

FULL GOVERN	FULL GOVERNING BOARD MEETING – Part I							
Date/Time	14.09.201 18:00	17	OKEHAMPTON COLLEGE	ROOM 618				
Attendees	Attendees		Category of Governor	Attendees	Initials	Category of Membership		
Derrick Brett		DB	Staff: Head Teacher	Jane Lake	JLA	Local Authority		
Daryll Chapma	Daryll Chapman		Staff: Head Teacher	Marilyn Livingstone	ML	Foundation (Diocese)		
lan Courtney Governors)	lan Courtney (Chair of Governors)		Foundation (Trust)	Jo Pritchard	JP	Parent		
Mary Ellery	Mary Ellery		Co-opted	Tania Skeaping	TS	Foundation (Trust) (Vice Chair of Governors)		
Matthew Green		MGr	Parent	Robert Taylor	RT	Co-opted		
Mike Gurney (Left 17:45) MG		MG	Staff	Philip Whittley	PRW	Staff: Head Teacher		
Ruth Hansford R		RH	Ex Officio Diocese	Tim Williams	THW	Co-opted		
Gavin Jordan		GJ	Co-opted					

Apologies	Initials	(Category of Governor/Membership)	Reason	Absent without Apology	Initials
Christopher Wright	CW	Co-opted			

Support Staff Attendees						
Attendees	Initials		Attendees	Initials		
Imogen Burrage	IB	Acting Head of School, Lydford (Arrived 18:00)				
Dierdre Petersen	DP	Acting Head of School, Boasley Cross				
Angela Restall	AR	Head of School, Highampton				

#### **Support Staff Apologies**

Attendees	Initials		Reason
Cherie Gilbert	CG	Head of School, Exbourne C of E	Family Commitment
Amy Lammas	AL	Head of School, Bridetowe	Evening Appointment
Hugh Lea	HL	Head of School, Northlew & Ashbury P C of E	Family Commitment

In Attendance	Initials	
Gill Tremain	GT	Clerk

Minutes to	
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Quorum 50% of the membership of the Governing Board, which must include either the Executive Principal, or his representative, and the Executive Head Teacher (Primary) or his representative

#### The meeting was quorate



	Agenda	Lead	Paper
1.	Apologies & Declaration of Interests – it is essential that those present declare interests		
	either at the start or throughout the meeting and, where appropriate, leave the room		
	where there is a declaration of interest.		
2.	Welcome Martin Smith - DTSA Update	MS	18
3.	Elect Chair of Governors	Clerk	
4.	Elect Vice Chair of Governors	Chair	
5.	Elect Chair and Vice Chair of Committees	Chair	
	(a) Finance, Safety & Human Resources Management Group		
	(b) Safeguarding & Behaviour Group		
	(c) Teaching & Learning Challenge Group		
	(d) Marketing & Communications Group		
6.	Confirm Governors appointed end of last academic year with responsibility for the	Chair	
	following specialist areas:		
	Health & Safety – RT		
	<ul> <li>Mental Health &amp; Wellbeing – GJ/ME</li> </ul>		
	Safeguarding – JLA		
	• SEN – ME		
	IT/Online Safety - MGR		
7.	Review Committee Terms of Reference	Chair/All	
	(a) Finance, Safety & Human Resources Management Group		1
	(b) Safeguarding & Behaviour Group		2
	(c) Teaching & Learning Challenge Group		3
	(d) Pay Review Committee		4
	(e) Personnel Issues		5
	(f) Student Attendance		6
	(g) Marketing & Communication		7
	(h) Executive Committee		8
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8.	Agree Committee Membership	Chair/All	
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	in the Federation for the academic year. The Report will be presented to Governors at		
	the Summer Term 2 Meeting		
14.	Appoint Governor representatives to review prospectus, school websites including	Chair/All	
14.	statutory information of curriculum, sports funding, pupil premium and SEND	ChanyAn	
15.	Review College Priorities	DB	15
16.	Ensure date set and trained governors identified for next cycle of Federation Leadership	Chair/All	
10.	Performance Management	Chan / An	
17.	MAT Consultation/Update	DMC	
18.	Read and agree minutes of previous Full Governing Body meetings	Chair/	
_0.	a) Draft Minutes of FGB meeting 6 July 2017 Part I	All	16
	b) Draft Minutes of FGB meeting 6 July 2017 Part II Confidential	, 111	17
	c) Matters Arising		
19.	Date of next meeting:		
	Tuesday 17 October 2017 at Okehampton College 17:00 Room 407		



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The Cha	ir welcomed Angela Restall, newly appointed Head of School at Highampton Prima	ry School, to t	he meeting.	
1	Apologies & Declarations of Interest  Apologies were received and approved from governor: Christopher Wright.			
	Apologies were received and approved from staff support colleagues: Cherie Gilbert, Amy Lammas, Hugh Lee.			
	The Chair reminded those present that conflicts of interest must be declared at the start of the meeting and throughout as issues arise, and to leave the room whilst an item is discussed as appropriate.			
2	<ul> <li>Dartmoor Teaching School Alliance Update (Paper 18)</li> <li>Martin Smith, Director of The Dartmoor Teaching School Alliance, was welcomed to the meeting to present his annual report (paper 18) to the Governing Board. He reported as follows:</li> <li>The Teaching School Alliance has had an excellent start in its opening phase which is reflected in the growth of provision and opportunities available through the Teaching School.</li> <li>The Leadership and Governance is made up of a well balanced Strategic Board, supported by a School Improvement Team, ITT and Professional Development Team and Members' Forum. This leadership structure has contributed to the success of this opening phase. Governors noted the key responsibilities of each of these groups as set out in Paper 18 (page 2 refers).</li> <li>We have appointed an Assistant Director (0.2) to lead teaching school activity in North Devon.</li> <li>Membership has grown steadily from 17 in April 2016 to 68 by July 2017. This breaks down into 20 secondaries and 48 primaries. Member schools are spread across Devon and into Plymouth and Cornwall.</li> <li>Membership fee is £2 per pupil. In a time of financial restraint, we are clear to members about what they get for their fee which includes, half termly Members' Forum meetings, termly Newsletter, Data Leadership Update, Performance Data benchmarking, and Internal RAISE and Inspection Dashboard, Conferences, School Direct ITT Programme, training and quality assurance of System Leaders, Brokerage of school to school support, Subject network meetings, support for research and development projects.</li> <li>For additional fees, member schools can also access Data Reviews, a wide range of CPD courses and programmes, NQT programme, Leadership and Governance programmes.</li> </ul>			



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	We have developed a set of Key Performance Indicators which the	Decision	Kaiseu	
	Strategic Board has approved. These provide a rigorous framework			
	against which we can measure our effectiveness.			
	2016-17, 63% of the targets were met or exceeded and 79% partially met.			
	Those partially met will be taken into the 2017-18 action plan.			
	<ul> <li>In the 2016/17 financial year the Teaching School Alliance made significant</li> </ul>			
	investments in areas of teacher training recruitment, website and			
	developing new services.			
	The impact of the Teaching School Alliance on Okehampton College has			
	seen many positives such as increased opportunities for free access to			
	high quality CPD without the need to travel off-site, staff development			
	through taking on new roles as training facilitators, SLEs and lead			
	practitioners, development of new partnerships through which good			
	practice can be shared, and enabling the College to build capacity as a			
	school that can support school improvement across a large number of			
	schools.			
	There are also some challenges to the College such as managing absence			
	of key staff when they are delivering training or supporting other schools,			
	impact on support staff e.g. finance, administration and reducing			
	availability of meeting and conference space.			
	Benefits to The Dartmoor Federation include access to a wide range of			
	high quality CPD, access to performance data services, access to system			
	leaders (e.g. SLEs) and access to national grants (e.g. new Phonics			
	projects).			
	A SWOT Analysis of the current position shows that the Dartmoor			
	Teaching School Alliance has lots of strengths and opporutnities. There is			
	clarity about what the Teaching School can offer, the model is a			
	progressive and good model and there are lots of outstanding people			
	working with the Teaching School Alliance. In terms of weaknesses,			
	quality assurance of training and school to school support is under-			
	developed, teacher training is still in its infancy and needs to be developed			
	further, some projects have not progressed e.g. closing the gap, the			
	benefits of the Dartmoor TSA have not been consistently shared with			
	Okehampton College and The Dartmoor Federation staff and there is a			
	limited number of system leaders (NLEs, LLEs, NGLs) at headteacher and			
	governance level. Threats were noted.			
	Teaching Schools still sit at the centre of government thinking. There are			
	great opporutnities and the future is about Teaching Schools coming			
	together more closely to align in the same way schools are coming			
	together to share services and rationalise strengths.			
	There are lots of primaries in the central Devon hinterlands missing out			
	on opportunities to improve their schools and build capacity.			



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	Martin is now full time having been commissioned for 1 day per week by the Exeter Teaching School Alliance which is already further increasing opporutnities.	Desidion	Naisca	
	Governors asked the following questions:			
	Q: Why has teacher training not developed satisfactorily and what plans are in place to ensure progress in development?			
	R: Partly because of catchment. The model for the primaries enables us to deliver locally which is perfect for people in the area. With our secondary			
	model, trainees have to go to Exeter for a large amount of the Autumn Term.  People choose the Schools Direct route because they want to be close to			
	home. In this area there are not that many wanting to join the teaching			
	profession and it may be that the way forward is to work with companies in partnership to widen the catchment and get economies scales to make it a			
	really exicting programme and attract people to the area.  Q: Members Fourm – is there consistency in geographical representation and			
	attendance at the half termly members forum meetings?  R: Average attendance at meetings is 30 members but the reality is that			
	Headteacher diaries are so full so some meetings will inevitably have less than average attendance. That said, information from attendees is cascaded to			
	colleagues. In the future we may run Member Forum meetings in different areas such as Barnstaple.			
	Q: Are training needs across the member schools fully catered for and, if not, what proposals are in place to fulfil this?			
	R: Yes; we are able to run courses that are both more effective andcheaper than other providers. Developing Subject Leaders is also very effective			
	because this is an area that has been significantly cut at County.  Q: What are you doing to ensure effective communication with staff at the			
	College?  R: A lot of time has been taken ensuring staff outside of the College are aware			
	of what the Teaching School has to offer but not necessarily College staff. We have presented to Heads of Faculty so they know what the Teaching School			
	Alliance has to offer this year and they will have a copy of our training programme so that this can be fed into the appraisal process. We also			
	<ul><li>propose to talk to all staff about opportunities available to them.</li><li>C: Devon used to have lots of Subject Advisors but they do not have them</li></ul>			
	now. In the College there are pressures on staff and there has to be an awareness of effect on colleagues when staff are taken out of the classroom.			
	R: Agreed and we are looking to bring other people to lead on areas rather than being so reliant on expertise from the College.			
	MS was praised for the incredibly professional branding of The Dartmoor			
	Teaching School Alliance and how the Alliance has gone fron strength to strength in such a short period.			



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	The Chair thanked MS for his presentation; MS left the meeting at 17:45.			
3	Elect Chair of Governors  The Clerk chaired the meeting for this item. Clerk had received one nomination to the seat of Chair of Governors, Mr I Courtney. No further nominations from the room were forthcoming. Mr Courtney confirmed he was willing to serve a further term of office.  Mr I Courtney was UNANIMOUSLY re-elected Chair of Governors for a one year term of office.	Decision	14.09.17	
	Clerk handed the meeting over to the Chair.			
4	Elect Vice Chair of Governors  Mr Courtney took the chair. He informed he had received one nomination, Mrs T Skeaping. No further nominations from the room were forthcoming. Mrs Skeaping confirmed she was willing to serve a further term of office.  Mrs T Skeaping was UNANIMOUSLY re-elected Vice Chair of Governors for a one year term of office.	Decision	14.09.17	
5	Elect Chair and Vice Chair of Committees  The Chair invited nominations for Chair and Vice Chair of the governing board committees. The following appointments were made:			
	(a) Finance, Safety & Human Resources Management Group  Mr I Courtney was UNANIMOUSLY elected Chair of the Finance, Safety &  Human Resources Group for a one year term of office.  Mr T Williams was UNANIMOUSLY elected Vice Chair of the Finance,	Decision  Decision	14.09.17	
	Safety & Human Resources Group for a one year term of office.			
	(b) Safeguarding & Behaviour Group  Mr G Jordan was UNANIMOUSLY elected Chair of the Safeguarding &  Behaviour Group for a one year term of office.	Decision	14.09.17	
	Mrs J Lake was <b>UNANIMOUSLY</b> elected Vice Chair of the Safeguarding & Behaviour Group for a one year term of office.	Decision	14.09.17	
	(c) Teaching & Learning Challenge Group  Dr M Livingstone was UNANIMOUSLY elected Chair of the Teaching &  Learning Challenge Group for a one year term of office.	Decision	14.09.17	
	Mrs T Skeaping was <b>UNANIMOUSLY</b> elected Chair of the Teaching &	Decision	14.09.17	
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	Learning Challenge Group for a one year term of office.			
	(d) Marketing & Communications Group  Following discussion, agreed to disband this group. (See minute 7(g) below)			
	The Chair informed that it is not best practice for both the Chair of Governors and Vice Chair of Governors to chair/vice-chair sub-committees and he asked governors to consider standing in the future.			
6	Confirm Governors appointed end of last academic year with responsibility for the following specialist areas:			
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	<ul> <li>Health &amp; Safety – Mr R Taylor</li> <li>Mental Health &amp; Wellbeing – Mr G Jordan/Ms M Ellery</li> <li>Safeguarding – Mrs J Lake</li> <li>SEN – Ms M Ellery</li> <li>IT/Online Safety – Mr M Green</li> </ul>			
MG left i	l the meeting at 17:45			
IB arrive	d at 18:00			
7	Review Committee Terms of Reference (Papers 1 to 9)			
	(a) Finance, Safety & Human Resources Management Group (Paper 1) – Reviewed. Add points 2 and 4 from Marketing & Comminication Terms of Reference.			
	(b) Safeguarding & Behaviour Group (Paper 2) – Reviewed and updated Membership and Responsibilities points 1 and 9.			
	(c) <b>Teaching &amp; Learning Challenge Group (Paper 3)</b> – Reviewed and updated Membership and Responsibilities points 2, 4, 9, 14 and 15.			
	(d) Pay Review Committee (Paper 4) – Reviewed. No change.			
	(e) Personnel Issues (Paper 5) – Reviewed. No change.			
	(f) Student Attendance (Paper 6) – Reviewed and updated. Committee to renamed 'Student Discipline Committee'			



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	(g) Marketing & Communication (Paper 7) – Reviewed. After lengthy discussion the Full Governing Board UNANIMOUSLY AGREED to disband this committee because the topics are more operational rather than	Decision	14.09.17	
	strategic and it would seem more fitting to set up task and finish groups as and when required. Points 2 and 4 to be incorporated into the Finance, Safety & HR Management Group Terms of reference.			
	Discussion ensued about the importance of publicity and having input from an external source to look at how our schools are marketed and publicity in general. ME <b>agreed</b> to become governor with oversight of publicity.	Decision	14.09.17	
	RH left the meeting at 18:15			
	(h) Executive Committee (Paper 8) – Reviewed and updated Membership and Responsibilities points 1 and 2			
	(i) Associate Members (Paper 9) – Reviewed. No change.			
	The Full Governing Board <b>UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED</b> the following Terms of Reference, subject to amendments noted above:	Decision	14.09.17	
	Finance, Safety & Human Resources Management Group Safeguarding & Behaviour Group			
	Teaching & Learning Challenge Group Pay Review Committee			
	Personnel Issues Comittee Student Discipline Commitee			
	Executive Committee Associate Members			
8	Agree Committee Membership (Paper 10)			
	Committee membership was discussed and governors wished to remain on the same committees as the previous academic year.			
9	Update individual Register of Pecuniary Interests (Paper 11 Tabled)		11.00.17	
	Governors and support members updated their individual Register of Business Interests and returned these to the Clerk. Clerk to contact absentees to ensure their registers are updated and returned.	Action: Clerk	14.09.17	asap

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10	Review and sign NGA Model Governors' Code of Conduct (Paper 12)	Decision	Haisea	
	Governors and support members <b>agreed</b> to sign up to the procedures outlined			
	in the NGA Governor Code of Conduct. Clerk circulated schedule which those			
	present signed to confirm their commitment.			
	Clerk to contact absentees to ensure their registers are updated and returned,	Action:	14.09.17	asap
	and that they sign the schedule to confirm their commitment.	Clerk		
11	Complete NGA Model Governor Skills Matrix (Paper 13)			
	Governors and support members completed the NGA Model Governor Skills			
	Matrix and returned these to the Clerk. Clerk to contact absentees to ensure	Action:		
	their registers are updated and returned. Once all documents have been	Clerk	14.09.17	asap
	returned IC and TS will review to identify skills gaps and put together a training	IC/TS		
	programme for the forthcoming academic year.	,		
12	Governor SFVS (Financial) Competency Skills Matrix (Papers 14 and 14a)			
	Governors and support members updated their individual financial SFVS skills	Action:	14.09.17	asap
	matrix and returned these to the Clerk. Clerk to contact absentees to ensure	Clerk		
	their documents are updated and returned.			
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13	Appoint Governor representative to write Governors' Annual report for			
	2017/18 academic year, to reflect on impact the Governing Board has had on			
	outcomes of pupils in the Federation for the academic year. The Report will			
	be presented to Governors at the Summer Term 2 Meeting			
	Mr G Jordan volunteered to become governor representative to write	Decision	14.09.17	
	Governors' Annual Report. Agreed.			
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14	Appoint Governor representatives to review prospectus, school websites			
	including statutory information of curriculum, sports funding, pupil premium			
	and SEND			
	Mrs M Ellery and Mr M Green volunteered to become governor representative			
	to review prospectus, school websites including statutory information of	Decision	14.09.17	
	curriculum, sports funding, pupil premium and SEND. Agreed.			
	MGr confirmed that he was still in the process of reviewing Federation school			
	websites to ensure statutory compliance.			
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15	Review College Priorities (Paper 15)			
	DB talked governors through the College Priorities as set out in paper 15. Noted			
	that whilst the priorities have not changed the College Senior Leadership Team			
	(SLT) have spent time looking closely at each priority heading to identify areas			
	that need to be developed within those headings for the forthcoming academic			
	year. This information has been published in the staff room because it is			
	important for members of staff to be aware of these more defined areas for			



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	development. This will be driven by members of SLT and reviewed regularly.	200000	Haisea	
	DB asked governors to familiarise themselves with the content of paper 15.			
16	Ensure date set and trained governors identified for next cycle of Federation			
	Leadership Performance Management			
	Noted that the School Improvement Partner will visit the College on Friday 3			
	November 2017 to undertake the Federation Leadership Performance	Action:	14.09.17	
	Management. Programme for the day will be circulated to governors on the	Clerk		
	Pay Review Committee nearer the time.			
17	MAT Consultation/Update			
17	DMC updated as follows:			
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	The consultation period for the proposal to form The Dartmoor Multi-Academy			
	Trust will run for 5 weeks from Monday 18 September to Friday 20 October			
	2017. Formal consultation meetings for Federation staff, parents and members			
	of the community will be held on Wednesday 4 October 2017. Full details will			
	be outlined in the consultation letter that will be sent out to all stakeholders on			
	Monday 18 September.			
	Due diligence exercises are being undertaken for finance, data and premises and			
	Trustees will be meeting on 18 October to receive this information. The Trustees			
	have decided to advertise senior operational positions internally (Chief			
	Operations Officer, 2 Finance Officers, 1 IT Officer, 1 Premises Officer and 1 HR			
	Officer). These posts will be temporary for 1 year and ring fenced to the Senior			
	Administrators/Bursars/Business Managers currently employed across those			
	schools that go into the MAT.			
	No school has pulled out of the process. All Governing Boards will feed back by			
	no later than 17 November their decision following consultation. The decision			
	will be a Yes/No response. Each school's £25k has been pooled to cover costs,			
	the most significant of which is are P S Financials, the market leader in the			
	financial management software.			
	Scheme of Delegation and Articles of Association will be presented to Governors			
	once complete. There will be a Memorandum of Understanding attached to the			
	Articles making it clear that the MAT shares the co-operative values.			
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18	Read and agree minutes of previous Full Governing Body meetings (Papers 16 and 17)			
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	16)			
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	(c) Matters Arising Minute 72 (b)(v) Primary Head Teacher Report Teaching & Learning PRW confirmed that the observation of the Head of School at Bridestowe	Action: PRW	14.09.14	
	will be undertaken next week.  Minute 73 Report on Summer Term Governor Visits  ML will report at the next meeting.	Action: ML	14.09.17	

The meeting closed with governors extending their upport to Angela Restall in her new role as Head of School at Highampton Primary.

	SUMMARY OF CHALLENGE			
2	Dartmoor Teaching School Alliance Update (Paper 18)			
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Minute	SUMMARY OF DECISIONS			
3	Elect Chair of Governors			
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	year term of office.			
4	Elect Vice Chair of Governors			
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Detail of next meeting						
Date/Tin	Full Governing Board Housekeeping Meeting Tuesday 17 October 2017 Location	Okehampton	College Room 407			

Mr Courtney thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

The meeting closed at 19:30

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