

DARLINGTON SCHOOLS FORUM

January 2023

The current formal membership of the Schools Forum is as follows:-

Category	Members	Substitutes
SCHOOL MEMBERS		
Maintained Schools		
Nursery Schools (1)	Helen Dummett – Federation of Darlington Nurseries	Cheryl Theakston – Federation of Darlington Nurseries
Primary Schools (1)	Shirley Welsh – Whinfield Primary	Trisha Bittlestone - Whinfield
Pupil Referral Unit (1)	Sally Hudson – Rise Carr College	Kerry Loftus – Rise Carr College
Academy Schools		
Primary (6)	Kelly-Ann Lyle – Rydal Academy	Libby Truby – Rydal Academy
	Marco Ramsay St Johns Academy	Vacant
	Peter King – Federation of Mowden Schools	John Armitage – The Rydal Academy
	Jo Blackham – Mount Pleasant	Kath Hull – Mount Pleasant
	Paula Ayto – Reid Street Primary (Vice Chair)	Sam Hirst – West Park Academy
	Peter Norman – St Bede’s RC Primary	Gerry Mackowski – St Bede’s RC Primary
Secondary (5)	Dean Judson (Chair)– Hurworth	Glen Hart – Hurworth
	Mike Shorten – Carmel	Maura Regan – Carmel
	Dean Lythgoe – St Aidan’s Academy	Jo Keane
	Kate Reid – Polam Hall School	Julie Mogridge – Polam Hall
	Mike Fryer – Hummersknott	Alan McNab
Special (1)	Mike Butler – Beaumont Hill	Marie Roe – Beaumont Hill
NON SCHOOL MEMBERS		
Diocesan Representatives (2)	Trish Abbott – Carmel RC College	David Leane
	Judith Skirving – St George’s CofE	Catherine Pollard – St George’s CofE
16-19 Education (1)	Paul Richardson – Head of 16-19	Not required
PVI Early Years Providers (2)	Ella Long – Play Hut Vacant	I Maile – Flora House Vacant

TOTAL 20

LEA OBSERVERS (5)

Tony Murphy – Assistant Director, Education & Inclusion

Joanne Littler – Head of Service, SEND and Inclusion

Eleanor Marshall – Education Partnerships Officer

Emma Clennell – Finance Manager

Jack Aconley-Foster – Finance Officer (Minutes)