

GDPR – what now?

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Aims of today's session:

- To revisit GDPR and reflect on current status
- To consider how schools have responded to new Data Protection statute
- To explore issues that have arisen in schools
- To focus on how boards should be monitoring compliance



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General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)



Now enshrined in new
Data Protection Bill (Act) 2018



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Data Protection Act 2018



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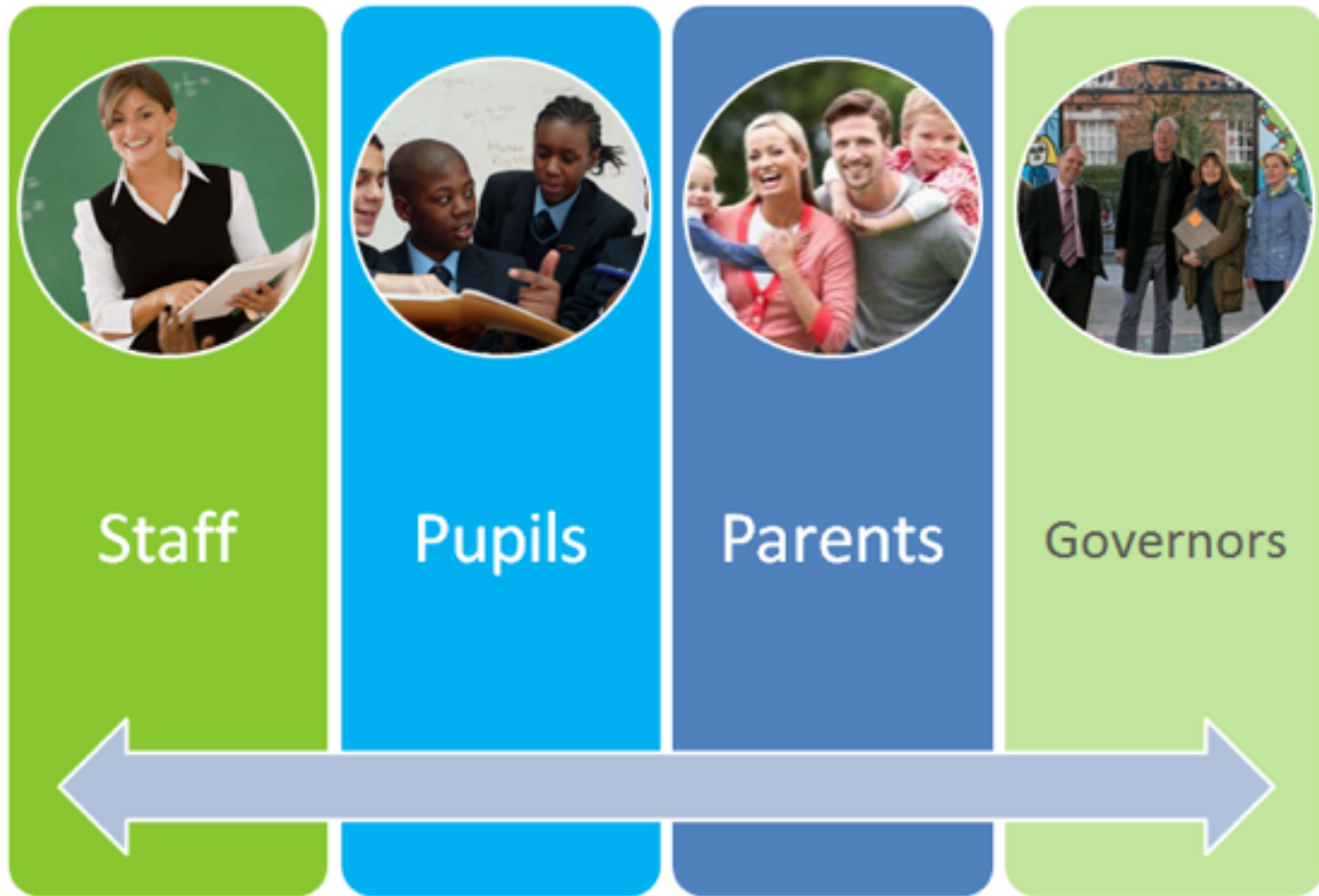
Data Protection Act 2018

- data protection laws fit for the digital age in which an ever increasing amount of data is being processed
- empowers people to take control of their data
- supports UK businesses and organisations through the change
- ensures that the UK is prepared for the future after we have left the EU



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Data in schools



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Poll #1



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Data Protection Officer (DPO)

Schools must appoint a DPO, who:

- Is able to report directly to and challenge HT/SLT
- Operates independently and not penalised for performing their role
- Has *no* conflicting interests
- Could be external
- Could be shared between schools
- Could be a volunteer



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Poll #2



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What issues have arisen in your school?

- Subject Access Requests (SAR)?
- Breach claims
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Support for schools



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The Toolkit

Governors and trustees are aware that responsibility for compliance with data protection legislation lies with them and that they are kept informed about all key issues arising for the schools from the legislative changes and understand how to effectively monitor and review compliance working closely with the appointed DPO.



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Any further questions?



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Useful links:

Information Commissioner's Office:

<https://ico.org.uk/for-organisations/guide-to-the-general-data-protection-regulation-gdpr/>

DfE Toolkit

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/747620/Data_Protection_Toolkit_for_Schools_OpenBeta.pdf



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