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4th January 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

## ELMWOOD SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY - VACANCY FOR A PARENT GOVERNOR

We currently have a vacancy for a parent or carer to join the governing body. The governing body consists of 9 governors (3 of whom are parent governors – Sarah Thornton and Jamie-Leigh Roberts are 2 of our current parent governors) and we also have 2 associate members on the team.

The views of parents and carers are very important and is an ideal opportunity to become more involved in your child's School. It is an interesting position that requires no specialist knowledge or relevant experience just common sense and a willingness to give a little time. Meetings of the governing body take place three times per year (one per term). In addition, there are various committees that you may be a member of who also tend to meet once per term. The term of office is for a four-year period unless you choose to resign during this timescale.

Parent governors are elected by parents or carers of registered pupils. If more than one parent/carer applies for a vacant position then following consideration of an applicant's personal statement, a secret vote is held amongst parents/carers.

If you would like to be considered for this vacancy, please complete and return the slip below and forward to the School Office. The closing date is Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

Please consider joining our friendly team of Governors and supporting the School.

Yours sincerely

Dawn Carla MRS D CANHAM

CLERK TO THE GOVERNORS

I would like to be considered for the vacancy of Parent Governor at the School.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_(signed)

Parent or Carer of:







**Team Teach Gold Award** 

Dyslexia Friendly School Level 1 Award





