

Register of Information about the Governing Body of St Patrick’s Catholic Primary School, Kentish Town – updated 29.09.2023

The Governing Body re-constituted on 12th January 2015. The majority of governors in a Catholic school such as St Joseph’s are Foundation Governors, appointed in the name of the Archbishop of Westminster. Foundation Governors have a legal duty to preserve and develop the Catholic character of the school and to ensure that the school is conducted in accordance with its Trust Deed.

Full Name	Category of Governor (Elected/ Appointed by)	Term of office – including end date	Committees	Responsibilities <i>(Include e.g. Chairs’ and Vice Chairs’ of FGB and committees and named governors such as safeguarding)</i>	Details of being a Governor at any other Educational Establishments	Interests <i>(e.g. business, pecuniary and material interests that might have dealings with the school, and /or any personal relationship between governors and members of staff)</i>	Meetings attended in the previous academic year
Moya Richardson	Executive Headteacher (Ex officio)	N.A.	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Executive Headteacher	Executive Headteacher of Our Lady’s, Camden; St Eugene de Mazenod, Camden; and St Joseph’s, Covent Garden	None	4/4 100%
Emma O’Reilly	Head of School	01/09/2023 – 31/08/2024	Admissions; FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Head of School	None	None	2/2 100%
Gemma Charles-Merrifield	Elected Staff Governor (elected by staff)	29.09.2023 – 31.08.2024	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Year 2 Teacher and Assistant English and Phonics Lead	None	None	N/A
Margaret Harvey	Foundation Governor (Archbishop of Westminster)	01/12/2022 – 31/08/2026	Admissions; FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Chair of Governors; Safeguarding, Child Protection; Reading; Year 2 class link governor	Chair of Governors at St Joseph’s, Covent garden	None	9/9 100%
Fr John Deehan	Foundation Governor (Archbishop of Westminster)	01/09/2023 – 31/08/2027	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Vice-Chair of Governors; Parish Priest (Our Lady Help of Christians) and School Chaplain; RE, Worship and Catholic Life of the School; Year 5 class link governor	None	None	10/10 100%

Cathy Purves	Local Authority Governor	09/07/2022 – 08/07/2026	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Attendance and Punctuality; SEND and Higher Attainers; Year 6 class link governor	None	None	10/11 91%
Rory Hearty*	Foundation Governor (Archbishop of Westminster)	01/10/2022 – 31/08/2026	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Health and Safety; Website Compliance; Year 4 class link governor	None	None	11/11 100%
Catherine Morton-Abuah	Foundation Governor (Archbishop of Westminster)	01/09/2022 – 31/08/2026	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Disadvantaged and Looked after pupils; Year 3 class link governor	None	None	6/10 60%
Jenny Rossiter	Foundation Governor (Archbishop of Westminster)	01/09/2022 – 31/08/2026	FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Personal Development (incl. RHSEd, supporting good mental health and SMSC; EYFS class link governor	None	None	6/10 60%
Vacancy	Foundation Governor (Archbishop of Westminster)		FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum	Year 1 class link governor			
Vacancy	Appointed Parent Governor (elected by parents)		FGB; Resources; Achievement & Curriculum				
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* Parent of a pupil at the school. All governors listed above have voting rights. No governors have spouses, partners or relatives who are employees of any staff at the school.

Advisers to the Governing Body

Juliette Jackson – Executive Principal

Frank Swan – Partnership School Business Manager

Full Governing Body Meeting

All governors

Achievement and Curriculum Committee

All governors

Resources Committee

All governors

Admissions Committee

Chair of governors

Head of School

Staff Discipline and Competency

Chair of governors + 1 other

Staff Appeals Committee

Chair of governors + 1 other

Pupil Discipline Committee

Chair of governors + 2 others

Complaints Committee

Chair of governors + 2 others

Governors for Executive Headteacher's Performance Management

Chair of Governors in each of the four Catholic schools