



Westlands Primary School

A member of Swale Academies Trust



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Dear Parents and Carers

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY – VACANCY FOR PARENT GOVERNOR

We are looking to appoint a new Parent Governor to join the Local Governing Body of Westlands Primary School. There is no requirement for you to have an understanding of the education system, just the necessary skills, character and time to contribute. The Local Governing body meets once a term and the meetings tend to last up to 2 hours.

This is an exciting opportunity to support the school by having an active voice in the direction of the school and its vision. Being a Governor will give you the chance to make a difference to young people and give something back to your local community. Anyone over the age of 18 can be a Governor and to apply for this role you will need to be a parent/carer of a pupil, currently registered at Westlands Primary.

If you are interested in this role then please write to the Headteacher outlining why you would like to become a Governor and how you think your skill set will support the current Local Governing Body. This should be put in writing and sent to wpsoffice@swale.at by Monday 15th April 2024.

Following this there will be an informal discussion with representatives of the governing body and following successful appointment the name of the selected Governor(s) will be shared with the school.

Kind Regards

Mrs Pettett
Headteacher