



Red Rose Primary School

Instrument of Government

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1. Legislation and statutory guidance

Governing bodies of maintained schools must have an instrument of government which sets out information about how the board is constituted. This requirement is set out in [the School Governance \(Constitution\) \(England\) Regulations 2012, part 5, regulation 28](#).

This model instrument of government is based on the model document in the Department for Education's statutory guidance, [The Constitution of Governing Bodies of Maintained Schools](#).

2. Instrument of government

1. The name of the school is Red Rose Primary School.
2. The school is a community school.
3. The name of the governing body is 'The governing body of Red Rose Primary School'.
4. The governing body shall consist of:
 - 5 parent governors
 - 1 local authority governor
 - 1 staff governor
 - 1 Headteacher
 - 4 co-opted governors
5. The total possible number of governors is 12.
6. The term of office for *category of governor* is 12 years
7. This instrument of government comes into effect on 30 January 2018.
8. This instrument was made by order of Durham Local Authority on 7th February 2018.

A copy of the consolidated instrument will be supplied free of charge to every member and associate member of the governing body.