

Welland Park Academy

Register of interests

A register of interests for the selected board. Maintained schools can use this as their register of interests but please make sure you remove any GovernorHub users who don't need to appear on the register. Trusts need to combine all boards and add details of Members and senior employees.

This report contains the register of interests for:

- Current governing board
- Other positions
- Historical positions

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Current governing board

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Amy Atkinson Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 15/12/2021 Term of office end: 14/12/2025 Appointed by: -	<i>Confirmed: 17/09/2025</i>	Parents of students	Parent	Students in Year 10	-	-
Name: Sharon Campbell Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	<i>Nothing to Declare: 08/09/2025</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Richard Chester Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	<i>Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025</i>	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Kathy Dare Appointment: Member Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2029 Appointed by: Dave Hedley	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Teen Tech	Employee	-	-	-
Name: Debbie Edwards Appointment: Member Term of office start: 01/09/2021 Term of office end: - Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Funeral Celebrant	Self employed	-	-	-
Name: Nichola Harcombe Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 01/03/2023 Term of office end: 28/02/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	Welland Park Academy	Personal or close family relationship	Parent	01/09/2014	-
Name: Simone Harrison Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 29/06/2023 Term of office end: 28/06/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Cherrybrook Properties	Business or finance interests	Own a rental property in school catchment. Fully managed by agency.	-	-
Name: Simone Harrison Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 29/06/2023 Term of office end: 28/06/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Farndon Fields Primary School	Business or finance interests	Headteacher at Farndon Fields Primary School, part of Discovery Trust	21/08/2023	-
Name: Simone Harrison Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 29/06/2023 Term of office end: 28/06/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Welland Park Academy	Personal or close family relationship	Son attending Welland Park Academy	26/08/2024	-
Name: Simone Harrison Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 29/06/2023 Term of office end: 28/06/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Welland Park Academy	Personal or close family relationship	Son currently attending WPA in Year 10, on SEND register with EHCP	05/08/2023	31/08/2025

Name: Dave Hedley Appointment: Member Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	G&H Mark Charity	Trustee	-	-	-
Name: Dave Hedley Appointment: Member Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Arrow Masonic Hall Co	Directorship	-	-	-
Name: Jill Howard Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	The Society of Heads	Business or finance interests	This is the organisation I work for as Director of Education Services. In my capacity, I am able to share resources and other information to WPA which may support the school in CPD planning - these are free resources made available to the school. It would be up to the school to decide if they wish to use them or not.	01/06/2025	-
Name: Jill Howard Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	ThoughtBox Education	Business or finance interests	I am a Triple Wellbeing Practitioner certified via ThoughtBox Education. The Triple Wellbeing Framework I follow is registered and owned by ThoughtBox Education however I can share and coach others to follow the principles because of my certification.	30/04/2025	-
Name: Jill Howard Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	Graydin	Business or finance interests	I am a Graydin certified coach and can practice as a coach. I am also undertaking coaching facilitator training so I can train others to become coaches and introduce coaching to teachers and schools.	30/11/2024	-
Name: Pete Leatherland Appointment: Ex-Officio Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 17/09/2025	East Goscote Lodge	Business or finance interests	This is a Masonic organisation, I am an active member of Freemasonry.	02/12/2010	-

Name: Pete Leatherland Appointment: Principal Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 17/09/2025	East Goscote Lodge	Business or finance interests	This is a Masonic organisation, I am an active member of Freemasonry.	02/12/2010	-
Name: Mark Mitchley Appointment: Member Term of office start: 24/02/2025 Term of office end: 23/02/2029 Appointed by: -	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Richard Moor Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	Leicester City Adoption	Other governance role	I am an independent panel member for Leicester City Adoption. This is similar to a governance role	01/09/2024	-
Name: Richard Moor Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	LearnAT	Other governance role	Chair of Governors Great Bowden Academy Chair of Governors Ridgeway Primary Academy LearnAT have asked me to do an additional term	12/11/2018	31/12/2025
Name: Claire Parry Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Department for Education	Employee	-	-	-
Name: Claire Parry Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	University of Leicester	Employer of partner	-	-	-
Name: Stephen Peverett Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 14/04/2024 Term of office end: 13/04/2028 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 14/09/2025	NEU	Member	-	-	-

Name: Stephen Peverett Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 14/04/2024 Term of office end: 13/04/2028 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 14/09/2025	Caroline Chisholm School	Employee	-	-	-
Name: Stephen Peverett Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 14/04/2024 Term of office end: 13/04/2028 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 14/09/2025	Parent of Student	Parent	Daughter is currently in Year 11	-	28/06/2024
Name: Hannah Russell Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Parent of students	Parent	Mother of student in Year 10	-	-
Name: Hannah Russell Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	NASUWT	Member	-	-	-
Name: Hannah Russell Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Head of MFL at WPA	Employee	-	-	-
Name: Tony Segalini Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 22/05/2025 Term of office end: 21/05/2029 Appointed by: Parents	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	Huncote Primary School	Daughter attends	Primary Education	22/03/2021	-

Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	Welland Park Academy	Employee	-	01/04/2018	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	Welland Park Academy	Director	-	01/04/2018	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	Huncote Primary School	Governor	Chair GDPR H&S Lead Finance Governor	01/09/2017	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	ASCL	Union Member	-	01/01/2016	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	Internal Scrutiny Lead	Internal Scrutiny	Working collaboratively with Lutterworth High, Lutterworth College, Gartree High, The Bosworth High School, Wigston Acaemy, Woodbrook Vale and Forest Way	01/09/2020	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	Leicestershire Schools Forum	Member	I sit on the School Forum for Leicestershire as Chair	01/09/2018	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	Confirmed: 08/09/2025	IMRS - Working Groups - Information Management Toolkit for Schools	Work	Being a secondary representative for the Midlands	01/09/2021	-

Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	<i>Confirmed: 08/09/2025</i>	Brockington College	Step child attends	-	01/09/2021	-
Name: Martin Towers Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: -	<i>Confirmed: 08/09/2025</i>	Pastures Primary School	Other governance role	I have become a member of the Pastures Primary School	01/09/2024	-

Other positions

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Name: Lee Dickens - Network Manager Appointment: Other Term of office start: 17/09/2025 Term of office end: 16/09/2029 Appointed by: MTO	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Tom Hardy Appointment: Other Term of office start: 18/06/2025 Term of office end: 17/06/2029 Appointed by: Lee Dickens	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Jemma Linnell Appointment: Advisor Term of office start: 02/06/2025 Term of office end: 01/06/2029 Appointed by: Martin Towers	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Nicola Tyers Appointment: Clerk Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: PLE / MTO	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Historical positions

Name	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Julian Oakland Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 18/09/2025	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: David Page Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 17/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 05/10/2024</i>	Oracle Corporation	Employee	I am director for the Oracle Corporation a global IT business that develops technology solutions which may or not be sold and deployed into educational and academic institutions.	22/08/2022	-
Name: David Page Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 17/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 05/10/2024</i>	Welland Park Academy (WPA)	Personal or close family relationship	My daughter, Darcey Archer-Page is a student in Year 9.	12/10/2022	-
Name: David Page Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 17/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 05/10/2024</i>	Welland Park Academy	Personal or close family relationship	My son, Xander Archer-Page is a student in Year 7.	27/08/2024	-
Name: David Page Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 22/09/2027 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 17/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 05/10/2024</i>	Conservative Party	Other governance role	I am the official Conservative Party candidate in the Leicestershire County Council elections in 2025, for the West Harborough and Foxton division, which includes Welland Park Academy.	03/02/1982	-
Name: Kathryn Swinglehurst Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 04/11/2021 Term of office end: 03/11/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 14/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 28/10/2024</i>	Apple Tree Communications Ltd	Directorship		-	-

Name: Kathryn Swinglehurst Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 04/11/2021 Term of office end: 03/11/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 14/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 28/10/2024</i>	Parent of student	Parent	Student in Year 10	-	-
Name: Kathryn Swinglehurst Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 04/11/2021 Term of office end: 03/11/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 14/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 28/10/2024</i>	Husband's job	Husband	My husband works for Lloyds Banking Group, who WPA bank with. He is based out of the London HQ rather than a branch, and works in business transformation and change (IT area).	-	-
Name: Kathryn Swinglehurst Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 04/11/2021 Term of office end: 03/11/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 14/03/2025	<i>Confirmed: 28/10/2024</i>	Apple Tree Communications - client includes Moulton College	Director	I manage public relations for Moulton College, which takes post 16 students from WPA	01/06/2022	-
Name: Jane Theobald Appointment: Member Term of office start: 16/12/2019 Term of office end: 24/02/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 24/02/2025	<i>Nothing to Declare: 03/11/2023</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Bradley Stone Appointment: Advisor Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 18/10/2024		-	-	-	-	-
Name: Nathan Birks Appointment: Advisor Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 16/10/2024		-	-	-	-	-

Name: Neil Heath Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 29/06/2022 Term of office end: 29/06/2026 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 03/09/2024	<i>Confirmed: 02/11/2023</i>	Parent of students	Parent	Daughter in Year 7	-	-
Name: Jim Harker Appointment: Member Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 03/09/2024	<i>Confirmed: 28/10/2022</i>	Balfour Beatty	Employee		-	-
Name: Jim Harker Appointment: Member Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 03/09/2024	<i>Confirmed: 28/10/2022</i>	Parent of Student	Parent	Parent of Year 11 son	-	-
Name: Susie Munton Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 21/04/2026 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 03/07/2024	<i>Confirmed: 23/09/2023</i>	The Squires Effect	Trustee	Charity Volunteer	-	-
Name: Susie Munton Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 21/04/2026 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 03/07/2024	<i>Confirmed: 23/09/2023</i>	Munton Roofing	Share Holder		-	-
Name: Susie Munton Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 23/09/2023 Term of office end: 21/04/2026 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 03/07/2024	<i>Confirmed: 23/09/2023</i>	Parent of Student	Parent	Son is currently in Year 10	-	-

Name: Julie Oakley Appointment: Member Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 05/04/2024	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> <i>04/11/2023</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Julie McBrearty Appointment: Ex-Officio Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 31/08/2023		-	-	-	-	-
Name: John Hill Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 06/01/2019 Term of office end: 31/08/2023 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 22/08/2023	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> <i>26/09/2022</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Dave Hedley Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 05/07/2021 Term of office end: 04/07/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 22/08/2023	<i>Confirmed: 04/03/2022</i>	G&H Mark Charity	Trustee		-	-
Name: Dave Hedley Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 05/07/2021 Term of office end: 04/07/2025 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 22/08/2023	<i>Confirmed: 04/03/2022</i>	Arrow Masonic Hall Co	Directorship		-	-
Name: Katharine Da Forno Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 28/02/2027 Term of office end: 27/02/2031 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 17/04/2023		-	-	-	-	-

Name: Sean Douglass Appointment: Other Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: MTO Effective removal date: 20/03/2023		-	-	-	-	-
Name: Sean Douglass Appointment: Other Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: MTO Effective removal date: 20/03/2023		-	-	-	-	-
Name: David Smith Appointment: Member Term of office start: 20/06/2011 Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 31/12/2022		-	-	-	-	-
Name: Sarah Hamilton Appointment: Member Term of office start: 16/12/2019 Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 26/09/2022		-	-	-	-	-
Name: Terry James Appointment: Observer Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 10/05/2022		-	-	-	-	-
Name: Ruth Harvey Appointment: Community governor Term of office start: 31/10/2018 Term of office end: 30/10/2022 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 31/12/2021		-	-	-	-	-

Name: Ruth Harvey Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 31/10/2018 Term of office end: 30/10/2022 Appointed by: - Effective removal date: 22/09/2021		
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