

What the Academy Council do

The Academy council is responsible for working with the school to ensure that it delivers a good quality education. Together with the head teacher, who is responsible for day-to-day management, they set the school's aims and policies. Academy councillors hold the head teacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils, and the performance management of staff. Academy councillors oversee the financial performance of the school and make sure its money is well spent.

The full academy council meet four times a year and has delegated powers to its committees to conduct the work of the academy council. The academy council has four committees who all meet at least once per term:

- Curriculum
- Finance
- HR
- Premises

At each full academy council meeting, the chair of each committee feeds back to the full academy council on its work and decisions.

The constitution of the academy council is:

- Head Teacher
- Staff Councillor (elected)
- Local Authority Councillor
- 2 x Parent Councillors (elected)
- 5 x Co-opted Councillors

The academy council employs the services of a clerk to support the work of the academy council and ensure that the academy council is meeting its statutory requirements.

If you would like to know more about the academy council or would be interested in knowing more about becoming a academy councillor then please contact the Chair, Ann Lovesey, through the school office.