

Instrument of government

Eastfield Infant & Nursery School



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Governing Body

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1. Legislation and statutory guidance

Governing boards 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 is based on the Department for Education's (DfE) [model instrument of government in Annex C of statutory guidance for maintained schools](#).

2. Instrument of government

1. The name of the school is Eastfield Infant & Nursery School
2. The school is a maintained school.
3. The name of the governing board is 'The governing board of Eastfield Infant & Nursery School'
4. The governing board shall consist of:
 - a. 5 parent governors
 - b. 1 headteacher
 - c. 1 staff governor
 - d. 1 local authority governor
 - e. 5 co-opted governors
5. The total number of governors is 13.
6. The term of office for governors is 4 years.
7. This instrument of government comes into effect on 10 July 2020.
8. This instrument was made by order of Cambridgeshire County Council on 10 July 2020.

A copy of the consolidated instrument will be supplied free of charge to every member and associate member of the governing board (including the headteacher where they are not a governor).

3. Monitoring arrangements

This policy will be reviewed by the governing board annually.

At every review, the policy will be approved by the full governing board.