

Mosaic Federation Governance statement

Federation of Valley View Primary School and Hedworthfield Primary School and Language Unit from 1st September 2017.

The Governing Board of Mosaic Federation works with the Executive Head Teacher to promote and maintain high standards of educational achievement. The core functions of the Governing Board are:

- Ensuring clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction;
- Holding the Executive Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils, and the performance of staff and;
- Overseeing the financial performance of the school, and making sure its money is well spent.

Key issues that have faced the Governing Board during 201-17

- Securing strategic direction of the school during a time of turbulence with government policy changes.
- Successful federation of two schools whilst maintaining a clear focus on school attainment.
- Ensuring high attainment at the end of KS2 through effective performance management and deployment of staff.
- Ensuring all groups of pupils succeed by the end of KS2 especially boys and disadvantaged pupils.

Assessment of the impact of the Governing Board on the school during 2016-17

- Successful and smooth consultation and decision to federate; strengthening the position of each school strategically and financially.
- Preparing the policies, systems and structure of both governance and school to fully support the federation of schools.
- Responding to a change in the funding of schools. This is particularly relevant to the Language unit provision which has seen funding cuts. Securing additional funding and making strategic decision linked to resources and staffing to ensure a positive financial outlook for both schools.
- Succession planning: with a key senior leader proposing retirement the governing board have planned strategically across the federation to ensure clear succession planning and a focus on maintaining the quality of leaderships in all areas of school. Successful appointment has been made.
- Maintaining high levels of achievement across the soft federation in all subjects and working to ensure effective and well measured achievement in the specialist provision.

Composition of the Governing Board

- 4 Parent Governors
- 1 Executive Headteacher
- 1 Staff Governor
- 1 Local Authority Governors
- 8 Co-opted Governors

Committees of the Governing Board

- Resources Committee
- Policy Review Committee
- Complaints Committee
- Standards & Evaluation Committee for Valley View Primary School
- Standards & Evaluation Committee for Hedworthfield Primary School

Chair of Governors

Mr J Watson

Vice Chair of Governors

Linked Valley View

Mr Barry Larvin

Vice Chair of Governors

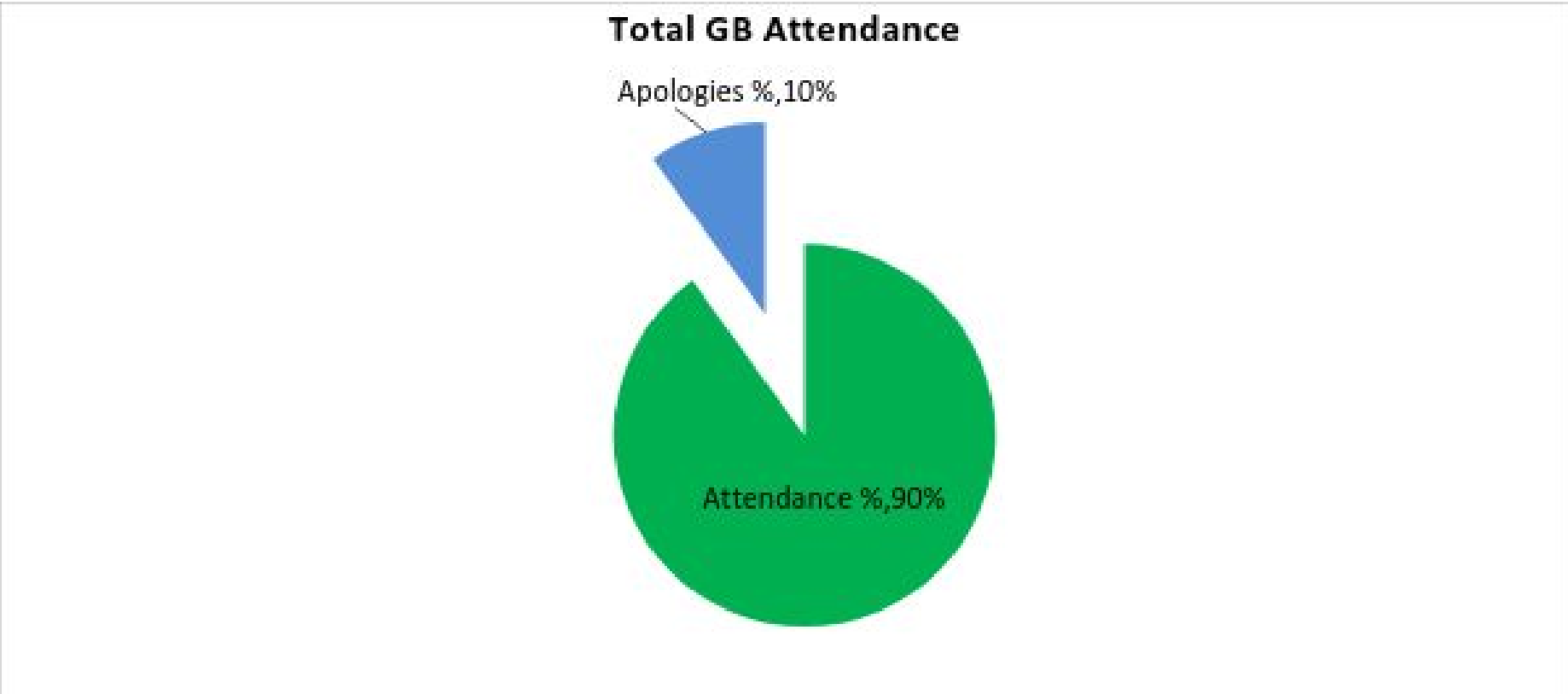
Linked Hedworthfield

Cllr Alan Smith

Please note this data is for the Governing Board of Valley View Primary School which dissolved on 1st September 2017 and was replaced by the Mosaic Federation Governing Board.

Name	Category	Appointing Body	Terms of Office	Committees (if associate member has voting rights)	Official responsibility
Ms Kelly Fuller	Co-opted	Governing Board	09/06/2015 – 08/06/2019	Standards & Evaluation Committee	
Mrs Ruth T Jackson	Co-opted	Governing Board	26/05/2015 – 25/05/2019	Resources Committee	
Mr Mark Johnson	Co-opted	Governing Board	08/01/2015 – 07/01/2019	Resources Committee	
Mr John Watson	Co-opted	Governing Board	08/01/2015 – 07/01/2019	Standards & Evaluation Committee Resources Committee Performance Management Group	Chair of Governors
Mr John Drynan	LEA	Local Authority	22/05/2013 – 21/05/2017	Resources Committee	
Mr Barry Larvin	Parent	Parents	27/11/2012 – 25/11/2016	Standards & Evaluation Committee Performance Management Group	Vice Chair Of Governors Chair Of Standards & Evaluation
Mr Norman Tait	Staff	Staff	08/01/2015 – 09/03/2018	Standards & Evaluation Committee	
Mrs Gemma Jeynes	Head Teacher	Virtue of position	01/09/2010	Resources Committee Standards & Evaluation Committee	

Attendance 2016/17



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