

# THORNTON PRIMARY SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

## General

The Governors of Thornton Primary School wish you a warm welcome to the school. Our Governing Body (GB) is made up of 11 Governor Posts, as set out within the Consolidated Instrument of Government dated 25<sup>th</sup> June 2015:

- 1 x Head Teacher/voter
- 1 x Local Authority Governor
- 1 x Staff Governor
- 2 x Parent Governors
- 6 x Co-opted Governors

According the DfE's (Department of Education) Governance Handbook, the GB has a number of core functions:

- Setting vision, ethos and strategic direction of the school.
- Holding the Head teacher to account
- Overseeing financial performance
- Looking at objective data about school's performance

To undertake these functions, in addition to the Full Governing Body meetings, we also have 3 other committees – Resources Committee, Curriculum Committee and Pay Committee. The Full Governing Body and the Resources and Curriculum Committees meet once a term at least. The Pay Committee meets once a year.

## Summary from June 2018

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Johur Uddin	LA			Yes (CH)		No	29/1/22	None	No	Health and Safety
Anzar Bibi	Parent		Yes (VC)			No	01/03/20	None	No	Safeguarding
Zalal Choudhury	Parent		Yes				24/05/22	None	No	
Cathy Grace	Staff		Yes			No	18/04/20	None	No	
Sue Simmons	HT		Yes	Yes		No		Yes IEB Heath Mount Primary School	Yes Director of Flying High Nursery School Ltd and ANS Electrical	
Jenny Steckles	Clerk of GB									

In addition to the above table the following roles and responsibilities also apply:

Grievance/Disciplinary/Complaints Hearings

Any Three Governors who haven't been involved in the matter before hearing

Appeals Hearing

Any Three Governors who haven't been involved in original hearing or the matter before.

Exclusions

Any Three Governors excluding Staff Governor and Parent Governors.

If you want to contact the Governing Body, you can do so by writing to the Chair of the Governing Body and leave an envelope with the School Office.