

# Culture, Media and Sport Committee attendance for Session 2023–24

The Committee was nominated by the House of Commons on 2 March 2020.

Note: Members of Parliament value the opportunity to be a member of a select committee and will try to participate as fully as they can. Not all the work they do happens in formal meetings. As Members of Parliament, committee members have other duties in the House that may sometimes limit their attendance at select committee meetings. They may have commitments in the Chamber or Westminster Hall, or on other parliamentary committees, such as those scrutinising legislation. Most belong to political parties and may have to attend meetings and events in that capacity. Some hold official front-bench positions or work in support of those who do. Most will, on occasion, need to put a constituency issue ahead of committee attendance. Attendance rates can also be affected by such things as illnesses or caring responsibilities. In some cases, a Member might not attend if they have indicated they wish to leave the committee but the House has yet to discharge them.

Current members	Attendance
Dame Caroline Dinenage (Conservative, Gosport) (Chair) (added 17 May 2023)	21 of 21 (100.0%)
Steve Brine (Conservative, Winchester) (added 2 Mar 2020)	5 of 21 (23.8%)
Clive Efford (Labour, Eltham) (added 2 Mar 2020)	17 of 21 (81.0%)
Julie Elliott (Labour, Sunderland Central) (added 2 Mar 2020)	19 of 21 (90.5%)
Damian Green (Conservative, Ashford) (added 2 Mar 2020)	16 of 21 (76.2%)
Dr Rupa Huq (Labour, Ealing Central and Acton) (added 7 Mar 2022)	15 of 21 (71.4%)
Simon Jupp (Conservative, East Devon) (added 19 Oct 2021)	15 of 21 (71.4%)
John Nicolson (Scottish National Party, Ochil and South Perthshire) (added 2 Mar 2020)	17 of 21 (81.0%)
Alex Sobel (Labour, Leeds North West) (added 15 Jan 2024)	12 of 15 (80.0%)

Jane Stevenson (Conservative, Wolverhampton North East)  
(added 19 Oct 2021) 15 of 21  
(71.4%)

Giles Watling (Conservative, Clacton)  
(added 2 Mar 2020) 10 of 21  
(47.6%)

<b>Former members</b>	<b>Attendance</b>
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Kevin Brennan (Labour, Cardiff West) (added 2 Mar 2020; removed 15 Jan 2024)	5 of 6 (83.3%)
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<b>Overall</b>	<b>72.3%</b>
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