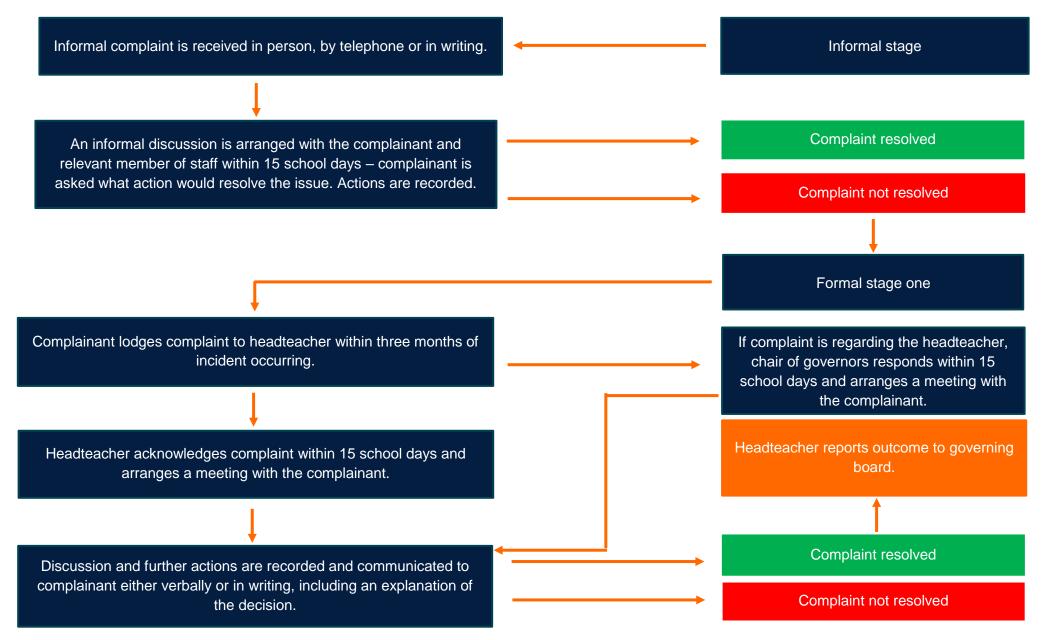
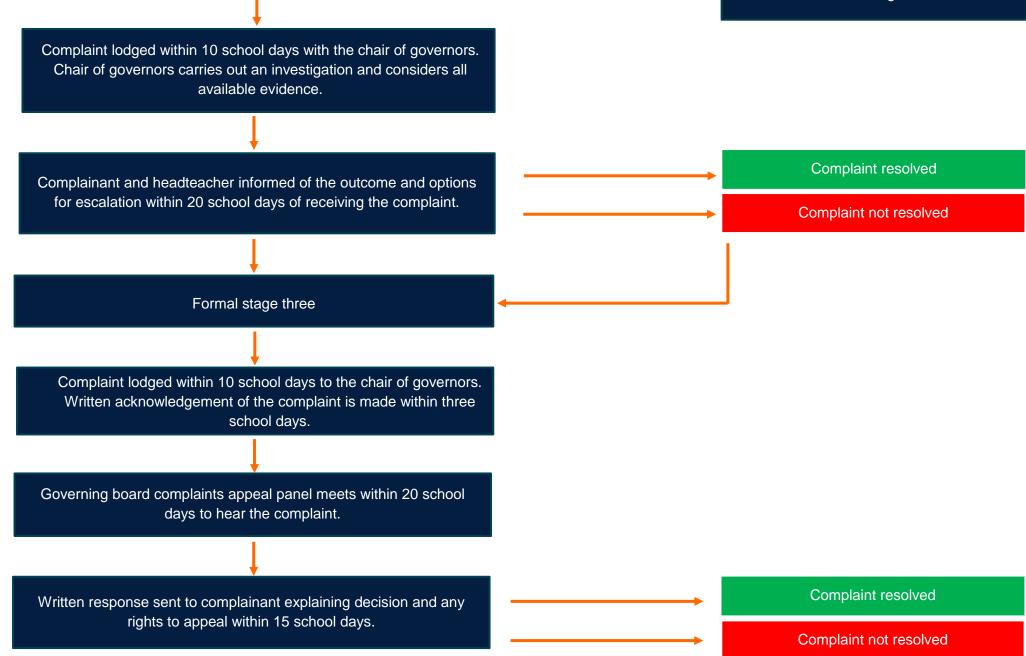
## **Complaints process**



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Formal stage two

Appeal to Secretary of State or ESFA

An intervention will only be made if the school has acted:

- Unlawfully or unreasonably
- Breached a clause in its funding agreement.

## **Complaints log**

Informal stage						
Date complaint received		Complainant name		Method received by		
Nature of complaint						
Name of complaint handler		Date receipt of complaint sent		Date of arranged discussion		
Outcome of discussion (include any findings and recommendations)						
Additional information (include, for example, details of any phone calls or other communications with the complainant)						
Complaint resolved? (Y/N)		Reasons if not resolved				

Formal stage one						
Date complaint received		Date receipt of acknowledgement sent		Method received by		
Name of complaint handler			Date of arranged discussion			
Outcome of discussion (include any findings and recommendations)						

Additional information (include, for example, details of any phone calls or other communications with the complainant)		
Date outcome of discussion sent to complainant		
Complaint resolved? (Y/N)	Reasons if not resolved	
If resolved, date reported to governing board		

Formal stage two							
Date complaint received by chair of governors		Date receipt of acknowledgement sent		Method received by			
Name of complaint handler							
Outcome of chair of governors' consideration of all evidence							
Additional information (include, for example, details of any phone calls or other communications with the complainant)							
Date outcome of review sent to complainant and headteacher		Reasons if not resolved					
Complaint resolved? (Y/N)							

Formal stage three							
Date complaint received by complaints appeal panel		Date receipt of acknowledgement sent			Method	received by	
Name of complaint handler			Date	of panel meetin	g		
Outcome of complaints appeal panel's meeting							
Additional information (include, for example, details of any phone calls or other communications with the complainant)							
Date outcome of panel meeting sent to complainant		Reasons if not resolved					
Complaint resolved? (Y/N)							
Next steps							