



East Ravendale Primary School – Local Board Structure and Remit

Structure

The Local Board at East Ravendale C of E Primary School has Full Governor, Pupils and Provision and Finance, Buildings and Personnel Committees. This means that all governors would normally attend two meetings per term; one meeting focusses on Standards and Finance, Health & Safety and the second focusses on strategy & oversight. Separate committees will be established as and when needed, for example to hear complaints and appeals, and in the event of a permanent exclusion.

Remit

Governors set the aims and objectives for the school and set the policies and targets for achieving those aims and objectives. They monitor and evaluate the progress the school is making and act as a source of challenge and support to the headteacher. In action, this means:

- Being involved with appointing and reviewing the headteacher and senior leaders, including making decisions about pay
- Monitoring budgets and ensuring money is well spent
- Engaging with pupils, staff, parents and the school community
- Sitting on panels and making decisions about things like pupil exclusions and staff disciplinary
- Addressing a range of education issues within the school including disadvantaged pupils, pupils with special needs, staff workload and teacher recruitment
- Looking at data and evidence to ask questions and have challenging conversations about the school

Further information on the governance structure of the Academy Trust and the responsibilities delegated to the Local Board can be found in the Trust's Scheme of Delegation to Member Academies.