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We are school governance experts and a leading national membership organisation, campaigning for governors, trustees and clerks.

Join over 75,000 members who already trust our expertise.

Whether it's through providing professional advice and guidance, practical resources, knowledge sharing, or keeping you up to date on education news and policy, we can help you face new challenges as they arise.

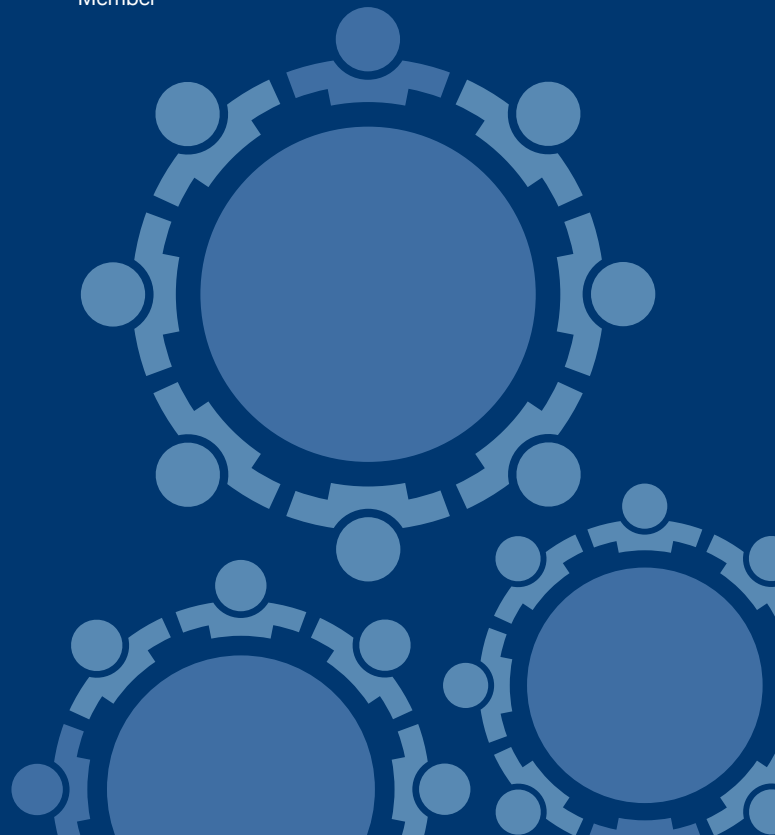
Sign up to access a range of resources that will:

- help you to develop professional governance
- keep you up to date and compliant
- save you time and money

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“ My membership enables me to feel I belong to a national body which is providing for my needs and helping to shape and move governance forward nationally. ”

Member



Membership packages

NGA membership provides your school with access to a wealth of governance resources and tools.

GOLD governing board £275

- access independent and confidential advice through our GOLDline service
- copies of Governing Matters magazine to the home of every governor and a copy to the school
- a weekly e-newsletter featuring the latest education news and policy updates
- access to members' only content in our online Knowledge Centre
- complimentary copies of Welcome to Governance for all new governors and a free Chair's Handbook
- additional NGA guides available at a discounted rate
- three free places at NGA member conferences and events

STANDARD governing board £97

- copies of Governing Matters magazine to the home of three governors and a copy to the school
- a weekly e-newsletter featuring the latest education news and policy updates
- access to members' only content in our online Knowledge Centre
- NGA guides available at a discounted rate
- a free place at NGA member conferences and events

Please check the NGA website for up-to-date membership details.



Membership benefits



GOLDline

GOLD members receive exclusive access to this independent and confidential advice service. Our experts are available to deal with any questions you may have and the service is easily accessible online or by phone. Our advice service is supported by leading education law firm Browne Jacobson.



Governing Matters magazine

Our official membership magazine is essential reading for governors providing strategic leadership in schools and academies. Each issue includes the latest news from NGA, changes in policy, advice and guidance.



Weekly e-newsletter

Our weekly e-newsletter reaches members during term time, keeping you up to date with important education news, the latest policies, guidance and legislation.



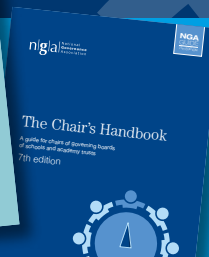
Knowledge Centre

Exclusive online access to best practice school governance guidance. Practical governance resources include: model policies; templates; checklists; information summaries; insights; case studies; and much more.



Guides

Welcome to Governance contains everything new governors and trustees need to know about their role in maintained schools and academies.



The Chair's Handbook covers all aspects of the role for aspiring, new and experienced chairs, including how to lead the governing board.



Conferences and events

Our conferences and events are free for members to attend and allow you to hear the latest news on a range of issues as well as providing opportunities to network and share best practice. Our events draw high-profile speakers including government ministers and senior leaders in education.

E-LEARNING ANYTIME, ANYWHERE

GOVERNORS | TRUSTEES | CHAIRS | CLERKS

INTERACTIVE

FLEXIBLE

AFFORDABLE

ESSENTIAL

NGA has teamed up with Virtual College, one of the UK's top e-learning providers, to deliver accessible, engaging and convenient e-learning.

Learning collections include: structures, roles and responsibilities; good governance; vision, ethos and strategic direction; pupil success and wellbeing; the best use of resources; compliance and much more.

Benefits

- Over 50 e-learning modules
- CPD accreditation for all core modules and many others
- A selection of bite-size modules
- A certificate of achievement with every module
- Secure access 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Multi-device access – desktops, tablets and smartphones
- Tracked learning – revisit content, take a break or pick up where you left off
- A dedicated support service

NGA Learning Link is a cost-effective way to secure comprehensive training for governors, trustees, chairs and clerks on the full range of their responsibilities.

Without NGA membership, NGA Learning Link is £159 per year. NGA governing board members can purchase Learning Link at discounted prices:

NGA membership	Learning Link discounted price	Total
GOLD £275	£82	£357
STANDARD £97	£122	£219

Discounts are available for multiple purchases for multi academy trusts and local authority governor services.

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Access at least £1,000 of funding for your board's development

**Lead and support your governing board to have
real impact on your school's improvement**

Development *for* Chairs

This is a leadership programme designed for governors both aspiring to become a chair and currently working as a chair. The programme will support you and a governance colleague to work together to develop your leadership skills. The programme runs over approximately three terms. The cost is £500 per participant and up to two places can be fully-funded by the DfE. All boards in England are eligible for two funded places.*

Development *for* Clerks

Level 3 Certificate in the Clerking of School and Academy Governing Boards



This accredited programme is designed for both new and experienced clerks currently working in any school setting to develop the knowledge and skills needed for high-quality clerking. The programme runs over approximately nine months and the total cost is £425. Participants pay £75 if they take up DfE funding worth £350.*

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Development *for* Boards

This programme is designed for those governing in MATs, empty MATs and federations of two or more schools, or boards of schools in DfE-specified areas of England where the school is rated by Ofsted as Requires Improvement. This is a consultant-led bespoke programme, that will be tailored to your board's circumstances, to improve practice and outcomes, and includes two places on the Development for Chairs programme. It can be fully-funded by the DfE, with at least £2,500 of funding available per eligible trust or board.*

BOOK YOUR PLACE

* Each programme can be part or fully-funded by the DfE. Please visit our website to register and enquire about eligibility for funding.

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