## **Code of Governance for Schools**

- 1. A shared vision **and long-term strategic plan for the school**, from which annual school development plans, can be derived, with the governing body monitoring these plans.
- 2. A framework for governance, setting out how the governing body is expected to function. Comprising: skills, effectiveness, strategy, and engagement, the role of the chair and the accountability of the executive.
- 3. High-level **school performance indicators**, encompassing all outcomes for an effective school, on which governor's report annually to parents.

Linked to the high-level **performance information** that governors need to monitor the performance indicators.

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