

The Crypt School Trust Board Committees

Resources Staff and Pay

Responsible for staff & pay issues, approving the Finance Manual. It also acts as the Trustees' Teaching and Learning and Educational Standards Committee.

1. VACANT (Chair)
2. Nicholas Dyer
3. Lee Hill
4. Dare Owatemi
5. Amit Ray

Attendee: Jo Hitchings, Finance Director (Clerk)

Pupil Welfare

Responsible for Health & Safety compliance and operations management issues, safeguarding, pupil wellbeing issues & preparation of school asset management plan.

1. Sheila Bradburn (Chair)
2. Suzanne Aspden
3. Lynsey Pollard
4. Gordon Taylor (Associate Trustee: non-voting)
5. Kate Williams (Associate Trustee: non-voting)

Attendees: Lesley Smith (Operations Manager), Phil Stanlake (Senior Deputy Head), Gemma Hargraves (Deputy Headteacher – Safeguarding, Inclusion and Wellbeing), Nicola Donlon (Clerk)

Admissions

Responsible for determining admission arrangements.

1. Sheila Bradburn (Chair)
2. Nicholas Dyer
3. Ahmed Goga
4. Suzanne Aspden

Attendee: Sue Wales (Clerk)

Audit & Risk

Responsible for internal scrutiny, ensuring that the school complies with its policies, controls and systems and for monitoring the financial, strategic and governance risks to the school.

1. Amit Ray
2. Dare Owatemi
3. New Parent Trustee (following election)

Attendees: Nicholas Dyer (Headmaster), Jo Hitchings (Finance Director), Nicola Donlon (Clerk).

23 September 2026