



Blue Coat Church of England Academy

Blue Coat Church of England Academy is a sponsored, standalone academy following conversion in September 2012. The Academy is sponsored by the Diocese of Lichfield Education Trust Ltd. Members are appointed by the Diocese of Lichfield Education Trust Ltd.

The current members are:

- Director of Education, Diocese of Lichfield (Appointment by virtue of position from foundation of Academy Trust in September 2012)
- Chair of Governors, Blue Coat Church of England Academy (Appointment by virtue of position from foundation of Academy Trust in September 2012)
- Steve Rayner (Appointed 1st September 2021)

Governor Information

Name	Category	Appointed by	End of Term of Office
Mr A Clayton	Foundation & Chair	Foundation/sponsor members	30/09/2028
Rev Prebendary J Trood	Foundation	Ex-officio by virtue of office as incumbent of St Matthew's	From: 01/03/2015 (ex officio)
Pastor D Adesina	Foundation	Appointed by foundation/Trust	31/03/2029
Mr R Everitt	Staff	Elected by school staff	18/02/2030
Mrs K Jones	Parent	Elected by parents	17/06/2029
Mr A Orlik	Foundation	Foundation/sponsor members	7/09/2028
Mr D Smith	Principal	Ex-officio by virtue of office as principal	From: 01/09/2016 (ex officio)
Mr M Welton	Foundation	Foundation/sponsor members	30/11/2028
Mrs C Barkley	Parent	Elected by parents	7/02/2028
Mrs S Sargant	Foundation	Foundation/sponsor members	30/09/2030
Mr J Selassie	Co-opted & Vice Chair	Co-opted by Governing Body	05/02/2028
Miss C Francis	Co-opted	Co-opted by Governing Body	26/11/2029

Blue Coat Church of England Academy Attendance at Governing Board and Risk & Audit Meetings 2025/26

Director/ Member	Type	09/10/2025 RA & FGB	27/11/2025 RA & FGB	11/12/25 RA & FGB	11/12/25 AGM	12/2/26 RA & FGB	26/3/26 RA & FGB	21/5/26 RA & FGB	9/7/26 RA & FGB
Debo Adesina	Foundation Director	Y	Y	Y	Y	NS	Y	Y	Y
Gulfaraz Adil	Foundation Director	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Christine Barkley	Parent Director	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NS	Y	Y
Andrew Clayton	Foundation Director	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Mr Richard Everitt	Staff Director	Y	Y	Y	Y	NS	Y	Y	Y
Candice Francis	Co-opted Director	NA	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Mrs Kym Jones	Parent Director	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NS	Y
Mr Anthony Orlik	Foundation Director	N	Y	N	N	N	NS	Y	N
Mrs Lauren Parker	Foundation Director	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mr Stephen Rayner	Member	NA	NA	NA	Y	NA	NA	NA	NA
Jeshurun Selassie	Co-opted Director	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mr David Smith	Principal	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rev Jim Trood	Foundation Ex-Officio Director	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Matthew Welton	Foundation Director	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y

Y= Attended, N=Apologies received, NS=Apologies not received, NA=Not applicable.