**Jerry Clay Academy Standards and Pupils Committee Effectiveness**

JCA Standards and Pupils sub-committee

Chair of Standards and Pupils (Standards) sub-committee – Tony Palin (Assistant Headteacher)

For the academic year 2019/20, I can confirm that the Jerry Clay Academy Standards and Pupils sub-committee has:

* Ensured that the Jerry Clay Academy Standards sub-committee has the appropriate knowledge, skills and acumen from its members to support the school to make decisions for the good of the pupils and staff;
* Ensured that Trustees have identified and undertaken the appropriate training requirements for the Standards and Pupils sub-committee including succession planning;
* Ensured quorate Standards meetings are held quarterly with an appropriate clerk, agenda and are officially minuted;
* Ensured a committee chair is elected;
* Ensured that termly data from across school is fed back to Trustees and appropriately challenging questions are asked to seek more information across a wide range of pupil groups;
* Ensured that the Quality of Teaching is reported on and where support is given, such as with an NQT, this is fed back to the committee;
* Ensured that the Academy Improvement Priorities are reviewed and relevant updates are provided;
* Ensured that the curriculum at Jerry Clay Academy is reviewed and that it is relevant. This has included a more in-depth focus on the subjects on the School Development Plan (SDP) where subject co-ordinators have fed back on the developments in these subjects (Spanish, DT and RE);
* Ensured that the Academy’s assessment procedures are reviewed, including tutorials in using the new assessment tool for EYFS, Tapestry.
* Ensured that the Academy’s COVID procedures for learning are in-line with government guidance and meet the needs of all pupils.

Standards and Pupils sub-committee members:

Tracy Swinburne (Executive Headteacher)

Tony Palin (Assistant Headteacher and Committee Chair)

Helen Taylor-Lyte

Louise Bland

Sally Williamson