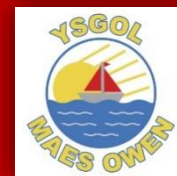


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Monday 9th September, 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Parent Governor Election

We now have one vacancy for a Parent/Guardian Governor. **I have also sent out paper versions in case this makes it easier for you.** Nominations are invited from all parents, or those with parental responsibility, of registered pupils at the school. We have a wonderfully supportive Governing Body and it would be lovely to welcome one of you to the team 😊

If you wish to nominate yourself, please complete the attached nomination form/form sent home with your child and return it to **myself, (Mrs Foulkes), in the School Office** no later than **midday on Monday 23rd September, 2024 via email or by hand. Nominations received after this date will not be considered.** If you wish, you can submit a short personal statement, of no more than 150 words, along with your nomination form.

I have also enclosed information relating to eligibility. The term of office of a parent governor is four years from the date of appointment (or two years for nursery schools). A parent governor may serve out their term of office if their child leaves the school during the period of their term of office.

If there are more nominations than vacancies, a secret ballot will be held.

Kind regards,

Mrs C Foulkes
Headteacher

If you have additional needs relating to disability, language or cultural issues with which you require assistance at a particular school event, please contact us to arrange the assistance required.



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NOMINATION FORM

Election of Parent Governor

I wish to nominate myself for the position of parent governor. I confirm that I am eligible to stand in accordance with the information provided.

1. Name: _____

2. Name of child currently attending this school: _____

3. Address:

4. Email: _____

5. Telephone: _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT (optional)

Please find below a personal statement in support of my nomination:



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Election of Parent Governors

Parent Governors shall be persons who are elected by parents of registered pupils at the school, and who are themselves such parents at the time they are elected. A parent, in relation to any child or young person, includes a guardian and every person who has the actual custody of the child or young person.

1. Who can be a governor?

A governor must:

- be aged 18 or over at the time of his/her election;
- not hold more than one governorship at the same school;
- not be a governor at more than two schools;
- not be bankrupt or disqualified under the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986 or an order made under section 429(2)(b) of the Insolvency Act 1986;
- not been removed from the office of charity trustee or trustee for a charity by the Charity Commissioners or High Court on grounds of any misconduct or mismanagement, or under section 7 of the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions)(Scotland) Act 1990 from being concerned in the management or control of any body;
- not be included in the list of teachers or workers prohibited or restricted from working with children or young people (currently called List 99);
- not be disqualified from being a teacher, other school employee or an independent school proprietor;
- not have been sentenced to 3 months or more in prison (without the option of a fine) in the 5 years before becoming a governor or since becoming a governor;
- not have received a prison sentence of 2¹/₂ years or more in the 20 years before becoming a governor;
- not at any time have received a prison sentence of 5 years or more;
- not have been fined for causing a nuisance or disturbance on school premises during the 5 years prior to or since appointment or election as a governor.

2. How long do governors serve on a governing body?

- Any governor may resign at any time, and must give written notice of their resignation to the clerk.
- All governors are entitled to serve a 4 year term of office.
- The terms of office do not prevent a governor from being elected or appointed for a further term, or from being disqualified under the regulations.

