

Welsh Affairs 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
Stephen Crabb (Conservative, Preseli Pembrokeshire) (Chair) (added 27 Jan 2020)	24 of 24 (100.0%)
Tonia Antoniazzi (Labour, Gower) (added 22 Jan 2024)	11 of 16 (68.8%)
Simon Baynes (Conservative, Clwyd South) (added 2 Mar 2020)	4 of 24 (16.7%)
Simon Baynes MP was made a Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Wales Office on 30th November 2023, and has therefore recused himself from the work of the Committee. He is also a Parliamentary Private Secretary with the Department for Digital, Media, Culture and Sport.	
Virginia Crosbie (Conservative, Ynys Môn) (added 2 Mar 2020)	17 of 24 (70.8%)
Geraint Davies (Independent, Swansea West) (added 2 Mar 2020)	0 of 24 (0.0%)
Ruth Jones (Labour, Newport West) (added 15 Jun 2020)	14 of 24 (58.3%)
Ben Lake (Plaid Cymru, Ceredigion) (added 2 Mar 2020)	22 of 24 (91.7%)
Robin Millar (Conservative, Aberconwy) (added 2 Mar 2020)	13 of 24 (54.2%)

Mr Rob Roberts (Independent, Delyn) (added 2 Mar 2020)	14 of 24 (58.3%)
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Dr Jamie Wallis (Conservative, Bridgend) (added 2 Mar 2020)	0 of 24 (0.0%)
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Beth Winter (Labour, Cynon Valley) (added 2 Mar 2020)	10 of 24 (41.7%)
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Beth Winter MP was away from the Committee for a period of time on health grounds.

Former members	Attendance
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Wayne David (Labour, Caerphilly) (added 27 Jun 2022; removed 22 Jan 2024)	0 of 8 (0.0%)
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Wayne David MP was appointed Shadow Minister for the Middle East and North Africa in June 2023.

Overall	48.9%
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