



NORTHBROOK PRIMARY ACADEMY Local Academy Council Membership – 2025-26

| Academy Councillors | Nominating Authority | First Appointed | Term Start | Term End |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| Mrs Jillian Shorrocks | Headteacher | 24 Feb 2025 | 24 Feb 2025 | N/A |
| Mrs Michelle Sumner* | Co-opted by LAC | 27 Sep 2021 | 26 Sept 2025 | 25 Sep 2029 |
| Vacancy (nominations in) | Staff | | | |
| Mr David Nickeas (Chair) | Trust Board Appointed | 21 Sept 2023 | 21 Sept 2023 | 20 Sept 2027 |
| Mr Mark Simpson | Trust Board Appointed | 08 Dec 2023 | 08 Dec 2023 | 07 Dec 2027 |
| Mrs Helen Neville | Trust Board Appointed | 08 Dec 2023 | 08 Dec 2023 | 07 Dec 2027 |
| Mrs Karen Forshaw | Trust Board Appointed | 20 Jun 2024 | 20 Jun 2024 | 19 Jun 2028 |
| Vacancy (parent) | | | | |
| Space (1) | | | | |
| Space (2) | | | | |

^{*} previously elected as a parent and co-opted once term of office finished.

The LAC constitution mirrors the standard Primary LAC constitution in the Trust agreed by Trustees on 12 December 2024:

- 4 6 Academy Councillors (four positions are Trust Appointed following nomination by LAC Chair & Headteacher on behalf of LAC Board, remaining two spaces co-opted by LAC),
- 1 Headteacher (Ex-Officio), 2 Elected Parents, 1 Staff (nominated by Staff and LAC co-opted)

Historical Members (last academic year / 2024-25)

| Name | Leaving Date | Removal Reason | Councillor Type | First Appointed | From | То |
|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Miss Karen Young | 26 Sept 2025 | Term of office | Parent Councillor | 27 Sept 2021 | 27 Sept 2021 | 26 Sept 2025 |
| Mrs Laura Sharrock | 31 Aug 2025 | Resignation | Staff | 27 Sep 2021 | 27 Sep 2021 | 26 Sep 2025 |
| Mr Mark Cunniffe | 23 Feb 2025 | No longer HT | Headteacher | 01 Sept 21 | 01 Sept 21 | N/A |
| Mrs Kathie Bates | 02 Dec 24 | Term of office | Trust Appointed | 03 Dec 20 | 03 Dec 20 | 02 Dec 20 |

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