

Hayesfield School
Teaching and Learning (Curriculum) Committee
Terms of Reference October 2008

Purpose and Scope

The purpose of this Committee is to discharge curriculum related responsibilities and functions delegated to it by the Governing Body.

Responsibilities

The Committee is responsible for seeing that appropriate policies and procedures are in place, relating to sound curriculum management.

This includes the work of the school as a Specialist Technology College.

The committee also has a monitoring role.

In particular the committee is responsible for:

- Curriculum strategy, balancing the requirements of the National Curriculum, and the needs of the students.
- Quality of teaching and learning.
- Curriculum enrichment.
- Recognising curriculum excellence.
- Ensuring Hayesfield School retains its status as a Technology College in line with the aims of the Specialist Schools and Academies Trust. These aims are:
 - Raise standards of achievement for all pupils in all subjects.
 - Strengthen and develop the teaching of specialist subjects and disseminate best practice;
 - Extend the range of opportunities available to pupils through specialist subjects, links with sponsors, businesses and other educational organizations;
 - Collaborate with partner schools to provide or facilitate high quality learning opportunities in specialist subjects;
 - Provide or facilitate high quality learning opportunities for the schools' wider community.

Date Terms of Reference agreed by the Curriculum Committee: 14th October 2008

Date Terms of Reference agreed by the Full Governing Body: 11th November 2008.

Membership: Any Governor appointed by the Full Governing Body. In addition any Governor is welcome to attend this Committee as an observer.

Quorum: The Quorum for this Committee shall be any four governors of which at least two will be non-staff governors.

Chair of Committee: Sally Howard. Date Appointed: 14th October 2008

Last Reviewed: October 2008.

Next Review: October 2009.

