

## **Privacy Notice for Local Committees (LCs)**

(How we use personal information)

### **Why do we collect and use personal information?**

We collect and use personal information:

- to safeguard our pupils
- to enable contact

### **The categories of personal information that we collect, and hold include:**

- Personal information (such as name, address, email address, phone number, date of birth, proof of identity, photographs)
- Relevant references and signed documentation
- LC Members documentation (minutes, pecuniary interests, monitoring)

The General Data Protection Regulation allows us to collect personal information with consent of the data subject, where we are complying with a legal requirement, where processing is necessary to protect the vital interests of a data subject or another person and where processing is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the controller. When the personal information is Special Category Information, we may rely on processing being in the substantial public interest in addition to consent of the data subject and the vital interests of the data subject or another.

The school collects and uses LC member information to comply with legal obligation and protection of vital interests.

### **Collecting personal information**

Whilst most of the personal information you provide to us is mandatory, some of it is provided to us on a voluntary basis. To comply with the General Data Protection Regulation, we will inform you whether you are required to provide certain personal information to us or if you have a choice in this. Where we are using your personal information only based on your permission you may ask us to stop processing this personal information at any time.

### **Storing personal data**

We hold LC member data in accordance with our retention schedule which can be viewed on Governor Hub. This is based on the Good Shepherd Trust Retention Schedule and the DfE Data Protection Toolkit for Schools.

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### **Data collection requirements:**

To find out more about the data collection requirements placed on us by the Information commissioners' office) go to <https://ico.org.uk/>

### **Requesting access to your personal data**

Under data protection legislation, LC members have the right to request access to information about them that we hold. To make a request for your personal information, contact the school office.

You also have the right, subject to some limitations to:

- object to processing of personal data that is likely to cause, or is causing, damage or distress
- prevent processing for the purpose of direct marketing
- object to decisions being taken by automated means
- in certain circumstances, have inaccurate personal data rectified, blocked, erased or destroyed; and
- claim compensation for damages caused by a breach of the Data Protection regulations

If you have a concern about the way we are collecting or using your personal data, you should raise your concern with us in the first instance or directly to the Information Commissioner's Office at <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/>

**Contact:** Please contact the school office if you would like to discuss anything in this privacy notice.