

The Mortimer Federation of St John's and St Mary's Governing Board

Membership as at 1st January 2026 is as follows:

Name	Category of Governor	Appointed by	Term of Office	Committees	Other Responsibilities
Charlotte Baggley	Parent	Parents (both schools)	15.07.2025 - 14.7.2029	Curriculum & Standards	Responsibility for: SEND
Geoff Batchelar	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	11.06.2023 - 10.06.2027	Curriculum & Standards Personnel & Pay	Responsibility for: History, Pupil Premium, Children in Care
Clare Beswick	Headteacher	Ex officio	N/A	Admissions (MSM) Buildings & Grounds Curriculum & Standards Finance Personnel & Pay	
Richard Bourne	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	06.09.2022 - 05.09.2026	Admissions (MSM) Buildings & Grounds (Chair) Personnel & Pay	Vice-Chair of Governors Responsibility for: Health and Safety
Father Paul Chaplin	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	16.09.2022 - 15.09.2026	Personnel & Pay Headteacher's Performance Management	Responsibility for: Collective Worship
Colin Harbidge	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	24.06.2025 - 23.06.2029	Buildings & Grounds	Responsibility for: Science
Craig Hassey	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	06.09.2022 - 05.09.2026	Admissions Buildings & Grounds Curriculum & Standards (Chair) Finance	Responsibility for: Geography, Eco Warriors
Shaonee Hillier	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	11.06.2023 - 10.06.2027	Finance (Chair) Headteacher's Performance Management (Chair)	Responsibility for: Mathematics Assessment
Janet Holder	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	28.01.2025 - 27.01.2029	Curriculum & Standards	Responsibility for: Modern Foreign Languages

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Carol Macdonald	Local Authority	West Berkshire District Council	04.07.2023 - 03.07.2027	Admissions (MSM) Personnel & Pay (Chair) Headteacher's Performance Management	Chair of Governors Responsibility for: Early Years
Marjorie McClure	Co-opted	Governing Board	04.10.2022 - 03.10.2026	Finance	Responsibility for: Safeguarding PE Funding
Hakan Onur	Co-opted	Governing Board	26.04.2023 - 25.04.2027	Buildings & Grounds Finance	Responsibility for: Computing
Jeni Pearson	Staff	Staff (both schools)	26.04.2023 - 25.04.2027	Curriculum & Standards	Responsibility for: Staff Liaison
Gemma Rook	Co-opted	Governing Board	04.10.2022 - 03.10.2026	Curriculum & Standards	Responsibility for: Staff Liaison
Scott Seton	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	06.05.2025 - 05.05.2029	Personnel & Pay	Responsibility for: Training and Development English
Father Derek Spears	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	20.08.2024 - 19.08.2028	Admissions (MSM) (Chair) Building & Grounds	Responsibility for: PSHE, Citizenship & Equality Early Career Teaching
Mel Strang	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	11.06.2023 - 10.06.2027	Admissions (MSM) Curriculum & Standards	Responsibility for: SIAMS

All governors have voting rights on the Full Governing Board and any committee of which they are a member unless otherwise stated above.

Register of Business Interests for School Governors

Name	Business/Financial interests	Other Governance roles	Material interests
Charlotte Baggley	Works for Maiden Erleigh Trust	None	None
Geoff Batchelar	None	None	None
Clare Beswick	None	Executive Headteacher of The Mortimer Federation of St John's and St Mary's	None
Richard Bourne	None	None	None
Father Paul Chaplin	None	None	None
Colin Harbidge	Works for Diocese of Winchester	None	None
Craig Hassey	Contract with Capita	None	None
Shaonee Hillier	None	None	None
Janet Holder	None	None	None
Carol Macdonald	Employee of company supplying IT equipment to schools	None	None
Marjorie McClure	None	None	None
Hakan Onur	Employee of Microsoft	None	None
Jeni Pearson	None	Staff Member (MSM)	None
Gemma Rook	None	Staff Member (MSJ)	None
Scott Seton	Employee of Virgin Media O2	None	None
Derek Spears	None	None	None
Mel Strang	None	None	None
Helen Burt (Clerk)	None	None	Supply Teacher at both schools

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Governors who have left in the last two years (as at 15th October 2025):

Name	Category of Governor	Appointed by	Term of Office	Committees	Other Responsibilities
Sarah Theaker	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	11.06.2023 - 10.06.2027 Left April 2024		Responsibility for: Religious and World Views & Collective Worship
Joanne Thomas	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	06.09.2022 - 05.09.2026 Left August 2024	Curriculum & Standards	Responsibility for: Website Design Technology
Claire Woodburn	Parent	Parents (both schools)	10.10.2023 - 9.10.2027 Left September 2024	Curriculum & Standards Finance	Responsibility for: Foundation Stage Modern Foreign Languages
Prof Keith Shine	Foundation	Oxford Diocese	21.04.2021 - 30.04.2025 Left August 2025	Buildings & Grounds Curriculum & Standards (Chair)	Responsibility for: SEND Science
Daniel Hillman	Parent	Parents (both schools)	25.10.2024 - 24.10.2028 Left December 2025	Finance	Responsibility for: Design Technology Creative Arts