

## North Primary School and Nursery Governors' details and the Register of Interests 2025/26

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Mrs Jan Blackwell	Co-opted 31/08/2026	Governing Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Finance</li> <li>Premises</li> <li>Personnel</li> <li>Headteachers' Performance Management</li> <li>Salary Review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair of Governors</li> <li>Safeguarding</li> <li>SEN</li> <li>Child Protection</li> <li>Equalities Governor</li> <li>Behaviour and Attendance</li> <li>Complaints</li> <li>Looked after children</li> </ul>	None - retired	None	100%
Mrs Juliette Maxam	Authority 04/06/2027	Essex County Council	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Personnel</li> <li>Headteachers' Performance Management</li> <li>Salary Review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vice-Chair of Governors</li> </ul>	None	None	71%
Mr Alan Garnett	Headteacher	Ex-officio	All committees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Headteacher</li> </ul>	Headteacher at school  NAHT Branch Secretary  Trustee at Firstsite	None	100%
Mr Stephen Gook	Co-opted 31/08/2026	Governing Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finance</li> <li>Premises</li> <li>Headteachers' Performance Management</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair of Premises Committee</li> <li>Health and Safety</li> </ul>	Owner of Select Properties (Colchester Ltd)  Director of:	None	86%

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					Select Properties (Colchester Ltd)  Tufnell Way Management Co Ltd  Tamarinds Two Management Co Ltd  Brinkley Place Management Co Ltd		
Miss Karen Jacobs	Co-opted 31/10/2026	Governing Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Finance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assistant Headteacher</li> <li>PSHE</li> <li>Looked After Children</li> </ul>	Assistant Headteacher at school	None	100%
Mrs Elspeth Skinner	Co-opted 31/10/2026	Governing Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assistant Headteacher</li> <li>Language and Communication Team Leader</li> <li>Assessment</li> </ul>	Assistant Headteacher at school	None	100%
Mrs Adele Jennings	Co-opted Governor 30/11/2026	Governing Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Personnel</li> <li>Premises</li> <li>Finance</li> <li>Salary Review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair of Finance</li> <li>Data Protection Officer</li> </ul>	Employed by British Red Cross	None	86%

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Mrs Beth Dagge	Co-opted Governor 10/02/2026	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> </ul>		Parent of children in Year 1 and Year 5  Business – Abacus Little Learners LLP	None	90%
Mr Nicorum Flaherty	Co-opted 15/05/2027	Governing Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Personnel</li> </ul>	TBC	Parent of child in Year 4	None	38%
Mr Ben Howard	Parent Governor 28/01/2026	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finance</li> <li>Premises</li> <li>Personnel</li> <li>Salary Review</li> </ul>		Parent of child in Year 5	None	24%
Mrs Claire Mold	Parent Governor 30/11/2026	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Personnel</li> <li>Finance</li> <li>Salary Review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair of Personnel Committee</li> <li>Safeguarding Reviewer</li> <li>Salary Reviewer</li> </ul>		None	59%
Mrs Mubeena Siddiqi	Parent Governor 30/11/2026	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Personnel</li> <li>Salary Review</li> </ul>		Play Therapist – Children and Young Persons Practice at the Centre for Action on Rape and Abuse  Member of British Association of Counselling and	None	65%

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					Psychotherapy (BACP)		
Mr Duncan Stewart	Parent Governor 30/11/2026	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finance</li> <li>Premises</li> </ul>		Parent of child in Year 5	None	29%
Mrs Sarah Hewes	Staff Governor 05/11/2028	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> </ul>		Learning Support Assistant at school  Balcerne F.C Committee member – responsible for social media and marketing	None	100%
Mrs Amanda Sancassani	Clerk to Governors	Governing Body	All committees	Office Manager and PA to Headteacher	Support staff at school	None	100%

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## **Governors who have left the governing body during the last 12 months**

<b>Name of Governor or Associate Member</b>	<b>Category of governor &amp; date term of office ended</b>	<b>Appointing body e.g. Governing Body; Local Authority; Foundation; Diocese</b>	<b>Membership of committees</b>	<b>Positions of responsibility</b>	<b>Relevant business interests that could present a conflict of interest Including whether a governor at another school</b>	<b>Personal relationship (if any) with members of school staff e.g. spouse, partner, relative</b>	<b>Attendance at meetings 2022/23</b>
Mrs Sareta Fontaine	Parent Governor 14/02/2025	Elected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum</li> </ul>		Parent of child in Year 6  Business Owner: Wax Spiritual Director of Fontaine & Fontaine	None	20%

Terms of office as set out in the Instrument of Government  
 Parent, Staff, Co-opted and Authority Governors – 4 year term of office

Headteacher- ex-officio