



## To all parents at Wildmoor Heath School

26 November 2021

Dear Parent

### ELECTION OF A PARENT GOVERNOR

There is a vacancy for a parent governor on the Wildmoor Heath School Governing Body and we would welcome applications to take on the role.

The role of the school governor is both rewarding to the individual and invaluable to the school. You would need to be supportive of the values of the school and the Trust and be able to give time and effort to the role, but no specific qualifications or experience are required, and support and training is provided. Please see the attached leaflet.

The Wildmoor Heath School Governing Body is made up of 10 governors, with 2 parent governors, alongside others including members of staff and persons appointed by the Trustees of the Greenshaw Learning Trust.

To be a parent governor you must have parental responsibility for, or full-time caring responsibility for, a registered pupil at the school on 03 December 2021.

School governors have to abide by certain rules regarding the role and their conduct, and are expected to attend and take an active part in Governing Body meetings – normally 6 times a year, late in the afternoon - and take on additional tasks, that suit your particular interests, in relation to the work of the Governing Body.

For more information about the role and the rules on eligibility to be a school governor, please get in touch with me or go to our website at –

[www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk](http://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk) > [join-us](#) > [trustees-and-governors](#)

If you would like to find out more about being a governor at Wildmoor Heath, you will find some information on the school's website (<https://wildmoorheath.org.uk>) in the next few days.

If you would like to make an application to become a school governor, please let me know by **Monday 06 December 2021** at [rdunnage@greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk](mailto:rdunnage@greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk) or via telephone on **07531 212041**.

Yours faithfully

Rachel

Rachel Dunnage, Clerk to the Governing Body

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# YOU can be a school governor

## 300,000 people across the country are already school governors, why not join them?

School governors make a real impact on the success of schools, supporting children and young people in their local community, and applying their knowledge and skills to ensure the school does the best for all its pupils; and they learn about aspects of education and gain experience that can positively impact on other parts of their life.

The Greenshaw Learning Trust is a successful and growing academy trust, supporting and improving primary and secondary schools in the Sutton, Croydon, Bracknell, Godalming, Bristol, Gloucester, Yate, Forest of Dean and Plymouth areas.

Our schools are welcoming and inclusive, at the heart of their local community. We are ambitious for our schools and their students and we believe that there is no ceiling on what can be achieved by anyone, regardless of their circumstances or background.

Strong local governance plays an important part in the success of our schools.

Each school in the Trust is overseen by a governing body, which monitors the school's performance and challenges and supports the school's Headteacher and senior leadership team. The governing body is a committee of the Board of Trustees, which is the governing board of the Trust as a whole.

We are always on the lookout for people who share our vision and would like to join us and help us enable all young people to achieve their potential by becoming school governors.

We want our governing bodies to reflect the diversity of our schools' populations and local communities and welcome interest from people of all ages and backgrounds. No particular qualifications are required and support and training is provided.

If you are interested or want to find out more go to:

[www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk](http://www.greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk) > [join-us](#) > [trustees-and-governors](#)

Or contact the Clerk to the Wildmoor Heath School Governing Body, Rachel Dunnage:

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Alternatively, please contact the GLT Head of Clerking, Julie Adams:

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