















CARDINAL POLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

GOVERNING BODY MEMBERSHIP 2023/24

GOVERNOR	CATEGORY	ELECTED BY	APPOINTED/ TERM OF OFFICE REVIEWED	COMMITTEES/RESPONSIBILITIES	REGISTERED INTEREST
Adam Hall 	Headteacher	N/A	N/A	HR, Finance & Premises and Quality of Education & Student Welfare Committees	None
Profile					
<p>I am proud to serve as the Headteacher of Cardinal Pole Catholic School. I have served the school community since 2014 in several senior roles prior to my appointment as Headteacher in September 2022. I have worked in Catholic education for 17 years and have degrees in Theology and Educational Leadership alongside being a serving school inspector.</p> <p>I am deeply committed to ensuring that each student leaves Cardinal Pole as a happy, well-educated, confident young person thoroughly prepared for the next phase of their lives. I truly believe that education is the biggest lever we can pull to positively affect not only individual students, but society more widely.</p>					
Father David Evans 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 2006 Ends 31/8/22	HR, Finance & Premises Committee and Performance Management	Governor at St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School & Chair of the Governing Body at Bishop Challoner Catholic Federation of Schools
Profile					
<p>I am a Foundation Governor at Cardinal Pole and I am an experienced Governor, Chair and Vice Chair at both primary and secondary schools. I am currently the Vice Chairman of the Governing Body and the Parish Priest of St John the Baptist, Hackney and the Dean of the Borough of Hackney. I maintain close links with the school and pupils past and present and am also involved strategically as Vice Chair of Governors and through work on the PDC hearings and Headteacher performance management and the celebration of Mass.</p>					
Justin Madubuko 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 30/8/2012 Ends 30/08/25	Quality of Education & Student Welfare, HR, Finance & Premises Committees, Appeals and Performance Management	Chair of Governors at Holy Family Catholic School, Waltham Forest
Profile					
<p>My name is Justin Madubuko, I am a Foundation Governor and currently Chairman of the Governing Body at Cardinal Pole Catholic School. I became a Governor at this school because many years ago, I as a former pupil and after many years working in commercial banking, I wanted to vocate my time to supporting the growth of this school due to my earlier association with it. I work for Barclays Bank Plc and have done so for the past 11 years, mainly in business banking where I have supported the growth of small businesses right up to multi-million-pound trading companies. My aim as a Governor is to help support the school in achieving the highest standards of education that enable the pupils of this school to aspire to be the best students they can be.</p>					
Angelina John 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 1/10/2015 Ends 31/8/26	Quality of Education & Student Welfare Committee, Performance Management and Appeals	Headteacher at St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School
Profile					
<p>I am currently Headteacher of St Elizabeth Catholic Primary School in the London Borough of Tower Hamlets. I have been a Governor at Cardinal Pole for the past five years and I work closely with them on primary liaison. I am passionate about education and ensuring our young people have as many opportunities as possible. In my spare time I love reading and travelling to experience the world.</p>					

<p>Father Patrick Allsop</p> 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 01/01/19 Ends 31/8/26	HR, Finance & Premises Committee, Performance Management and Appeals	Governor at St Dominic's Catholic Primary School, Homerton
<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I was appointed Parish Priest of Homerton in September 2018. I celebrate the Year Group Masses at Cardinal Pole Catholic School every week. I have degrees from Cambridge, Oxford and London Universities. I spent most of my career as an Anglican School Chaplain in secondary schools. I was a Chief Examiner at A Level Religious Studies, and have been a Principal Examiner for New Testament, Christian Doctrine and Philosophy. My leisure activities are reading, classical music and gardening.</p>					
<p>Francis Nwofor</p> 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 01/20/21 Ends 31/08/25	Quality of Education & Student Welfare Committee and Appeals	None
<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I am an Azure Infrastructure Specialist at Microsoft. Growing up in Hackney, I recognise the need for mentoring and teachers, colleagues, friends, family, and strangers alike have all come together at different stages of my life to educate me and shape me into the individual I am today. Without these mentors, I do not think I would be who I am today. My motivation is quite transparent, I would like to help others the same way people have helped me. I want to see my local community in a position of thrive, I want all the young individuals before me to be able to have a solidified support network whether that starts from school or through various means such as extracurricular activities. I want change, I have been an academic mentor and sporting mentor as I am a leading defensive football coach. I am also a member of several social mobility and educational programmes such as Bright Network, BYP Network, Amos Bursary, Social Mobility Foundation and ReachOut UK.</p>					
<p>Frankie Asante-Agyapong</p> 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 01/03/20 Ends 31/08/27	Quality of Education & Student Welfare Committee and Appeals	Works at St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School
<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I have worked in the education sector for just over four years, most of those years as a teacher. I currently work as an intervention specialist primary school teacher in Maths and English for gifted and talented children and children that require additional support. In addition to this, I tutor gifted and talented year six and seven children. Currently, I hold a BA (Hons) in International Politics, a PGCE in primary education (Mathematics specialism) and I am in the process of attaining an MSc in Human Resource Management. As a newly appointed Foundation Governor, my aim is to assist in the continual successful development of Cardinal Pole and ensure that the climate of learning in the school continues to flourish at the highest quality.</p>					
<p>Ethan Richards</p> 	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 01/03/2024 Ends 31/08/27	HR, Finance & Premises Committee and Appeals	
<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I am a strategic communications and political consultant working in the City of London. As a life-long resident of Hackney and a former student at Cardinal Pole, I have become a Foundation Governor as I am keen to work alongside fellow board members and teachers to continue to maintain the high standards of the school.</p>					

Chanelle Paul	Parent Governor	Cardinal Pole Parents	Commenced 23/10/20 Ends 22/10/24	Quality of Education & Student Welfare and HR, Finance & Premises Committees and Appeals	None
	<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>Through my educational, community outreach experiences and work background my aim as Parent Governor is to help reduce risk and create change of the pressures faced academically by pupils, ensuring policies and guidelines are met with practical measures and meeting standards. I currently work in Facilities Management for two local churches and carry out the role of Community Co-ordinator for a registered charity. During the pandemic I began volunteering to deliver food parcels and explored community outreach by opening a food bank; supporting those who are vulnerable and in need of the community led resource.</p> <p>I am a hands-on parent, invested and committed in supporting ways to nurture a child's potential and well-being as well as supporting the improvement of school standards. Achieving a BA (Hons) in Modern Drama Studies I worked with disadvantaged pupils, allowing me to understand the importance of engaging with young people from various backgrounds in methodical and creative ways to help marginalise the challenges some may experience through the education system. To identify, highlight and provide practical solutions geared in the direction to support the attainment of their educational goals is paramount.</p>				
Tessa Lubrun	Parent Governor	Cardinal Pole Parents	Commenced 02/10/2023 Ends 01/20/2027	HR, Finance & Premises Committee, Quality of Education & Student Welfare and Appeals	
	<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I am a newly appointed Parent Governor. Being born and raised in Hackney, I became a Parent Governor as I wanted to give back to the community and the young people of the Cardinal Pole community. After having two of my children attend the school, I want to support the school and its students to be the best they can be and achieve their full potential.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I enjoy music, travelling and exercise.</p>				
Melissa Gomez	Foundation	Governing Body & The Diocese of Westminster	Commenced 01/01/2023 Ends 31/03/2026	HR, Finance & Premises Committee and Appeals	Works at Newham College.
	<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I am a newly appointed Foundation Governor at Cardinal Pole. I became a Governor having gone to the three Catholic schools in the borough and remain a resident who wanted to give back to young people in Hackney. I am committed to supporting young people to access good education and resources so in turn they can achieve their full true potential. As Director of Human Resources, I have a passion about ensuring that the right person is placed in the right job and they have students at the heart of what they do, so they can contribute to each student's true potential. I am committed to supporting the school to achieve outstanding standards of education and create a positive learning environment.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I enjoy music, reading and travelling around the world.</p>				
Chantay Okunowo-Adedeji	Staff	Cardinal Pole Staff	Commenced 12/05/23 Ends 11/05/27	HR, Finance & Premises Committee and Appeals	None
	<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I am the Staff Governor at Cardinal Pole. I am currently the Pastoral Support Manager for the Sixth Form and will be working part time supporting safeguarding more widely across the whole school from September. I have a background in Psychology and SEN and I aim to use my skills to support children within the community to access their fullest potential. I am committed to supporting young people and have the passion/determination to ensure young people reach their acquired goals.</p>				

<p>Simeon Marriott-Dixon</p> 	Local Authority	London Borough of Hackney	Commenced 18/05/20 Ends 17/05/24	Quality of Education & Student Welfare Committee and Appeals	Senior Youth Support & Development Worker at London Borough of Hackney
<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>As a lifelong resident of Hackney and former pupil at Cardinal Pole Catholic School, I am personally invested in supporting local young people to achieve their true potential through an inclusive and inspiring educational experience.</p> <p>In my professional capacity, I am an experienced youth worker with a passion for utilising sport-based initiatives to promote positive opportunities for young people from disadvantaged backgrounds. As the designated Local Authority Governor for Cardinal Pole, I am responsible for providing the Governing Body with an understanding of the current London Borough of Hackney educational policies and strategic approaches for school improvement.</p>					
<p>Lou Leaves</p> 	Co-Opted	Governing Body	Commence 29/11/23 Ends 28/11/2027	Quality of Education & Student Welfare Committee and Appeals	
<p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>I am the newly appointed Co-opted Governor at Cardinal Pole. I am also a long-standing Governor at Baden Powell Primary School, where both my children went. My son now attends Cardinal Pole and I am interested in ensuring we are looking at all aspects from teaching to communication and parent, child and teacher well-being. I am an executive assistant at a marketing firm and I own my own hair business. I look forward to supporting the school in the best way I can.</p>					