

**Studio West Governing Body
Autumn Term 2017**

Annual Register of Pecuniary/Business Interests for all Governors and staff

Governors and Staff should declare any links they have with local firms from which the School may wish to buy goods or services. It is important for anyone involved in spending public money to demonstrate that they do not benefit personally from decisions that they make. Information may be added during the year due to changes in circumstances for the persons involved or the goods / service purchased.

The register should include all business interests such as directorships, shareholdings and any other appointments of influence within a business or other organisation which may have dealings with the school. The disclosure should also include business interests of close relatives and close friends who may be seen to exert an influence. Minor shareholdings in companies listed on the stock exchange may be ignored, as any benefit is regarded as too remote to interfere with objectivity.

Please note that even if there are no relevant interests to declare, the form must be signed and returned with "nil" written in the relevant section.

Please note:

Declaration of Interest. The Education (School Government) Regulations 1989 makes provisions for governors to withdraw from meetings where they have a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in any proposed contract (pages 111 – 114 School Governors – A Guide to the Law issued March 1993, or pages 107 – 110 Aided and Special Agreement Schools or pages 79 – 80 Special Schools).

Governors are strongly advised to make themselves aware of this legal provision governing their conduct.

Name of Governor of School (or Member of Staff)	Description of link with any firms (Company Name / Connection)	Signature
Revd Prof. Pauline Pearson	Diocese of Newcastle Board of Education	Pauline Pearson

Counter-signed by Chair of Governors:	Date : December 2017
Counter-signed by Principal:	Date : December 2017

The image shows two handwritten signatures. The first signature is a cursive scribble, likely belonging to the Chair of Governors. The second signature is more legible, appearing to read 'H. Wig', and is likely belonging to the Principal.