

trust us to create standout schools

Declaration of Business Interests

Members

#	Name	Appointed By	Term of Office	Trust Position	Name of Business / Relationship	Nature of Business / Relationship	Nature of Interest	Date interest began
1	Gurinder Singh Josan	Members		Member Trustee	The Labour Party	Other governance role	Member of the National Executive Committee; Officer of The Labour Party	2020
							Member of Parliament – Smethwick	2024
					Hope not Hate	Other governance role	Chair of Trust Board	2014
					Holly Lodge High School	Other governance role	Governor	2014
					Devonshire Infant & Juniors	Other governance role	Academy Councillor	2014
2	Ayo Ajanaku	Members		Member	Western Elms and Circuit Lane Surgeries	Employment	Partner	2020

							Member of Parliament – Smethwick	
					Hope not Hate	Other governance role	Chair of Trust Board	2014
					Holly Lodge High School	Other governance role	Governor	2014
					Devonshire Infant & Juniors	Other governance role	Academy Councillor	2014
2	Rob Elkington	Members		Trustee	University of Wolverhampton	Employment	Employee	2013
3	Alison Young	Members		Trustee	None declared			
4	Prem Gabbi	Members		Trustee	NHS	Other governance role	Non-Exec Director	2025
5	Sharon Mahli	Members		Trustee	The Royal Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust	Other governance role / Employment	Executive Director / Board Member	2022
6	Luke Hill	Members		Trustee	Paragon Living Space Holdings Ltd	Business interest	Shareholder	2022
					HBH Group	Business interest	Director	2015
					Iceni Ltd	Business interest	Director	1998
					Wolf Corporate Services Ltd	Business interest		2023
					Paragon Care Holdings Limited	Business interest		2022
7	Michelle Haywood	Members		Trustee	Best Practice Network	Employment	Training consultant	2025
					Ordinary Classrooms Education Consultancy	Employment	Training consultant	2025
8	Shafiq Sharif	Members		Trustee	Anderton Park School – Birmingham	Other governance role	Associate governor	2005

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1	Sharron Philpot	Trustees	n/a	CEO	Victoria Enterprises CIC	Other governance role	Director	2019
					Derby Diocesan Academy Trust	Other governance role	Trustee	2023
					Department of Education	Employment	RISE Advisor	2025
2	Ian Kirby	CEO	n/a	COO	Victoria Enterprises CIC	Other governance role	Director	2019
					St Andrews First School	Other governance role	Finance Governor	2025
3	Hayley Mapp	CEO	n/a	Director of schools	Victoria Enterprises CIC	Other governance role	Director	2019
4	Kate Tewley	CEO	n/a	Director of schools	None declared			