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TRUSTEES AND MEMBERS (the term of office for any Trustee is four years. Any Trustee may be re-appointed, subject to eligibility)							
Dr. Sarah Charles (Chair of the Board, Education and Standards Committee Chair, Trustee and Member) *Appointed by Members as a Trustee on 28/3/2019. Re-appointed 15/12/2022.* *Appointed by Members as a Member on 11/7/2024. Became an ex-officio Member upon adoption of the new Articles on 10/11/2025.*	University of Derby	Education / Teacher training	Employee and supply of ITE students within DDAT schools	Sep 2006		27/03/2019	23/10/2026
	Derby Royal School for the Deaf	Education	Governor	Sep 2024	Sep 2026	14/10/2024	
	Embark Federation	Education	Member	Sep 2020		14/07/2021	
	Potentia Teaching School Hub (TSH)	Education	Strategic Board Member	Sep 2024		22/10/2025	
	George Spencer Teaching School Hub (TSH)	Education	Strategic Board Member	Sep 2024		22/10/2025	
	Odyssey Collaborative Trust	Education	Trustee	Sep 2018		14/07/2021	
	Central Co-operative Learning Trust	Education	Trustee	Sep 2017		14/07/2021	
	University of Derby Governing Council	Education	Member	Sep 2021		14/07/2021	
John Kelly (Vice Chair, Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee and Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 25/5/2023*	Howick Consulting Ltd	Consulting Firm	Owner and Director	Apr 2022	Feb 2026	21/04/2023	23/10/2026
	Ashbourne Golf Club	Sport Activities	Director	Sep 2025		17/10/2025	
	Wirral Methodist Housing Association	Social Housing	Non Executive Director	Jan 2025		10/01/2025	
	East Midlands Ambulance Service Trust	Healthcare	Non Executive Director	Mar 2025		26/02/2025	
	Birmingham Bank Ltd	Financial services	Head of Business Transformation	Oct 2023	Jul 2024	14/10/2023	
Revd Robert Atkins (Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 17/12/2024*	Odyssey Collaborative Trust	Education	Member	Jun 2021		06/12/2024	23/10/2026
	Diocese of Derby	Religious	Associate Priest at the Cathedral Church of All Saints, Derby	Mar 2019		06/12/2024	
	Chaplaincy Derbyshire	Chaplaincy	Trustee and Vice Chair	Apr 2022		06/12/2024	
	Chartered Institute of Public Finance & Accountancy	Professional Accountancy Body	Member of the Conduct Investigations Committee	Dec 2023		06/12/2024	
	Derby Cathedral School	Education	Exam Invigilator	Feb 2023		06/12/2024	

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Kevin Downs (Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 17/12/2024*	SKD Consulting Ltd	Education	Director and Company Secretary	Feb 2010		14/01/2025	10/07/2026
	South Derbyshire CVS	Community Support Charity	Trustee	Sep 2022		14/01/2025	
Susan Whyld (Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 29/6/2023. Became the DCM appointed Trustee upon adoption of the new Articles on 10/11/2025.*	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Trustee	Jan 2025		08/10/2024	23/10/2026
	Derby Cathedral / The Chapter of Derby Cathedral	Charity / religious organisation	Member of Chapter and Charity Trustee	Apr 2026		04/09/2026	
	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Co-Opted Trustee	Sep 2024	Dec 2024	08/10/2024	
	Newbold CofE Primary School	Education	Trust Governor	Sep 2014	Dec 2023	19/06/2023	
	Christ Church CofE Primary School	Education	Trust Governor	Jul 2018	Mar 2024	19/06/2023	
Sharron Philpot (Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 25/5/2023*	Victoria Academies Trust	Education	CEO	Oct 2020		20/04/2023	29/06/2026
	Sandwell Priority Education Investment Area Board	Education	Board Member	Sep 2022	01/03/2025	17/10/2023	
	Haybridge Teaching School Hub	Education	Strategic Board Member	Oct 2023	Oct 2024	04/02/2025	
	David Brewin, Deputy Head teacher, Fibbersley Park Academy	Education	Partner	Sep 2023	Dec 2025	17/10/2023	
	Shaw Education Trust	Education	Member	Jun 2026		26/06/2026	
	Department of Education	Civil Service	RISE Advisor (employee)	Apr 2025		29/04/2025	
	Victoria Academies Trust	Social Enterprise CIC	CEO	Sep 2022		20/04/2023	
R Peter Upton (Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 25/5/2023*	K2P2 International	Consulting Firm	Owner and Director	Jun 2016		11/05/2023	10/07/2026
	United World Schools (UWS)	Education Charity	Trustee	Apr 2021		11/05/2023	
	Edinburgh Napier University	Education	Court Member	Jan 2021		11/05/2023	

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Victoria Palmer (Trustee) *Appointed by Trustees on 1/9/2026*	Polaris Children's Services	Education Provider	Headteacher, Sutherland School	Jan 2026		18/08/2026	23/10/2026
	Stoke Golding Parish Council	Local Parish Council	Chair	May 2024		18/08/2026	
	Stoke Golding Women's Hall Charity	Local charity	Representative of Parish Council Trustee	May 2021		18/08/2026	
C Justin Wilson (Chair of the Finance and Resources Committee and Trustee) *Appointed by Members on 19/5/2022. Re-appointed 19/5/2026.*	Eden Boys and Eden Girls, Manchester (Star Academies)	Education	Local Governor	Oct 2017		01/11/2023	23/10/2026
	Lead To	Governance Services	Consultant	Aug 2026		30/08/2026	
	Mutual Ventures Ltd	Public Services Consultancy	Consultant	Aug 2026		30/08/2026	
	Greenside Associates	Educational Consultancy	Owner	Oct 2023		17/10/2023	
	EBM (Education Business Management) Ltd	Education Business Management	Associate	Oct 2023		17/10/2023	
	Enlightened HR Services Ltd	Human Resources	Shareholder/Director	Jul 2022	Dec 2022	20/04/2022	
	Archbishop of York's Youth Trust	Charity	Member/Director	Mar 2019	Feb 2023	20/04/2022	
Sarah Anderson (Representing the Diocesan Corporate Member (DCM) effective 1/9/2026)	Embark MAT	Education	Member	Sep 2026		01/09/2026	01/09/2026
	ACE MAT	Education	Member	Sep 2026		01/09/2026	
	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Director of Education	Sep 2026		01/09/2026	
Helen Auty (Trustee) *Appointed by Trustees 23/10/2026*	Stretchline Group	Manufacturer of narrow elastics and elastomeric yarns	Head of Legal and Compliance	Oct 2022		02/10/2026	23/10/2026
Michael Lawrence (Trustee) *Appointed by Trustees 23/10/2026*	Astra Zeneca	Pharmacuiticals	Employee and Shareholder	Jan 2022		07/10/2026	23/10/2026
Aimée Tinkler (Member appointed by the DCM on 27/8/2026)	Archway Learning Trust	Education	Trustee	Sep 2025		30/07/2026	30/07/2026
	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Trustee	Feb 2023		30/07/2026	
	Chartered College of Teaching	Charity and Professional Body	Trustee	Aug 2018		30/07/2026	

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William Hagger (Member appointed by the DCM on 10/11/2025)	Derby Diocesan Board of Finance	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Employee Diocesan Secretary / Company Secretary	May 2023		26/02/2026	26/02/2026
	ACE Derbyshire	Education (Multi Academy Trust)	Member	Feb 2024		26/02/2026	
	National Church Institutions	Church of England	Member of national programme boards - Net Zero and Church Housing Project	Nov 2024		26/02/2026	
SENIOR STAFF AND ACCOUNTING OFFICER							
Dr. Sarah Clark (CEO and Accounting Officer) *Appointed by Trustees 15/5/23*	none					24/04/2023	23/10/2026
Jackie Stirland (Deputy CEO)	Kristian Thomas Company	Performing Arts	Personal	Jan 2017		12/09/2024	23/10/2026
Pat Mosley (Chief Financial Officer)	none					17/10/2025	23/10/2026
Kieren Done (Chief Operating Officer)	none					02/09/2026	23/10/2026
Andrew Martin (Director of Projects and Procurement)	Acumen Associates Limited	Educational Services	Owner and Director	Jun 2008		26/02/2026	23/10/2026
	The Children's Literacy Charity	Charity	Trustee	Jun 2017		27/02/2026	

Previous Trustees, Members or Company Officers (last 12 months)

Elizabeth (Liz) Seymour (Representing the Diocesan Corporate Member (DCM))	All Saints CE Primary School, Coalville	Education	Foundation Governor and Chair	May 2023		04/11/2025	25/02/2026
	Sir John Moore CE Primary School	Education	Vice-Chair of Governors	May 2024	Nov 2025	04/11/2025	
	Embark MAT	Education	Member	Nov 2025		19/02/2026	
	ACE MAT	Education	Member	Nov 2025		19/02/2026	
	BRW Solutions Ltd	School Library	Sister and Nephew Directors of Company	Oct 2012		04/11/2025	
	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Acting Director of Education	Nov 2025		04/11/2025	

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Jonathan Keay (Trustee) resigned 31/08/2026 *Appointed by Trustees on 13/2/2026*	The Creative Learning Partnership Trust	Education	Deputy CEO / Director of Education	Dec 2024		13/02/2026	10/07/2026
	The Golden Thread Teaching School Board	Education	Member of the Maths Hub	Mar 2024		13/02/2026	
The Rt Revd Malcolm Macnaughton Bishop of Repton resigned 27/08/2026 (Member appointed by the DCM)	Derby Diocesan Board of Finance	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Trustee	Apr 2021	Apr 2026	30/06/2026	30/06/2026
	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	Trustee	Jun 2021	Apr 2026	30/06/2026	
	Peter Cowley Africa Trust	Charity	Trustee	Apr 1994		15/12/2022	
	Love Burundi Charitable Trust	Charity	Trustee	Mar 2020		15/12/2022	
Mark Emly (Trustee) resigned 18/05/2026 *Appointed by Members on 19/5/2022*	MRJF Consultancy	Education Consultancy	Shareholder/Director	Jul 2019	Feb 2024	11/04/2022	22/05/2026
	Tamworth Samaritans	Charity	Trustee	Dec 2023		18/12/2023	
	All Saints Primary School, Alrewas	Education	Chair of Governors and member of the PCC	Sep 2022		15/10/2023	
	Esteem MAT Trust	Education	Trustee and Vice Chair	Apr 2025		17/06/2025	
	Esteem MAT Trust	Education	Trustee and Chair	Jun 2018	Apr 2025	26/09/2022	
Karen Beamish (Trustee) resigned 11/05/2026 *Appointed by Members 17/12/2024. Upon adoption of new Articles on 10/11/2025 became a Co-opted Trustee*	Royal Institute of British Architects	Professional Body	Executive Director of Products and Services	Oct 2022		06/12/2024	11/05/2026
Hayley Wharton (Chief Operating Officer)	none					23/06/2022	21/05/2025
Dr. Helen Galbraith (Trustee) resigned 13/2/2026 *Origally appointed by Members on 25/05/2023. Became a Co-opted Trustee following adoption of the new Articles on 10/11/2025.*	University of Chester	Education	Senior Pro Vice-Chancellor and Chief Operating Officer	Jul 2023		21/04/2023	20/11/2025
	Keele University	Education	Academic Registrar & Secretary	Jul 2016	Feb 2021	21/04/2023	
	Association of Heads of University Administration	Professional Association	Honorary Treasurer	Aug 2022		21/04/2023	

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The Rt Revd Elizabeth (Libby) Lane Bishop of Derby (Member - exofficio) Membership ceased automatically on 10/11/2025 on adoption of new Articles (position removed)	St. John's College, Durham	Education	Member, Governing Body	Jun 2016	Oct 2024	02/06/2020	20/11/2025
	Derby Diocesan Board of Education	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	President of the Board, Director	May 2019		02/06/2020	
	The Multi-Faith Centre at the University of Derby	Education/Interfaith Charity	Director, Person with Signficant Control (PSC)	Nov 2019		02/06/2020	
	Derby Diocesan Board of Finance	Corporate body of Diocese of Derby	President of the Board, Director	Feb 2019		02/06/2020	
	The Church of England Children's Society	Charity	Trustee and Chair	Mar 2016		02/06/2020	