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 25th 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 1 other Committee, the Pay Committee. The Full Governing Body meet once a term at least. The Pay Committee meets once a year.

Summary from April 2019

Governor Name	Type of Governor	Chair (CH) or Vice Chair (VC)	Pay Committee Member	Connections to Staff Yes or No If Yes, who and how.	Term of Office End Date	Other School Governor Posts held. Name of school and governor type	Business Interests declared. Yes or No If yes please state	Governor With Specific Responsibilities
Erica McAlinden	Co-opted			Yes, Son who is TA	1/7/19	None	No	
Subat Khan	Co-opted			No	26/09/20	None	No	Health and Safety
Tharack Ahmed	Co-opted	VC	Yes	No	17/9/19	None	No	Head Teachers Performance Management Pupil Premium and Sports Premium
Yasmin Begum	Co-opted			No	17/9/19	Yes Hodge Hill College	No	SEND
Amjid Ali	Co-opted	CH	Yes	No	29/1/22	Yes Yenton Primary School	No	Head Teachers Performance Management
Sofina Reeves	Co-opted			No	10/12/22	No	No	
Johur Uddin	LA	VC		No	29/1/22	None	No	
Anzar Bibi	Parent			No	01/03/20	None	No	Safeguarding
Zalal Choudhury	Parent				24/05/22	None	No	Reading

Cathy Grace	Staff			No	18/04/20	None	No	
Sue Simmons	HT			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.