

Ad Astra Academy Trust

Member and Trustee Governance Information and Attendance 2026-27

Name	Designation	Appointed By	Date Appointed
Greg Baldwin	Member	Members	13/12/2019
Katherine Flounders	Member	Members	05/09/2023
Chris Simmons	Member	Members	11/12/2020
Craig Malarkey	Member	Members	11/12/2024
<i>Historic (left within the last 12 months)</i>			
Laura Ashurst	Member	Members	06/11/2018 – 12/12/2025

Name	Designation	Position	Committee	Appointed By	Term of Office
Andrew Brown, OBE	Trustee	Chief Executive Officer	Resources, Challenge	Members	06/11/2022 – 05/11/2026
Richenda Broad	Trustee	Chair of Trustees	Resources, Challenge	Members	17/07/2023 – 16/07/2027
Mark Tilling	Trustee	Vice Chair of Trustees / Chair of Challenge Committee	Challenge	Members	17/07/2023 – 16/07/2027
David New	Trustee	Chair of Resources Committee	Resources	Trustees	23/09/2023 – 22/09/2027
Alison Anderson	Trustee		TBC	Trustees	25/06/2025 – 24/06/2029
Elizabeth Elwell	Trustee		TBC	Trustees	16/09/2025 – 15/09/2029
Paul Rickeard	Trustee		Challenge	Trustees	09/04/2025 – 08/04/2029
Penelope Norman	Trustee		Resources	Members	11/12/2024 – 10/12/2028
<i>Historic (left within the last 12 months)</i>					

Emma Robins	Trustee		Challenge	Trustees	01/09/2023 – 19/04/2026
Peter Noteyoung	Trustee		Resources	Members	06/06/2025 – 01/12/2025

Attendance Overview 2026-27

Members' Annual General Meeting

Member Name	Meeting Attendance
	16/12/2025
Greg Baldwin	
Katherine Flounders	
Chris Simmons	
Craig Malarkey	

- ✓ Attended meeting
- C Consented apologies
- X Did not attend meeting and did not send apologies

Trust Board

Trustee Name	Meeting Attendance			
	16/12/2026	17/03/2027	14/07/2027	
Andy Brown (CEO)				
Richenda Broad (Chair)				
Mark Tilling (Vice Chair)				
David New				
Penelope Norman				
Paul Rikeard				
Alison Anderson				
Elizabeth Elwell				
Other Key Staff:				
Sue Lister				
Martyn Ingram				
Anthony Degnan				

Resources, Audit & Risk Committee

Trustee Name	Meeting Attendance			
	02/12/2026	10/02/2027	19/05/2027	30/06/2027
Andy Brown (CEO)				
David New (Chair)				
Richenda Broad				
Penelope Norman				
Paul Rickeard				
<i>Other Key Staff:</i>				
Sue Lister				
Anthony Degnan				
Jonathan Dunning				
Martyn Ingram				

Quality of Education Committee

Trustee Name	Meeting Attendance			
	18/11/2026	03/03/2027	07/07/2027	
Andy Brown (CEO)				
Mark Tilling (Chair)				
Richenda Broad				
Alison Anderson				
Elizabeth Elwell				
<i>Other Key Staff:</i>				
Sue Lister				
Pete Wiley				
Helen Durnion				

