



Dear Parents/Carers

Newsletter (19) – 18th November 2020
Wood Green School - Parent Governor Vacancies

The Governing Body is looking to recruit two new Parent Governors. Applications are welcome from all parents and carers. Parents or anyone who has parental responsibility for a pupil on the school roll can stand for election*.

The following three priority areas have been identified as being ones where relevant knowledge or experience would strengthen the representation within the Governing Body, but applications are welcomed from any parent or carer interested in contributing to the Governing Body:

- Equality and Diversity
- Student Wellbeing and Safeguarding
- Legal, Financial or HR

The Governors play an important role in setting the strategic direction of the school as well as monitoring progress. They work closely with the Headteacher and Leadership Team. More information about the role and commitment can be found on the school website at <http://wgswitney.org.uk/governors>.

If you are interested in joining the Governing Body, please email Tracey Mills, Clerk to the Governing Body (clerk.gov@wgswitney.org.uk). You will need to send your expression of interest and a brief summary of your relevant skills/experience (maximum of 250 words), by **3pm on Thursday 26th November 2020**.

If we receive more expressions of interest than there are vacancies, an election will be held with all parents/carers eligible to vote.

Please think about taking on the role or suggesting someone who will do it well. We need committed parent governors to make the governing body as effective as it can be.

Yours sincerely,
John Bhogal, Chair of Governors

** Parents who work at the school for 500 hours or more in any twelve month period (in practice this means any parent who is paid to work more than 12.5 hours per week at the school) are not eligible to be parent governors but they are eligible to vote in parent governor elections.*