance Committee
L Falconer	Parent	Parent	November 2028	6/7	0/1	Finance Committee
S Benn	Parent	Parent	November 2027	3/7	0/1	
J Procter	Co-opted	Governing Body	September 2029	7/7	1/1	Finance Committee
R Procter	Local Authority	LA	March 2030	3/3	1/1	
V Pogrel	Co-opted	Governing Body	March 2030	3/3	1/1	Finance committee
L Tyson	Co-opted	Governing Body	March 2029	6/7	1/1	

GOVERNING BOARD REGISTER OF PERSONAL AND PECUNIARY INTERESTS

NAME	ANY DECLARED INTEREST	INTEREST
M Redhead	No	
L Bawden	Yes	Family member employed at Thwaites School
L Falconer	Yes	Millom School
S Benn	Yes	S&F Electrical Company
V Pogrel	No	
J Procter	Yes	Spouse on Governing Board
R Procter	Yes	Spouse on Governing Board
L Tyson	No	