

Character Education Trust – Trust Board Profiles, Business Interests and Attendance at meetings – September 2022-23

Name	Profile	Business Interests	Attendance at Trust Board Meetings 2021-22	Attendance at Audit committee meetings 2021-22
Mr M Wright Chief Executive Officer Appointed: January 2012, by Members	Chief Executive Officer of Character Education Trust Mr Wright was previously Headteacher of Wrotham School, and became the Executive Headteacher of Wrotham and Aylesford Schools in September 2016.	Executive Headteacher at Aylesford School and Wrotham School Appointed Governor for the Kent NHS Community Trust	6 out of 7	6 out of 7



Mrs S Smith Member and Chair of Trustees Original Signatory Appointed: April 2013, by Members Re-appointed May 2017, by Members	Mrs Smith has been Chair of Governors for the last 7 years. She began her teaching career teaching mathematics in 1965 at Kidbrooke Comprehensive School. Over the next 39 years she became Deputy Head at Hextable School, School Improvement advisor in the Kent advisory and inspection team, Technical and Vocational Initiative Director for Mid Kent and finally Headteacher of Hextable School. Since retiring she has been involved in teacher training and the inspection of British Schools abroad.	None	7 out of 7	7 out of 7
Mr M Reeve Member Trustee Original Signatory Chair of Finance & Audit Committee Appointed: April 2013, by Members Re-appointed: April 2017, by Members	Mr Reeve has been a Governor of Wrotham school for over 25 years, seven of which he held the position of Chair of Governors. He works as an Operations Director for a local high tech innovations company.	Trax Computing	7 out of 7	7 out of 7



Mr D Turner MBE Trustee Appointed: December 2019, by Members	Mr Turner has had an extensive business career in electrical and paper industries. He has spent twenty years doing public and private consultancy, thirteen years as Hon Treasurer for the Firefighters Charity. He was a Governor at Mid Kent College for 19 year, 8 of them as chair. He was Honoured in 2000 with an MBE.	None	3 out of 7	3 out of 7
Mrs L Blumsum Trustee Appointed: September 2021, by Members	Mrs Blumsum has been a Parent Governor at Aylesford School for four year and is currently Chair of Governors. She has over 25 years local Government experience in housing and environmental health.	Employed by Tonbridge and Malling Borough Council Chair of Local Governing Body at Aylesford	5 out 7	5 out of 7



Regina Metzler Trustee Appointed: December 2021 by Members	Mrs Metzler has had a longstanding career in banking in London and Austria. She has been working markets for Banks in London since 2000.	Citigroup Global Ltd	4 out 5	4 out 5
Mr A Malik Trustee Appointed: March 2020 by members Re-appointed January 2022	Mr Malik is a Cyber Security professional working as a Global Cyber Security Lead at a luxury fashion brand. He has worked in various roles in IT and Cyber Security during his career. He is also a qualified teacher of Computer Science and has a keen interest in Education of Computer Science and Cyber Security at Primary and Secondary School level.	Chanel Ltd	3 out of 5	3 out of 5