

Reeth and Gunnerside Schools



Governing Board Contact List 2025-26

Last reconstitution date: 15th May 2025. The Full Governing Board meeting 8 times per year.

Name of Governor	Governor Type	Start Date of current term of office	Date that current term of office expires	Appointing Body	Business and pecuniary interests. Details of any other establishments governed. Relationships between governors and members of the school staff.	% Attendance at meetings over the last academic year (2023-24)	Telephone Nos. / Email
Mrs Brenda Price (Chair)	Co-opted	27 Nov 2018 (initial start Jan 2016 as Parent Gov)	14 May 2029	Governing Board	Director in the Dales Bike Centre which offers bike hire, bike activities, equipment and a café service within the local area.	100%	bprice@rg-schools.org.uk
Mr Keith Webster (Vice Chair)	Co-opted	27 Nov 2018 (third term)	14 May 2029	Governing Board		78%	Contact via school, 01748 884308
Mr Richard Sharp (Vice Chair)	LA Governor	27 March 2022 (second term as LA Governor) (initial start May 16 as co-opted Gov)	14 May 2029	Governing Board, (Nominated by Local Authority)		89%	rsharp@rg-schools.org.uk
Mr Gordon Stainsby	Staff (ex officio)	1 Sept 2014	n/a	n/a	Spouse of Katie Stainsby, teacher at the schools.	100%	headteacher@rg-schools.org.uk
Tom Fremlin	Staff	1 Oct 2022	30 Sept 2026	Staff	Teacher in school.	78%	tfremlin@rg-schools.org.uk
Mrs Jackie McCartney	Foundation (ex officio)	1 Jan 2020 (initial start Jan 2020, then reappointed)	31 Dec 2027	The Superintendent Minister of the North Yorkshire Dales Methodist Circuit		78%	jmccartney@rg-schools.org.uk
Rev Julia Reid	Foundation (ex officio)	2 Sept 2024	1 Sept 2028	The Superintendent Minister of the North Yorkshire Dales Methodist Circuit		-	jreid@rg-schools.org.uk
Mr Mike Keenan	Co-opted	27 Nov 2018 (initial start Oct 2017, then reappointed)	14 May 2029	Governing Board	Director in Hudson House.	89%	mkeenanan@rg-schools.org.uk
Mrs Sadie Bainbridge	Co-op	02 Mar 2021 (initial start Apr 2016 as Parent Gov, Associate Gov, then Parent Gov)	14 May 2029	Governing Board		67%	sbainbridge@rg-schools.org.uk
Lucy Coates	Parent	4 Apr 2025	3 Apr 2029	Parents	Spouse of Daryl Coates, transport provider to school and NYC.	-	lcoates@rg-schools.org.uk
Peter Burge	Parent	4 Apr 2025	3 Apr 2029	Parents		-	pburge@rg-schools.org.uk
Katherine Golding	Associate	15 May 2025	14 May 2026	Governing Board		-	kgolding@rg-schools.org.uk
Julie Bissicks	Associate	15 May 2025	14 May 2026	Governing Board		-	jbissicks@rg-schools.org.uk
Miss Julie Doyle	Clerk to GB		N/A			-	julie.doyle@northyorks.gov.uk

Previous Governors from past 12 months							
Rev Melanie Reed	Foundation (ex officio)	17 Oct 2022	31 Aug 2024	The Superintendent Minister of the North Yorkshire Dales Methodist Circuit		63%	
Jessica Holliday	Parent	17 Oct 2022	11 Oct 2024	Parents		22%	

There are currently no separate committees of the Governing Board. There are currently 2 associate members, as listed above.