



Governors Attendance

Governing Bodies are accountable to parents, the local community and the local authority – they are at the heart of how a school operates and how they undertake their role effects the interests of pupils, staff and the reputation of the school in the community

As part of Tupton Hall's governing body, our governors play a crucial part in ensuring high standards of achievement for all our young people. They help to set our school's vision, ethos and strategy; they hold the headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils, and they oversee our financial performance to make sure our money is spent wisely and we achieve best value. We appreciate the wide range of skills, knowledge and experience that governors bring to our school; and the support and advice they provide is invaluable.

As part of the statutory governance arrangements we record attendance at governing body meetings and sub-committees, but this does not provide a complete picture of our governors' involvement. As well as playing their part at these meetings, they visit and get to know the school, support our staff with specific projects and attend our school events. Many of them work or have other busy roles within the community, so we value the time they are able to give.

The table below shows broad attendance figures for each committee and records for all governors are held in school.

Governor attendance for the meetings held in the Academic Year: September 2015 to July 2016

Full Governing Body Meetings

Date	Eligible governors	Number in attendance	%
9 September 2015	15	12	80%
21 October 2015	15	12	80%
16 December 2015	16	15	94%
2 March 2016	15	11	73%
15 June 2016	15	12	80%
13 July 2016	16	12	75%

Strategy Committee

Date	Eligible governors	Number in attendance	%
14 October 2015	6	5	83%
8 December 2015	6	5	83%
21 January 2016	6	5	83%
23 February 2016	6	5	83%
13 April 2016	6	5	83%

Students & Standards Committee

Date	Eligible governors	Number in attendance	%
29 September 2015	10	6	60%
14 October 2015	9	8	89%
17 November 2015	10	8	80%
19 January 2016	11	8	73%
15 March 2016	11	7	64%
17 May 2016	11	7	64%
5 July 2016	10	7	70%

Resources Committee

Date	Eligible governors	Number in attendance	%
1 October 2015	9	7	78%
11 November 2015	9	8	89%
13 January 2016	9	6	67%
8 March 2016	9	7	78%
20 April 2016	9	8	89%
15 June 2016	9	9	100%

Community Committee

Date	Eligible governors	Number in attendance	%
8 October 2015	10	9	90%
3 December 2015	10	5	50%
4 February 2016	10	7	70%
24 March 2016	10	5	50%