

Association for Mathematics in Education – Structure

Initial Structure

There will be five members – the five associations.

There will be nine to ten **initial trustees** who will be appointed by the five ‘members’. These will be two from the ATM, two from the MA, one from each of the other three associations. In addition, the ‘members’ will appoint two or three trustees who are not office holders in any of the associations

There will be no officers, but these trustees will appoint one of their group to be chair.

Before the end of this initial period, the trustees will nominate a chair, secretary and treasurer to be voted on at the first General Meeting after the associations have begun to dissolve into the new association (2025).

Structure once agreement has been reached by the members of all five associations

Members of each association will vote at their respective AGMs to dissolve their association and to transfer the membership and assets to the new CIO (2024).

Members of all five associations will automatically be made members of the new CIO. They will need to agree the transfer of their personal data when their membership becomes due for renewal.

Anyone else who wishes to join may pay their subscription and join as members.

The initial trustees will have nominated a chair, secretary and treasurer. Members will be asked to nominate trustees.

At the first Annual General Meeting (2025) the members will confirm the appointment of the already nominated chair, secretary and treasurer.

At the first Annual General Meeting (2025) the **initial trustees will all step down** and the members will vote for up to 12 trustees from those who have been nominated by 2 members. These **should** include representatives of the three small organisations’ interests (post-16 mathematics, mathematics advisors, mathematics education trainers). This will probably need to be stated on the ballot paper.

At the second Annual General Meeting

1/3rd of the trustees will resign but be eligible for reappointment along with any other trustees who have been nominated by the members.

The secretary will resign but, if the trustees wish them to continue, the members will be asked to confirm their reappointment for a further 3 years. The trustees **may** decide to nominate a different secretary.

At the third Annual General Meeting

1/3rd of the trustees will resign but be eligible for reappointment along with any other trustees who have been nominated by the members.

The treasurer will resign but, if the trustees wish them to continue, the members will be asked to confirm their reappointment for a further 3 years. The trustees **may** decide to nominate a different treasurer.

At the fourth Annual General Meeting

The final 1/3rd of the trustees will resign but be eligible for reappointment along with any other trustees who have been nominated by the members.

The chair will resign but, if the trustees wish them to continue, the members will be asked to confirm their reappointment for a further 3 years. The trustees **may** decide to nominate a different chair.