

GOVERNING BOARD ORGANISATION
Devon Moors Federation - As of March 2026

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT: The Governing Board shall consist of 14 Governors

| Instrument of Government | Governors currently in place | Governor vacancies on board | |
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| 2 | 2 | 0 | (a) 2 parent governors - PAR |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | (b) 1 local authority governor - LEA |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | (c) 1 staff governor - STF |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | (d) 1 headteacher - STH |
| 5 | 5 | 0 | (e) 5 co-opted governor – COO |
| 4 | 2 | 2 | (f) 4 foundation governors: 2 appointed by Exeter Diocesan Board of Education, one of whom (the Principal Officiating Minister) shall be ex-officio 2 appointed by the United Schools Learning Partnership - FOU/EXO |
| 14 | 12 | 2 | Quorum = Half the number of governors in post rounded up to next whole number |
| | | | Current Quorum 6 |

CURRENT FULL GOVERNING BOARD

| Role | School Interest | Name | Type | Start Date of Governor Term | End Date of Governor Term | Chair & Vice Chair Start Date | Chair & Vice Chair Re-election Dates | Finance & Personnel Committee | Diocesan and Trust Admissions Committee | Policy Review Committee | School Champion |
|------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Chair | N/a | Chris Dack | LEA | 01/04/2024 | 31/03/2028 | 16/09/2025 | Sept 2026 | Member | | | Filleigh |
| | N/a | Lorraine Crosfield | COO | 25/03/2025 | 24/03/2029 | | | Member | | | Spreyton Copplestone |
| Head | Staff | Alison Mackey | STH | 07/05/2014 | N/a | | | Member | Member | Member | |
| | Staff | Stefanie Hastie | FOU** | 01/04/2024 | 31/03/2028 | | | Member | Member | Member | |
| Vice Chair | N/a | AJ Culley | COO | 01/04/2024 | 31/03/2028 | 16/09/2025 | Sept 2026 | | | Member | Lympstone |
| | Staff | Hayley Reynolds | STF | 01/04/2024 | 31/03/2028 | | | | | Member | Kilmington |
| | Parent | Izzie Hooper | PAR | 17/05/2024 | 16/05/2028 | | | Member | | | |
| | Parent | Joanna Cook | PAR | 17/05/2024 | 16/05/2028 | | | Member | | | Upottery |
| | N/a | Steve Jones | FOU* (Ex-Officio) | 16/04/2025 | 15/04/2029 | | | | Member | | |
| | N/a | Kate Collier | COO | 16/09/2025 | 15/09/2029 | | | | | | Clyst Hydon |
| | N/a | Thomas Evans-Jones | COO | 02/12/2025 | 01/12/2029 | | | | | | |

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| | N/a | Samuel Dove | COO | 03/02/2026 | 02/02/2030 | | | | | |
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* Appointed by the Exeter Diocesan Board of Education

**Appointed by United Schools' Learning Partnership

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Tom Pettifer – Champion Governor for Shute

OTHER GOVERNORS WHO HAVE SERVED ON THE GOVERNING BOARD

| Role | School Interest | Name | Type | Start Date of Governor Term | End Date of Governor Term | Finance & Personnel Committee | School Champion |
|------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| | N/a | John Wilton | PAR | 25/02/2021 | 15/11/2021 | | |
| | N/a | Emily Witherow | COO | 22/02/2021 | 14/09/2022 | | |
| | N/a | David Coleman | Ex-Officio | | 11/07/2023 | | |
| | N/a | Megan Naylor | Foundation | | 05/12/2023 | | |
| | N/a | Stuart Brinkman | COO | | 31/03/2024 | | |
| | N/a | Isabel Blake | COO | | 05/08/2024 | | |
| | N/A | Ella Weech | COO | | 24/02/2025 | | |
| | N/A | Lewis Gibbs | COO | | 07/04/2025 | | |
| | Yes | Steve Mellor | Executive Head | | 22/07/2025 | | |
| | N/A | Elaine Paul | Foundation | | 14/11/2025 | | |
| | Yes | Martin Marriott | Associate | | 12/12/2025 | | |

CLERK TO THE GOVERNORS

| Role | Name | Start Date in Role | End Date in Role |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Clerk to the governors | Claire Collins | 18/01/2021 | 24/09/2021 |
| Clerk to the governors | Charlotte Board | 27/09/2021 | |

