



HOLYPORT
COLLEGE

GOVERNOR VACANCY

Holyport College would like to invite applications for a Governor vacancy from those with leadership experience of a maintained secondary school, ideally a current or recently retired Head Teacher.

Holyport College is a co-educational day and boarding school for students aged 11 – 19 years. It has been judged Outstanding by Ofsted in all categories (June 2017).

We believe in an all-round education, combined with a strong community ethos. Holyport College holds high academic aspirations for all pupils. Of equal importance is a commitment to developing the full potential of every child – personally, physically and socially.

Eton College is our educational partner and brings its educational and pastoral expertise to Holyport College. The College recently completed an internal review of governance and is in the fortunate position of having an extremely skilled and experienced governing board.

The College is an exempt charity and the Governing Board are the charity trustees, responsible for the governance and oversight of the College and ensuring that it is carrying out its educational purpose. In so doing they:

- Monitor the performance of the school
- Advise on school policies and procedures
- Ensure that every child is able to achieve their personal best
- Oversee the budget
- Help recruit staff

The role of governor would provide an excellent opportunity to contribute your unique skills, experiences and insights to benefit the whole school community.

The term of office for a governor at Holyport College is four years and the post is voluntary (ie not remunerated). If you become a governor, you will be taking on the following commitments to help make sure the College is well led and managed:

- Share the responsibilities of the governing board as summarised above
- Read all agendas, papers and minutes in advance of meetings
- Attend and contribute towards governors' meetings on a regular basis – the governors generally meet between three and six times a year, as well as attending committee meetings and other panels. Most meetings will take place between 17:00 and 18.30 at the College
- Attend and contribute to other College events throughout the year

If you would like any further information or to apply for this position please contact the Clerk on clerk@holyporthcollege.org.uk.