LITTLEDOWN SCHOOL, SLOUGH - part of The Specialist Education Trust

We are looking for new people to join Littledown's Local Governing Body



Become a Parent Governor!

Make a Difference in the Lives of Children and Young People

We are seeking an enthusiastic and committed Parent Governor to join our Governing Body and help shape the future of Littledown School.

As a Parent Governor, you will have a unique opportunity to use your experiences and perspectives as a parent to contribute to the strategic leadership of the school. Working alongside governors and school leaders, you will help ensure that every child receives the highest quality education, support and opportunities to succeed.

Why Become a Parent Governor?

Being a Parent Governor is a rewarding voluntary role that offers the opportunity to:

- Play an active part in improving outcomes for children with social, emotional and mental health needs.
- Ensure that the views of parents and families are represented in governance discussions.
- Support the school's vision, values and long-term development.
- Gain a greater understanding of how schools are led and managed.
- Develop new skills in leadership, strategic planning, finance and accountability.
- Work collaboratively with dedicated professionals who are passionate about making a difference.

- Celebrate and contribute to the many successes and achievements of our pupils and school community.

What Does the Role Involve?

Governors do not manage the day-to-day running of the school. Instead, they work strategically to:

- Support and challenge school leaders.
- Monitor school performance and improvement.
- Ensure resources are used effectively.
- Promote high standards of education, safeguarding and wellbeing.
- Help shape the school's future direction.

Who Can Apply?

We welcome applications from parents and carers of pupils attending the school. No previous governance experience is required. What matters most is a commitment to supporting the school, an interest in helping children thrive, and a willingness to work as part of a team.

Join Us

This is an excellent opportunity to make a meaningful contribution to a school that changes lives every day. By becoming a Parent Governor, you can help ensure that our pupils receive the support, encouragement and opportunities they need to reach their full potential.

Anyone aged 18 or over and living in the UK can be a governor. You do not need to have children or be a parent of a child at the school. You will need to be able to commit an average of 5 hours per term to the role. There are no specific skill requirements for the role.

Your voice, experience and support can make a real difference. We look forward to hearing from you.

"Without strong and effective governance, our schools simply won't be as good as they can be."
Sir Michael Wilshaw/Her Majesty's Chief Inspector/Ofsted

If you are interested in finding out more, please contact Angela Mumford at Littledown School, Queens Road, Slough, Berkshire SL1 3QW or call 01753 521734 option 2 for an application form or alternatively email post@littledown.slough.sch.uk requesting further details.

It is the policy of this School to obtain references prior to interview as part of our commitment to promoting the safeguarding and welfare of all children at this School. The successful candidate must have a satisfactory enhanced disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service.