## Terms of Reference for the Curriculum Lead Governor at *Monkleigh Primary School*

Agreed at the meeting of the full governing board on: 13 September 2023

Review date: When changed

Name of the Lead Governor: as agreed at Annual Business Meeting Name of Deputy Lead Governor: as agreed at Annual Business Meeting

These terms of reference should be reviewed annually by the Governing Board and when there are any changes to the Governing Board's membership.

## Policies and Documents delegated to this Governor:

(Insert/delete policies and documents as applicable)

- Collective Worship Policy (Recommended)
- Sex, Relationships and Health Education Policies (Statutory)
- Governor Visits Policy or Protocol (delegated to L Paiano)
- Curriculum information published on school website (Statutory)

## **Duties which are delegated to this Governor:** (Governance Handbook)

Governing boards may use their powers to delegate functions and decisions to committees or individual governors. It is the overall Governing Board, however, that in all cases remains accountable in law and to Ofsted for the exercise of its functions.

D Delegated to Lead Governor R Make Recommendations to Full Governing Board

The Curriculum Governor will undertake appropriate governor training in order to fully	D
understand their role including, where possible and appropriate, joining relevant staff training to	
keep updated.	
To monitor and evaluate the agreed <i>intent, implementation</i> and <i>impact</i> of the school curriculum.	D
Consider evidence about how effectively the curriculum is achieving its aims for pupils and how	
this relates to the board's vision for the school. Report to the board.	
To evaluate information from the headteacher, subject leaders and staff about how the	D
curriculum is taught, evaluated and resourced, report to full governing board.	
To agree the policies for sex & relationships education, health education and collective worship.	D
To agree the arrangements for educational visits and ensure that they are in line with current	D
guidance (link to Health and Safety Lead).	
To ensure the continued knowledge and understanding of Governors in respect of the National	D
Curriculum and/or changes in national programmes which impact on the curriculum.	
To establish/recommend as appropriate the policy and/or protocol for Governor visits to the	R
school. Ensure all Governors are aware of and follow the agreed structure, including submitting	
appropriate reports to the board, by monitoring its implementation. Have regard for staff	
wellbeing and work life balance when devising the policy.	
To develop and review a monitoring procedure and cycle for governors (including Governor	D
visits) focusing on specific areas of the curriculum, linked to the School Development Plan	
(School Improvement Plan).	



To monitor and evaluate the provisions of the curriculum to account for the needs of children	D
with SEND, including more able children. Consider evidence to demonstrate how the curriculum	
is made accessible for all pupils. (Link with SEND/Inclusion lead governor.)	
Consider if children are taught about mental health and emotional wellbeing as part of a broad	D
and balanced curriculum.	
Evaluate the provision for ensuring that pupils are prepared for life in modern Britain and are	D
given opportunities to develop character and resilience.	
Monitor and evaluate the range of extra-curricular opportunities available to pupils and the level	D
of uptake by pupils across all age ranges and amongst disadvantaged pupils.	
To ensure the relevant statutory information relating to the curriculum is published on the	D
school website including:	
The content of the curriculum by academic year and subject	
How parents (including prospective parents) can obtain further information in relation	
to the curriculum	
Key Stage 1 phonics and reading schemes in operation	
Review & recommend term dates including non-pupil and inset days.	R

Note from The Governance Consultancy Team: The level of delegated decision making given to an individual needs to be agreed by the full governing board. Full delegation (within legal requirements) is suggested within these terms of reference, but you may wish to set different levels with the lead governor making more recommendations and fewer decisions. Whatever you decide, make sure there is no duplication between the work of the lead governor and committees or the full governing board. All delegated decisions must be reported to the full governing board.

