

Meet Your Governing Board

Kevin Moyes – Chair of Governors

Governor Type: Local Authority Governor

Term of Office Ends: 13th July 2028

Other Roles: Finance Lead Governor, Community Lead Governor, GDPR Lead Governor, Whistleblowing Governor, Premises (inc. H&S) Lead Governor, Chair of the Headteacher Performance Committee and Pay Committee



Kevin has been governor since 2012 and is currently the Chair of Governors at Five Acres Primary School in Bicester, Carterton Primary School, and Bloxham C.E Primary School in Banbury. Kevin has been the Chair of Governors at 10 primary schools in Oxford, in most cases where the school needs to make significant improvements in governance including chairing four Interim Executive Boards; the first where the school moved from Requires Improvement to Good and the others where the school moved to Requires Improvement during his time there. Kevin also carries out governor training and External Governance Reviews for Oxfordshire's Governor Services. Kevin is a reserve member of the Oxfordshire Schools' Forum and the Oxfordshire Governors' Association. Kevin became a governor because he had a very poor primary school education and wanted to ensure that other children did not have the same experience, because he knew first-hand the challenges this creates. By day Kevin is a Chief People Officer at an international ocean conservation charity and lives in Abingdon with his wife and two daughters.

Kelly Mahon – Vice Chair of Governors

Governor Type: Co-Opted Governor

Term of Office Ends: 1st April 2026

Other Governor Roles: Safeguarding and Child Protection (Including Filtering and Monitoring) Lead Governor, SEND (Inclusion) Lead Governor, Staff (including wellbeing) Lead Governor, Environmental Sustainability Lead Governor and member of the Headteacher Appraisal Committee



Kelly is a Flt Ops officer currently assigned to ASCOT Ops within Aim Mobility Force HQ as a controller. Prior to starting Initial Officer Training in Aug 2017, Kelly graduated from Durham university in 2010 with a 2:2 BA (Hons) degree in Primary Education with qualified teacher status (QTS). She was a primary school teacher of seven years within Middlesbrough where she completed the 'Developing Future Leaders' course, led a range of subjects across the whole school, led teams, developed curriculum's, delivered staff training, and mentored student teachers. Kelly's interests include circuit training, swimming, trying new sporting activities, dog walking and baking.

Emily Tranter

Governor Type: Co-Opted Governor

Term of Office Ends: 27th January 2029

Other Governor Roles: Learning and Teaching (Including Attendance) Deputy Lead Governor and SEND (Inclusion) Deputy Lead Governor



Emily has over 10 years of experience in primary education, with a strong commitment to the well-being and development of all children. She currently works within a primary school as part of the Cambrian Learning Trust and is studying the National Professional Qualification for Special Educational Needs Coordinators (NPQ SENCO).

Emily has experience in senior leadership, giving her a solid understanding of the strategic aspects of running a school. As a Parent, Emily is passionate about ensuring that all children receive a high-quality, inclusive education and is dedicated to supporting both students and staff.

As a military wife, Emily is also aware of the challenges faced by military families, including deployment and relocation, and is committed to supporting the school community through these changes. Emily is fully prepared to dedicate her time and energy to the responsibilities of the governing body and is open to further training to ensure she is well-informed of the governance roles.

Kayleigh Anstee –Headteacher

Governor Type: Ex officio Governor

Term of Office Ends: N/A



Kayleigh is the Headteacher at Gateway Primary School and has been working at the school since 2012 when she joined as a year 3/4 class teacher. Kayleigh has been working in education for 12 years, starting as an Early Years Teaching Assistant before completing her teacher training certification and starting her teaching career in a large primary school in Swindon. As an ex-Gateway pupil herself, and forces child, Kayleigh is passionate about offering all our children the very best during their time with us. Kayleigh lives in Carterton with her husband, two young sons and her Labrador, Bali.

Helen Lynch

Governor Type: Co-opted Governor

Other Governor Roles: Learning and Teaching (including attendance) Lead Governor, Deputy Inclusion Lead Governor and member of the Pay Committee

Term of Office Ends: 7th September 2027



Helen grew up in London and moved to Witney 23 years ago with her partner and three boys. She has been a teacher for 35 years in both London and Oxfordshire. She now works as a Primary maths consultant for Oxfordshire schools. She is passionate at ensuring all children enjoy and attain well in maths through good professional development within schools. Out of work Helen enjoys practicing Pilates and spending time travelling. She volunteers at the local Foodbank. She has been a governor in London schools and is looking forward to developing her role as a Governor in an Oxfordshire school. Helen wanted to become a governor again because she feels that she now has the time to commit her skills to support and work alongside other governors and staff for the benefit of young people and the community they learn in.

Gill Lock

Governor Type: Staff

Governor Term of Office Ends: 11th December 2026



Gill is Originally from Cheshire and Shropshire and relocated to Oxfordshire 20 years ago when her husband was posted to RAF Brize Norton. Since then, Gateway School has been a huge part of her life. Gill has 3 grown up children who all attended Gateway. Gill has worked at the school since 2007 in various roles and now works in the office as the School Business Manager, responsible for finance, HR, Health & Safety, and site contracts. However, Gill still finds time to interact with children throughout the school day and at chess club. Outside of work Gill's hobbies are foreign languages, yoga, and gardening.

Robyn Pearce Jones

Governor Type: Parent Governor

Other Governor Roles: Member of Headteacher Appraisal Panel and Member of the Pay Committee

Term of Office Ends: 29th September 2028



Robyn's children joined the school in May 2023 and since then I have joined the PTA and have enjoyed seeing the difference the money raised can make to the experience children have. Her children were previously at another local school, where she was also part of the PTA Robyn currently works for the University of Oxford, where she is part of the Strategic Projects and Planning team for the Humanities Division. She has completed continuous improvement practitioner training at the University, which promotes the idea that improvement should not be seen as static, it is something we should always be reviewing and monitoring to ensure it is effective. As well as project work, Robyn's role includes a large amount of governance work, including preparing papers, agendas and taking minutes. This has given her a strong grasp of what effective governance looks like and how to get the best out of meetings. Robyn is keen to support the continued improvement across the school.