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## THE FLAGSHIP SCHOOL - SCHEME OF INTERNAL DELEGATION

KEY:

Level 1: Member

Level 2: Trust Board

Level 3: Trust sub-committee

Level 4: Executive

| Key Function |  |                          |          | Decision Making Level |          |  |  |
|--------------|--|--------------------------|----------|-----------------------|----------|--|--|
|              | Tasks  | 1                        | 2        | 3                     | 4        |  |  |
| Finance      | Approve an annual balanced budget plan   |                          | <b>√</b> |                       |          |  |  |
|              | Monitor monthly expenditure  |                          |          |                       | <b>√</b> |  |  |
|              | Agree variances to annual budget plan (making to operate in-line with Financial Delegation Procedures – see below)   |                          | <b>✓</b> | <b>√</b>              | <b>✓</b> |  |  |
|              | Establish Finance Policies including of Financial Procedures and Responsibilities & others   |                          | ✓        |                       |          |  |  |
|              | Take other financial decisions (e.g. write-offs, contentious payments etc. as determined by the Academies Financial Handbook and in line with Financial Delegation Procedures) |                          | <b>√</b> | <b>✓</b>              |          |  |  |
|              | Enter into contracts   | According to the Finance |          |                       |          |  |  |

|            | Make payments                                      | Policy and Proce | Policy and Procedures |  |  |  |
|------------|--|------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
|            | To appoint Auditors                                | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Sign the Annual Report                             | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Ensure Responsible Officer duties are undertaken   | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
| Staffing   | Appoint Headteacher                                | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Appoint Deputy Headteacher                         | ✓                |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Appoint teaching staff                             |                  | <b>√</b>              |  |  |  |
|            | Appoint support staff                              |                  | <b>✓</b>              |  |  |  |
|            | Agree a pay policy                                 | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Agree pay discretion                               | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Establish disciplinary/capability procedures       | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Dismiss Headteacher                                | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Dismiss other staff (with advice from Headteacher) | ✓                |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Suspend head teacher                               | ✓                |                       |  |  |  |
|            | Suspend other staff                                |                  | <b>√</b>              |  |  |  |
|            | Determine staff complement                         |                  | ✓                     |  |  |  |
|            | Determine dismissal payments                       | ✓                |                       |  |  |  |
| Curriculum | Agree curriculum policy                            | <b>✓</b>         |                       |  |  |  |

|                           | Implement curriculum policy   |          |          | <b>√</b> |
|---------------------------|---|----------|----------|----------|
|                           | Monitor curriculum policy   |          | <b>✓</b> |          |
|                           | Be responsible for standards of teaching  |          |          | <b>√</b> |
|                           | Agree SEN policy  | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                           | Ensure school operates a Sex and Relationship policy in line with statutory duties                  |          | <b>✓</b> |          |
|                           | Prohibit political indoctrination and ensuring the balanced treatment of political issues           |          | <b>√</b> |          |
|                           | Ensure safeguarding policy and procedures are in line with statutory duties                         | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                           | Agree a performance management policy   |          | <b>√</b> |          |
|                           | Implement the performance management policy   |          |          | <b>√</b> |
|                           | Review annually the performance management policy   |          | <b>√</b> |          |
| Target Setting            | Set and publish targets for pupil achievement   | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                           | Take exclusion decisions  |          |          |          |
| Discipline and Exclusions |   |          |          | <b>~</b> |
|                           | Consider and determine parental representations regarding exclusion in line with statutory guidance |          | <b>✓</b> |          |
| Admissions                | Admit pupils to school following statutory process for pupils with EHCPs (and/or Statements)        |          |          | <b>✓</b> |
|                           | Appeal against LA directions to admit pupil(s)  | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
| Religious Education and   | Ensure provision of RE and Collective Worship   |          |          | <b>√</b> |

| Collective Worship      |   |          |          |          |
|-------------------------|---|----------|----------|----------|
| Premises and insurance  | Ensure buildings insurance and other statutory insurances are in place                        | <b>√</b> |          |          |
|                         | Agree school buildings strategy/asset plan  |          | <b>√</b> |          |
|                         | Procure and maintaining buildings, including developing properly funded maintenance plan      |          | <b>√</b> |          |
|                         | Agree and monitor health and safety policy  |          | <b>√</b> |          |
|                         | Ensure health and safety regulations are followed   |          |          | <b>√</b> |
| School Organisation     | Publish proposals to change size/SEN designations of school                                   | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                         | Set the times of school sessions and the dates of school terms and holidays                   |          | <b>✓</b> |          |
|                         | Ensure school meets for 380 sessions in a school year   |          |          | <b>√</b> |
|                         | Ensure that school lunch nutritional standards are met where provided by the school           |          |          | <b>√</b> |
| Information for Parents | Prepare and publish the school prospectus and ensure website is complaint                     |          |          | <b>✓</b> |
|                         | Agree and review of home-school agreements  |          | <b>✓</b> |          |
| Trust Procedures        | Agree scheme of delegation (including Financial Delegation) and any amendments thereafter     | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                         | To appoint (and remove) the chair and vice-chair of a permanent or a temporary governing body | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                         | To appoint and remove Trustees  | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                         | To appoint and dismiss the clerk to the governors   | <b>✓</b> |          |          |
|                         | To hold a full Trust Board meeting at least three times a year                                | <b>✓</b> |          |          |

|         | To set up and publish a Register of Governors' Business Interests (Pecuniary Interests)     | <b></b>  |  |
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|         | To approve and set up a Trustee Expenses Scheme   | <b>✓</b> |  |
|         | To consider whether or not to exercise delegation of functions to individuals or committees | <b>√</b> |  |
|         | To regulate the Trust Board procedures (where not set out in law)                           | <b>√</b> |  |
| Academy | Annual Report to EFA after year end   | <b>✓</b> |  |