

St Francis Catholic Primary School Standards Committee

The committee has a general responsibility to advise the Governing body in all areas relating to the delivery of the curriculum, assessment and communication. The committee has powers to make decisions on behalf of the Governing body within the limits of the agreed budget plan. The quorum is FOUR of which the Head Teacher (or her representative) must be one. The committee meets termly. The Chair will be elected at the first meeting of the academic year.

In all the work and decisions that are made the committee makes reference to the Catholic ethos of recognising Christ in everyone.

Terms of Reference

The Standards Committee has delegated responsibility for:

- a) Monitoring the quality of teaching
- b) Monitoring standards and progress in all areas of the school's work relating to children and their learning including:
 - Attainment, including end of KS2 national assessment, end of KS1 and Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS).
 - Assessment and pupil progress including vulnerable groups, pupil premium and Sports Premium.
 - Curriculum Development
 - Personal Development, including spiritual, moral, social and cultural (SMSC)
 - Quality of learning and teaching
 - Behaviour and safety
- c) Checking the school's self-evaluation processes
- d) Contributing towards the School Development Plan. Monitoring and evaluating the SDP
- e) Maintaining an overview of the curriculum offered and ensure statutory regulations are adhered to, including RE and Health Education
- f) Reviewing and monitoring safeguarding procedures and practices to ensure that the school is meeting all statutory requirements and that child well-being is of paramount importance
- g) Ensuring that all stakeholder views are sought, monitored, evaluated and appropriate action taken
- h) Reviewing annually and monitoring the implementation of policies in accordance with the work plan

These terms of reference agreed by the Governing Body	/ /
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Name of Governor/Associate Member	Date Appointed to the Committee

Chair of the Committee	
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Clerk to the Committee	N/A
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Quorum (minimum of 4, including HT or representative of HT, committee can determine higher number)	
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Date Committee established	/ /
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