

Western Learning Federation. Standards, Curriculum and Learning Committee Terms of Reference

Aim

To consider and advise the Governing Body on strategies relating to all aspects Standards, curriculum and learning

Role and Purpose

The Committee will also consider the following for Curriculum:

- To consider and advise the Governing Body on strategies relating to all aspects of curriculum.
- To consider and advise the Governing Body in relation to decisions required to curriculum.
- To oversee the School Improvement Plans curriculum in an effective and efficient manner.
- To oversee the schools new curriculum policy
- To oversee the impact of the pupil premium and sports grants
- To consider reports and consultation papers from the Local Authority about curriculum issues and to advise the Governing Body thereon, as appropriate.
- To oversee areas of risk and mitigation within safeguarding and health and safety and advise the Governing Body, where appropriate.
- To ensure the Federation meets the needs of pupils with additional learning needs
- To ensure that the Federation is compliant with all policies
- To oversee and/or review any curriculum related documents
- To oversee and be responsible for pupil progress towards targets set by each school and to report on significant issues to the Governing Body.

The Committee will also consider the following for Standards:

- To consider and advise the Governing Body on strategies relating to all aspects of standards.
- To consider and advise the Governing Body in relation to decisions required to standards.
- To oversee intervention
- To consider reports and consultation papers from the Local Authority about standards
- To ensure the Federation meets the needs of pupils with additional needs
- To ensure the curriculum meets statutory requirements
- To ensure compliance with all Policies

Governance

The Curriculum and Standards Committee will provide updates to the Western Learning Federation Governing Body.

Membership

Membership Appendix proposal attached.

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Chair

The meetings are to be chaired by Binki Rees with a nominated Governor as Vice Chair in the Chair's absence

Frequency of Meetings

The meetings will be held once per term, with email communication between meetings for any urgent responses required from members.

Meetings will be held via Microsoft teams, with alternatives available should it be required.

Communication

The Executive Headteacher and then the Deputy Executive Headteacher will be the first point of contact for all curriculum and standards matters before wider circulation to members of the panel, five days later.

Duration

It is anticipated that the panel will continue to meet throughout the academic year

Appendix one- Membership

Name	Role / Team
Binki Rees (Chair)	Governor, Western Learning Federation
Doug Corp	Governor, Western Learning Federation
Zoe Jones	Governor, Western Learning Federation
Raven Hope	Governor, Western Learning Federation
Laura Duncombe	Governor, Western Learning Federation
Wayne Murphy	Executive Head Teacher, Western Learning Federation
Rachel Faulkner	Deputy Executive Head Teacher, Western Learning Federation
Beth Jones	Clerk to Governors

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- Ratified by Governors:
- Date Reviewed:
- Date for Review:
- Date Published:

Monitoring of the Policy

Signed: 

Chair of Governors

Date: 18/10/24

Signed:

Executive Headteacher:

Date: 24/10/24

