



WEST KIRBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN OUR GOVERNING BOARD?

Could you help make a positive contribution to children's education?

Being a School Governor is a hugely rewarding role. You get the chance to make a real difference to young people and give something back to your local community. You will also be joining the largest volunteer force in the country: there are over a quarter of a million volunteers governing state funded schools in England.

There is no requirement for you to understand the education system, just the necessary skills, character, and time to contribute. Training is available so you do not need to have had any prior experience of working in schools or being a School Governor.

As a School Governor you will be able to...

- Use your own experience of education and life beyond school to inform conversations
- Develop and utilise your skills in a board-level environment
- Make a valuable contribution to education and your community
- Support and challenge the school to be the best it can be for pupils and staff
- Bring your unique experiences, perspectives, and insights into decision-making in the interests of the school community

About West Kirby Primary School Governing Board

The Governing Board works together as a team. Our School Governing Body is made up of Governors with a range of different backgrounds, skills and experiences. We are all volunteers who work together for the benefit of our school, and we are the link between the school and the community it serves. We meet six times a year, which is each half term. At times there are some additional meetings when matters arise. Governors have specific responsibilities through a Link Governor Role e.g., EYFS, SEND, Safeguarding, Attendance, History, Maths etc.

What we are looking for

We are looking for **two Co-opted Governors** to join our committed Governing Body. You do not have to be connected to our school, but we would love to have someone who has an interest in working with us to continue to drive our school forward.

We are particularly interested in hearing from anyone with an interest, skills, experience or understanding in any of the following areas:

1. **A knowledge of employment Law and/or family law**
2. **Experience of procurement/purchasing**
3. **Experience of premises management and/or facilities management (e.g. Health & Safety, Planning)**

If you are interested, please submit an expression of interest to our **Chair of Governors, Louise Wood** using the following email chair@westkirby-primary.wirral.sch.uk. The expression of interest should be no more than 500 words, explaining your background and why you are interested in joining us. For more information, please scan the QR code.

