



RECONSTITUTION OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS, ST. PATRICK'S PRIMARY SCHOOL, FOR THE TERM OF OFFICE 2024 – 2028

Dear Parent / Carer

The reconstitution of the Board of Governors of St. Patrick's Primary School has now been completed. The first meeting of the new Board was held on Tuesday 25th March 2025. Please see below the governors who will sit on the new Board for the next 4 years.

GOVERNOR NAME	REPRESENTING
1. Christopher Quinn	Trustee Representative
2. Seaneen Pettigrew	Trustee Representative
3. Alanna Burns	Trustee Representative
4. Nichola O'Halloran (Parent)	Trustee Representative
5. Brian White (Chairperson)	DE Representative
6. Rita Burke	EA Representative
7. Lawrence Hyland (Vice Chairperson)	EA Representative
8. Roisin Lennon	Teachers Representative
9. Emma White	Parents Representative
10. Margaret Neeson	Principal (non voting)

Responsibilities of the Board of Governors

Below is a brief summary of the areas over which the Board exercises responsibility in accordance with the Department of Education's school improvement strategy, Every School a Good School. **Strategic Governance**

- Setting the school's vision and aims.
- Establishing and maintaining the school's ethos.
- Setting the school's plans and policies.
- Monitoring and evaluating school performance, including PRSD.
- Promoting self-evaluation to sustain school improvement.

Promoting Good Governance

- Being a critical friend.
- Supporting pupils, parents and staff.

Corporate Governance

- School performance measures.
- Curriculum planning.
- Employment issues.
- Pupil pastoral care and protection issues.
- Publication of information regarding the school and its pupils.
- Managing the school premises and relationships with the community.

If you have any queries in relation to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely
Mrs Margaret Neeson
Principal / Secretary to the Board of Governors

