

CLIC TRUST REGISTER OF INTERESTS 2026/27 (last updated 01.10.2026)

As per the Academy Trust Handbook, all Members, Trustees, Governors and Senior Trust Employees are asked to declare the following interests at the start of the academic year, at the start of all meetings and as they arise at any other times:

1. Directorships, partnerships and employments with businesses.
2. Trusteeships and governorships at other educational institutions and charities.
3. Relevant interests from close family* relationships between the trust's members, trustees or local governors.
4. Relevant interests arising from close family* relationships between the trust's members, trustees or local governors and employees.

**A relative is defined as a close member of the family, or member of the same household, who may be expected to influence, or be influenced by, the person. This includes, but is not limited to, a child, parent, spouse or civil partner.*

The Trust Board also advises all Members, Trustees, Governors and Senior Trust Employees to declare the following interests at the start of the academic year, at the start of all meetings and as they arise at any other times:

5. Relationships with personnel at the Trust's internal (Red Rambler) or external (DJH Mitten Clarke) auditors.
6. Any other significant or material interests (pecuniary or non-pecuniary) which may conflict with the Trusts' interests e.g. significant shareholdings, interests in property to be managed, leased or purchased by the Trust

Members

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Liz Jayne Appointment: Member Term of office start: 01/07/2020 Term of office end: -	Confirmed: 07/09/2026	Alder Advice	Business or finance interests	Health and social care consultancy	-	-

Name: Angela Keane Appointment: Member Term of office start: 01/09/2016 Term of office end: -	<i>Nothing to declare</i> 07/09/2026	-	-	-	-
Name: Andy Park Appointment: Member Term of office start: 01/09/2016 Term of office end: -	<i>Confirmed</i> 05/11/2025	Prosper Learning Trust	Business or finance interests	Employee of local MAT	01/09/2002
		Connect Alliance Trust	Other governance role	Previously Link Learning Trust	01/09/2025
				Member	
Name: Sarah Abraham Appointment: Member Term of office start: 21/07/2026 Term of office end: -	<i>Nothing to declare</i> 13/09/2026				
Name: Hazel Remeika Appointment: Member Term of office start: 21/07/2026 Term of office end: -	<i>Confirmed</i> 02/09/2026	Co-op Academies Trust	Other governance role	Chair of Governors – Co-op Academy Medlock	01/01/2024
		The Co-operative Group	Business or finance interests	Academies Business Partner	03/03/2008

Trustees

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Courtney Brightwell Appointment: <i>Trustee (Member Appointed)</i> Term of office start: 29/03/2026 Term of office end: 28/03/2030	Confirmed: 26/09/2025	Department For Education	Business or finance interests	I am an employee in the Department for Education in the Higher Education division	26/09/2024	-
	Confirmed: 26/09/2025	His Majesty's Courts and Tribunal Service	Personal or close family relationship	My wife sits as a Magistrate for HMCTS covering the Manchester and Tameside areas	01/09/2025	-
Name: Rich Buckley Appointment: <i>Co-opted Trustee</i> Term of office start: 19/12/2022 Term of office end: 18/12/2026	Nothing to Declare: 22/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Ashley Harrison (Chair of Trust) Appointment: <i>Trustee (Member Appointed)</i> Term of office start: 08/07/2025 Term of office end: 07/07/2029	Confirmed: 15/09/2026	BTD Coaching and Consultancy Ltd	Business or finance interests	Director: Coaching, consultancy, training, school improvement	02/07/2025	-
Name: David Hunter Appointment: <i>Trustee (Member Appointed)</i> Term of office start: 07/09/2026 Term of office end: 06/09/2030	Confirmed: 07/09/2026	Kickstone Learning Ltd.	Business or finance interests	David Hunter is the founder, owner and director of Kickstone Learning Ltd, which provides education software products and solutions to educators, schools and multi-academy trusts.	18/02/2026	-

Name: Terence McNeill Appointment: Trustee (Member Appointed) Term of office start: 01/07/2026 Term of office end: 30/06/2030	Nothing to Declare: 07/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Katherine Moulder (Vice Chair of Trust, Chair of Finance and Resources Committee) Appointment: Trustee (Member Appointed) Term of office start: 08/07/2025 Term of office end: 07/07/2029	Nothing to Declare: 08/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Matt O'Neill Appointment: Trustee (Member Appointed) Term of office start: 29/03/2026 Term of office end: 28/03/2030	Nothing to Declare: 22/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Becci Owen Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 23/09/2025 Term of office end: 22/09/2029	Nothing to Declare: 30/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Kinga Skomra Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 09/12/2025 Term of office end: 08/12/2029	Nothing to Declare: 02/12/2025					
Historic (left within last 12 months)						
Name: Anthony Benedict Appointment: Trustee (Member Appointed) Term of office start: 08/07/2025 Term of office end: 07/07/2029 Date stood down: 15/07/2026	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	Ambition Community Trust	Other governance role	I am CEO	02/09/2024	-

	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	Ukmm	Other governance role	Trustee	01/01/2024	-
	Confirmed: 16/09/2025	Denton IEB	Other governance role	-	23/06/2023	-
Name: Sarah Abraham Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 14/12/2021 Term of office end: 13/12/2025	Nothing to Declare: 14/09/2025					
Name: Mariam Boakye-Dankwa Appointment: Co-opted Trustee Term of office start: 14/12/2021 Term of office end: 13/12/2025	Nothing to Declare: 17/10/2025					

Chorlton Park Local Governing Committee

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To

Name: Joanne Andrews Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 05/11/2025 Term of office end: 04/11/2029	Nothing to Declare: 19/11/2025					
Name: Lydia Hawthorn (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 10/10/2024 Term of office end: 10/10/2028	Nothing to Declare: 02/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Dominika Kotarbinska Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 04/07/2024 Term of office end: 03/07/2028	Nothing to Declare: 17/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Joanna Midgley Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 30/09/2024 Term of office end: 03/10/2028	Confirmed: 08/05/2024	Manchester City Council Chorlton and Didsbury Foodbank Barlow Moor Community Centre	Business or finance interests Other governance role Other governance role	Councillor Member of Board of Trustees Chair of Board	-	-
Name: Philippa Moors (Vice Chair) Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 12/12/2023 Term of office end: 11/12/2027	Nothing to Declare: 30/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Neha Nigam Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 13/07/2023 Term of office end: 13/07/2027	Nothing to Declare: 08/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Hossein Saberi Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 14/07/2025 Term of office end: 14/07/2029	Nothing to Declare: 29/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Dayna Shoemaker Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 29/09/2025 Term of office end: 28/09/2029	Nothing to Declare: 25/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Olivia Taylor Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 07/07/2025 Term of office end: 06/07/2029	Nothing to Declare: 07/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Historic (left within last 12 months)						
Name: Kieron McGlasson Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/11/2022 Term of office end: 23/11/2026 Date stood down: 11/09/2026	Nothing to Declare: 24/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Crosslee Local Governing Committee

Interests

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Eman Fatima Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 30/06/2026 Term of office end: 30/06/2030	Nothing to Declare: 07/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Anthony Heaps Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/09/2026 Term of office end: 23/09/2030	Nothing to Declare: 30/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Ian Lurcock (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 03/07/2026 Term of office end: 03/07/2030	Nothing to Declare: 07/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Sharon Maginn Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 17/10/2025 Term of office end: 17/10/2029	Nothing to Declare: 30/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Susan Nicholson (Vice Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 06/06/2025 Term of office end: 06/06/2029	Nothing to Declare: 13/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Olusegun Olusanya Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 01/12/2025 Term of office end: 30/11/2029	Nothing to Declare: 20/01/2026								
Name: Michelle Toy Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 12/11/2025 Term of office end: 11/11/2029	Nothing to Declare: 16/09/2026								
Name: Andrew Voong Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 03/11/2025 Term of office end: 02/11/2029	Nothing to Declare: 29/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Historic (left within last 12 months)									
Name: Oluseyi Aderibigbe Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 19/06/2024 Term of office end: 19/06/2026	Nothing to Declare: 15/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Emily Mallalieu Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 19/06/2024 Term of office end: 19/06/2026 Date stood down: 01/05/2026	Nothing to Declare: 15/10/2024	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Dane Bank Local Governing Committee

		Interests				
Name and appointment	Confirmed	Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Christine Beale Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 05/10/2025 Term of office end: 04/10/2029	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 28/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Laura Fletcher Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 02/02/2024 Term of office end: 02/02/2028	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 09/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Lauren Knaggs Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 18/05/2026 Term of office end: 17/05/2030	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 17/06/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Katherine McLoughlin Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 16/11/2023 Term of office end: 16/11/2027	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 03/02/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Adam McWhinnie Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 04/02/2026 Term of office end: 03/02/2030	<i>Confirmed:</i> 18/01/2026	Deloitte LLP	Business or finance interests	Employee - Transformation leadership advisory	24/05/2021	

	Confirmed: 18/01/2026	ArtMCR Ltd	Business or finance interests	Director & Owner. Provides creative workshops and professional coaching to corporate clients.	13/07/2018	
Name: Dave Pilkington (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 01/06/2024 Term of office end: 31/05/2028	Nothing to Declare: 09/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Jason Taylor Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 31/01/2026 Term of office end: 30/01/2030	Nothing to Declare: 03/03/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Keith Wilde (Vice Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 21/04/2024 Term of office end: 20/04/2028	Confirmed: 07/09/2026	Kingfisher Learning Trust	Business or finance interests	I am employed at Kingfisher Learning Trust as the Trust Accountant.	28/07/2025	-
Historic (left within last 12 months)						
Name: Bob Rutt Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 10/03/2025 Term of office end: 10/03/2029 Date stood down: 24/06/2026	Nothing to Declare: 12/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Jen Ferneyhough Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 23/05/2022 Term of office end: 22/05/2026	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Signpost Stockport for Carers Business or finance interests Employee at this organisation. 23/06/2021 -
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Brunswick Parish Church Council Other governance role Parish church council member. 14/04/2024 -
Name: Sufaira Puzhakal Kasim Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 24/02/2025 Term of office end: 24/02/2029 Date stood down: 27/01/2026	Nothing to Declare: 29/09/2025	- - - -

Lily Lane Local Governing Committee

		Interests				
Name and appointment	Confirmed	Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To

Name: Jakob Blundell Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 16/03/2026 Term of office end: 15/03/2030	Nothing to Declare: 28/09/2026					
Name: Nicholas Filer (Vice Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 14/07/2025 Term of office end: 14/07/2029	Nothing to Declare: 09/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Elliot Hahn (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 08/02/2026 Term of office end: 07/02/2030	Nothing to Declare: 07/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Moffat Makomo Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 24/02/2025 Term of office end: 24/02/2027	Nothing to Declare: 09/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Esther Njeli Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 10/10/2024 Term of office end: 10/10/2026	Nothing to Declare: 28/04/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Louisa Sedgwick Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 05/11/2025 Term of office end: 04/11/2029	Nothing to Declare: 09/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-

Historic (left within last 12 months)						
Name: Michele Eaton (Vice Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 10/03/2025 Term of office end: 10/03/2029 Date stood down: 25/05/2026	Nothing to Declare: 17/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: James Rand Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 01/07/2025 Term of office end: 30/06/2029 Date stood down: 30/09/2025	Nothing to Declare: 07/05/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Old Moat Local Governing Committee

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Theo Abbott Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 19/05/2025 Term of office end: 19/05/2029	Nothing to Declare: 24/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Sarah Bennett Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 26/11/2024 Term of office end: 26/11/2028	Nothing to Declare: 08/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Adwoa Boakye Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 03/11/2023 Term of office end: 02/11/2027	Confirmed: 17/10/2025	University of Manchester	Business or finance interests	Student	-	-
	Confirmed: 17/10/2025	North West Ambulance Service	Business or finance interests	I am an employee of the North West Ambulance Service.	31/10/2022	-
Name: Sally Fletcher (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 17/01/2023 Term of office end: 16/01/2027	Confirmed: 21/09/2025	Coaching By Sally LTD.	Business or finance interests	Director of a coaching company.	09/11/2020	-
Name: Avni Hindocha Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 27/09/2022 Term of office end: 26/09/2026	Confirmed: 14/09/2026	Blackpool council	Other governance role	Public health team - local authority work	02/08/2023	01/07/2026
Name: Irsa Javed Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 17/06/2025 Term of office end: 17/06/2029	Nothing to Declare: 17/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Sharon Smirk Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 28/11/2024 Term of office end: 28/11/2028	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 21/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Gavin White (Vice Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 01/09/2024 Term of office end: 01/09/2028	<i>Confirmed:</i> 09/09/2026	Jeff Smith MP	Business or finance interests	Part time caseworker (1 day a week)	01/02/2016	-
		Labour Party and the Cooperative Party	Business or finance interests	Member of both political parties	01/09/2004	-
	<i>Confirmed:</i> 07/10/2025					
		Manchester City Council	Business or finance interests	Councillor for Old Moat Executive Member for Housing and Development	05/05/2018	-
	<i>Confirmed:</i> 07/10/2025					
		Northern Gateway Operations Limited	Business or finance interests	Director	01/06/2021	-
	<i>Confirmed:</i> 07/10/2025					
		Withington Assist	Other governance role	Trustee	01/09/2018	-
	<i>Confirmed:</i> 07/10/2025					

	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Homes of Hope	Other governance role	Trustee	01/09/2021	-
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	King's House Conference (Greater Manchester) Ltd	Business or finance interests	Director	01/09/2010	-
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Greater Manchester Community Chaplaincy	Other governance role	Trustee	01/09/2013	-
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Friends of Old Moat Park	Other governance role	Treasurer	01/09/2002	-
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	GMB Trade Union	Business or finance interests	Member	01/01/2008	-
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	King's Church in Greater Manchester Ltd	Other governance role	Trustee	01/09/2004	-

	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Withington Civic Society	Other governance role	Trustee	01/09/2004	-
	Confirmed: 07/10/2025	Southway Housing	Business or finance interests	Parent Board Member Member of Audit and Risk Committee DevCo Board Member	01/09/2018	23/09/2025
Historic (left within last 12 months)						
Name: Keiran Mitchell Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 19/05/2025 Term of office end: 19/05/2029 Date stood down: 30/06/2026	Nothing to Declare: 15/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Rose Sweeney Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 19/05/2025 Term of office end: 19/05/2029 Date stood down: 01/05/2026	Nothing to Declare: 28/05/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Ravensfield Local Governing Committee

		Interests				
Name and appointment	Confirmed	Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To

Name: Jessica Alexander-McCue Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 24/03/2025 Term of office end: 24/03/2029	Nothing to Declare: 18/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Muhammad Naeem Ashraf Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 13/06/2025 Term of office end: 13/06/2029	Nothing to Declare: 14/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: David Fitzgerald (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 05/02/2026 Term of office end: 04/02/2030	Nothing to Declare: 09/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Hasina Khanom Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 19/12/2024 Term of office end: 19/12/2028	Nothing to Declare: 09/12/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Karl Williams Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 01/11/2024 Term of office end: 01/11/2028	Nothing to Declare: 07/04/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Historic (left within last 12 months)						

Name: Donna Carmichael Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 19/12/2024 Term of office end: 19/12/2028 Date stood down: 08/09/2026	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 16/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Leanne Hawkins Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 01/11/2024 Term of office end: 01/11/2028 Date stood down: 30/03/2026	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 15/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-

Rolls Crescent Local Governing Committee

		Interests				
Name and appointment	Confirmed	Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Hina Ahsan Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 17/12/2024 Term of office end: 17/12/2028	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 29/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Sara Anis Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 02/11/2025 Term of office end: 01/11/2029	<i>Nothing to Declare:</i> 24/03/2026	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Willis Chan Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 07/07/2026 Term of office end: 07/07/2030	Nothing to Declare: 17/07/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Louise Coops (Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 17/12/2025 Term of office end: 16/12/2029	Nothing to Declare: 29/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Roxy Harding Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 19/01/2023 Term of office end: 18/01/2027	Nothing to Declare: 08/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Jake Harrison Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 16/10/2024 Term of office end: 16/10/2028	Nothing to Declare: 28/09/2026	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Ashraf Hasan Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 25/11/2024 Term of office end: 25/11/2028	Nothing to Declare: 10/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Pushkar Mahajan Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 13/06/2025 Term of office end: 13/06/2029	Nothing to Declare: 09/03/2026	-	-	-	-	-

Name: Peter Myers Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 24/02/2025 Term of office end: 24/02/2029	Nothing to Declare: 09/10/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Raphael Thuret (Vice Chair) Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 01/09/2025 Term of office end: 31/08/2029	Nothing to Declare: 24/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Historic (left within last 12 months)						
Name: Sam Jones Appointment: Staff governor Term of office start: 25/11/2022 Term of office end: 24/11/2026 Date stood down: 03/07/2026	Nothing to Declare: 21/10/2024	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Alex Baratta Appointment: Co-opted governor Term of office start: 24/02/2025 Term of office end: 24/02/2029 Date stood down: 12/05/2026	Nothing to Declare: 08/09/2025	-	-	-	-	-
Name: Ahmed Abdelkarim Appointment: Parent governor Term of office start: 25/11/2025 Term of office end: 24/11/2029 Date stood down: 10/02/2026	Not Confirmed					

Senior Trust Employees

Name and appointment	Confirmed	Interests				
		Organisation	Type of interest	Notes	From	To
Name: Jo Ashcroft Appointment: CEO/Executive Headteacher/ Accounting Officer	<i>Nothing to Declare: 29/09/2026</i>	-	-	-	-	-