

Bulwell St Mary's Primary and Nursery School

Governing Body Membership 21.07.2026

Appointment	Name	Appointed by	First Appointed	Term Length	Term Start	Term End
Foundation governors	Zoe Elliott	DBE	19/05/2025	3 years	19/05/2025	18/05/2028
Foundation governors	Billie Evetts-Darby	PCC	10/03/2025	3 years	10/03/2025	09/03/2028
Foundation governors	Fr Andrew Fisher	DBE	13/11/2017	3 years	13/11/2023	12/11/2026
Foundation governors	David Maddison	DBE	25/03/2019	3 years	25/03/2025	24/03/2028
Foundation governors	Chidi Ogbuka	DBE	23/03/2026	3 years	23/03/2026	22/03/2029
Foundation governors	Maureen Pates	DBE	01/08/2016	3 years	01/08/2025	31/07/2028
Foundation governors	Karen Slack - Chair	Transform Trust	01/08/2016	3 years	01/08/2025	31/07/2028
Headteachers	Julia Burge	Ex-Officio	01/05/2024	-	-	-
Parent governors	Cassandra Nelson	Parent appointed by GB/ board due to no election candidates.	23/03/2026	3 years	23/03/2026	22/03/2029
Parent governors	Natalia Thomas	Elected by parents	14/02/2025	3 years	14/02/2025	13/02/2028
Staff governors	Emma Bell	Elected by staff	01/09/2016	3 years	01/09/2025	31/08/2028
Trust Governors	Rachel Hannon	Transform Trust	01/09/2023	3 years	01/09/2023	31/08/2026

Historical Member Records

Name	Governor Type	First Appointed	From	To	Leaving Date
Andrea Shearing	Foundation governor	19/05/2025	19/05/2025	18/05/2028	27/11/2025

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Register of interests 21.07.2026

Current governing board

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	Expiry date	From	To
Name: Emma Bell Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: Elected by staff	Confirmed: 29/09/2025	Other professional roles or information	Employed by School	-	-	30/09/2022	-
Name: Julia Burge Appointment: Headteacher Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: Ex-Officio	Confirmed: 05/02/2026	Transform Trust	Business or finance interests	Employed by Bulwell St Mary's Primary and Nursery school	-	29/04/2024	-
Name: Julia Burge Appointment: Headteacher Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: Ex-Officio	Confirmed: 05/02/2026	Ruslyn Park Primary and Nursery School	Other governance role	Governor at Ruslyn Park Primary and Nursery School	-	17/03/2022	-
Name: Julia Burge Appointment: Headteacher Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: Ex-Officio	Confirmed: 05/02/2026	Transform Trust	Business or finance interests	Employed as the headteacher at Bulwell St Mary's Primary and Nursery School	-	29/04/2024	-
Name: Julia Burge Appointment: Headteacher Term of office start: - Term of office end: - Appointed by: Ex-Officio	Confirmed: 05/02/2026	Deccan Board of Education	Other governance role	I am an elected member of the DBE	-	28/01/2026	-
Name: Jan Elliott Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Nothing to Declare: 04/06/2025	-	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Rilla Ruffin-Orliff Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: C.C.	Nothing to Declare: 15/06/2025	-	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Andrew Fisher Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/11/2023 Term of office end: 31/10/2026 Appointed by: CDE	Confirmed: 03/09/2025	Other professional roles or information	Porch Priest, Trustee and Chair of Freshfield Church Council St Mary's	-	-	30/06/2022	-
Name: Rachel Narnon Appointment: Trust Governor Term of office start: 01/09/2023 Term of office end: 31/08/2026 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 29/09/2025	Chief People Officer	Chief People Officer Employed by Transform Trust	-	-	30/09/2022	-
Name: Rachel Narnon Appointment: Trust Governor Term of office start: 01/09/2023 Term of office end: 31/08/2026 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 29/09/2025	Bulwell St Marys C of E Primary School	LGB Governor	-	-	01/09/2023	-
Name: Rachel Narnon Appointment: Trust Governor Term of office start: 01/09/2023 Term of office end: 31/08/2026 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 29/09/2025	Woodland View Primary School	LGB Governor	-	-	01/09/2024	-
Name: David Maddison Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 25/03/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Confirmed: 08/10/2025	Chair of Governors	Bulwell Madras Primary Academy	Budhil Trust	-	-	-
Name: David Maddison Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 25/03/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Confirmed: 08/10/2025	Langold Dwyer Primary School	Other governance role	Chair of Governors	-	20/06/2024	-
Name: David Maddison Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 25/03/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Confirmed: 08/10/2025	Karavell Primary School	Other governance role	Chair of Governors	-	20/06/2024	-
Name: David Maddison Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 25/03/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Confirmed: 08/10/2025	Table Tennis England	Table Tennis	Committee involvement: TTE National Development Committee	-	01/06/2024	-
Name: David Maddison Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 25/03/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Confirmed: 08/10/2025	Bulwell United Reformed Church	Church Leadership	Elder	-	01/01/1990	-
Name: Camerdy Casey Nelson Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 25/03/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: Parent appointed by GfEboard due to no elector candidates	Nothing to Declare: 28/04/2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Chel Ogburn Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 25/03/2026 Term of office end: 31/08/2029 Appointed by: CDE	Nothing to Declare: 16/04/2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Haumen Patel Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE	Nothing to Declare: 01/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Karen Slack Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/07/2028 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 03/09/2025	Other professional roles or information	Self Employed School Improvement Advisor for Transform Trust	-	-	30/06/2022	-
Name: Karen Slack Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/07/2028 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 03/09/2025	Other professional roles or information	Flying High Teaching Hub - Quality Assurance for ECTs	-	-	30/09/2022	-
Name: Karen Slack Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/07/2028 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 03/09/2025	Business interest	Contracted to provide LIT services to Transform Trust schools	-	-	30/09/2022	-
Name: Karen Slack Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/07/2028 Appointed by: Transform Trust	Confirmed: 03/09/2025	Ofsted	Business or finance interests	-	-	01/09/2015	-
Name: Natalie Thomas Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 14/02/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: Elected by parents	Confirmed: 28/09/2025	Other professional roles or information	Child and Family Support Worker - Flying High Trust	-	-	06/12/2021	-
Name: Natalie Thomas Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 14/02/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: Elected by parents	Confirmed: 28/09/2025	OPE	Business or finance interests	Part of the Support Staff Reference Group	-	15/09/2025	-

Historical positions

Name	Confirmed	Appointment	Term of Interest	Interests		From	To
				Notes	Notes		
Name: Andrea Shearing Appointment: Foundation governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2028 Appointed by: CDE Effective removal date: 27/11/2025	Confirmed: 18/09/2025	Walsgrave Primary School	Other governance role	-	-	11/10/2023	10/10/2027

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Attendance 2025-2026

Y = Attended, N = Apologies Accepted, NA = Apologies not Accepted, NS = No Apologies sent, ? = Attendance Not Marked, Blank = Not Required, CA = Consent for absence, - = Not applicable

Governor	Governor Type	Autumn 1 29 Sep 2025	Autumn 2 27 Nov 2025	Spring 1 09 Feb 2026	Spring 2 23 Mar 2026	Summer 1 18 May 2026	Summer 2 29 Jun 2026
Emma Bell	Staff governor	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Julia Burge	Headteacher	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zoe Elliott	Foundation governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Billie Evetts-Darby	Foundation governor	N	Y	NS	Y	NS	Y
Fr Andrew Fisher	Foundation governor	NS	N	N	N	Y	Y
Rachel Hannon	Trust Governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Maddison	Foundation governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Cassandra Nelson	Parent governor				Y	Y	Y
Chidi Ogbuka	Foundation governor				Y	NS	Y
Maureen Pates	Foundation governor	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Andrea Shearing	Foundation governor	NS	NS				
Karen Slack	Foundation governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Natalia Thomas	Parent governor	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y

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Emma Bell	Staff governor	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Julia Burge	Headteacher	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Colin Eley	Parent governor	Y	N				
Zoe Elliott	Foundation governor					Y	Y
Billie Evetts-Darby	Foundation governor				Y	Y	N
Fr Andrew Fisher	Foundation governor	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
Rachel Hannon	Trust Governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Maddison	Foundation governor	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Maureen Pates	Foundation governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Andrea Shearing	Foundation governor					Y	NS
Karen Slack	Foundation governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Natalia Thomas	Parent governor	Y	Y		Y	Y	N