

12/10/2017

Dear Parents/Carer,

**Re: Parent Governor Vacancy**

We have a vacancy for a parent governor on the One Degree Academy governing body. The academy has always aimed for a partnership with parents and being a member of the governing body is one way to help support this.

The governing body's main tasks are:

- to ensure that the school has a clear vision, ethos and strategic direction;
- to hold the principal to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils;
- to oversee the financial performance of the school and making sure its money is well spent.

Parent governors are welcomed as valued members of the team and play a vital role in ensuring the governing body is aware of the views of parents and the local community.

You will need to be able to commit to attending between 3 - 6 meetings per year.

If you feel you can help in this capacity please complete the form on the reverse of this letter and return it to Annalize, our receptionist.

Please note that for the protection of children all governor appointments are subject to an identity, DBS and safeguarding checks.

If there are more applications than vacancies, we will hold an election and you will be sent a voting paper in due course. You may return the ballot paper either via your child or by post.

Yours sincerely

Aidan Sadgrove  
Principal





**Parent Governor form**

Please complete this form if you would like to become a parent governor. if more than one application is made there will be a short and simple election using the information on this form.

Name:.....

Child's Name: .....

Why I would like to become a parent governor?

(Please write in no more than 200 words a few reasons for choosing to be a parent governor)


Signed.....

Date.....