

- 6.4. Members of the Local Academy Board will declare any interest they may have in an item of business on the agenda, and will immediately remove themselves from the meeting while it is under discussion.
- 6.5. Any conflict of loyalty will be declared at the start of any meeting, should the situation arise.

Access to the academy

- 6.6. All members of the Local Academy Board will take an active interest in the academy and its community.
- 6.7. All governor visits to the academy will be undertaken in line with the Trust's Governor Academy Visits Policy.
- 6.8. Governors will actively participate in the academy community, and will respond to opportunities to be involved in academy activities and events.

7. Breaching the code

- 8.1 If we believe this code has been breached, we will raise this issue with the Chair and the Chair will investigate; the governing body should seek to resolve any difficulties or disputes constructively;
- 8.2 Should it be the Chair that we believe has breached this code, another governor, such as the Vice Chair will investigate; or at the request of the LAB, the Trust.
- 8.3 We understand that any allegation of a material breach of this code of practice by any governor shall be raised at a meeting of the governing body, and, if agreed to be substantiated by a majority of governors, shall be minuted and can lead to consideration of suspension or in some circumstances removal from the governing body.
- 8.4 In taking the decision to suspend, we will follow a process as set out in Annex A.

The Governing Body of Ludlow Primary School adopted this code of practice on date:

30/1/20. Governors will sign the Code at the first governing body meeting of each academy year.

Signed by:

<u>Kate Nutter</u>	Headteacher	Date: <u>30/1/20</u>
<u>KJ Bryant</u>	Chair of governors	Date: <u>30/1/20</u>