



BORDESLEY MULTI ACADEMY TRUST

T2-03 INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT

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1. Bordesley Multi Academy Trust Mission Statement

We believe that success is achieved by working in partnership with parents, carers and the wider community. We are committed to working with our partners to ensure the very best outcomes for all our learners, from 3 to 19.

The significant guiding principles of the MAT are based around autonomy, trust, respect, equity and outstanding relationships. We believe that positive and constructive relationships are at the heart of every successful school. This allows the entire community to be valued and challenged to be their best, raising aspirations for all.

2. Legislation and statutory guidance

Governing boards of maintained schools must have an instrument of government which sets out information about how the board is constituted. This requirement is set out in The School Governance (Constitution) (England) Regulations 2012, part 5, regulation 28.

This model is based on the Department for Education's (DfE) model instrument of government in Annex C of statutory guidance for maintained schools.

Academies are not statutorily required to have an instrument of government, although Bordesley Multi-Academy Trust have decided to do so. The content of this policy is based on the Trust's Terms of Reference.

3. Instrument of government

- a) The name of the school is **XXX**
- b) The school is an academy school – **First, Middle deemed Secondary, High** School
- c) The date of conversion to an academy withing the Bordesley Multi-Academy Trust was **[date]**
- d) The name of the governing board is 'The governing board of **[school name]**'
- e) The governing board shall consist of:
 - a. Trust Local Governors (appointed by Trustees) –**In the majority (ie at least 6+number of co-opted local governors)**
 - b. Headteacher (Ex Officio) – **1**
 - c. Staff Governors (Appointed by staff) - **2**
 - d. Parent Governors (appointed by parent body) – **2**
 - e. Co-Opted Local Governors (appointed by Trust Local Governors) – **Any number.**
- f) The term of office shall be 4 years
- g) This instrument of government comes into effect on **[Date of conversion]**
- h) This instrument was made by order of Bordesley Multi-Academy Trust on 18th October 2022

A copy of the consolidated instrument will be supplied free of charge to every member and associate member of the governing board.