

Castleford Trust

Governance Arrangements

Castleford Trust established as a Trust on 1st April 2013. The Trust comprises of three secondary academies: Airedale Academy, Castleford Academy and Crofton Academy; and six primary academies: Airedale Infant Academy, Airedale Junior Academy, Castleford Park Junior Academy, Glasshoughton Infant Academy, Oyster Park Primary Academy and Three Lane Ends Academy. Each academy is based within the Wakefield district. Castleford Trust serves approximately 5600 pupils.

At Castleford Trust, our governance structure provides effective oversight, accountability and strategic leadership across the Trust. Through robust decision-making, constructive challenge and strong assurance processes, our governance arrangements help ensure that all schools work together to deliver the best possible outcomes for pupils. Below is an overview of the key governance bodies and leadership roles within the Trust. Further information about the responsibilities of each board and committee can be found in our Scheme of Delegation.

Member Board

Chair of Member Board – John Hughes

Trust Board

Chair of Trustees – Adam Fletcher

Risk and Audit Committee

Chair of Committee – John Iveson

Finance and Resources Committee

Chair of Committee – John Morrison

Education and Standards Committee

Chair of Committee – Marie Hunter

Local Governing Bodies (LGB) acting as committees to the Trust Board:

Airedale Academy Chair of Governors: Gary Vessey

Castleford Academy Chair of Governors: Gary Vessey

Crofton Academy Chair of Governors: Tim Morris

Airedale Infant/Airedale Juniors Chair of Governors: Sharon Butterfield

Castleford Park Junior Academy Chair of Governors: Tracy Sycamore

Glasshoughton Infant Academy Chair of Governors: Barbara Hughes

Oyster Park Primary Academy Chair of Governors: Emma Stockton

Three Lane Ends Academy Chair of Governors: Sean Johnson

