

# WHAT IS A SCHOOL GOVERNOR?



- An essential part of setting the strategy for the school.
- Responsible for overseeing school performance and ensuring high educational standards.
- Helps shape the strategic direction and ethos of the school.
- We have 52 schools across the region; 3 Multi-Academy Trusts; 3 secondary schools

## JOIN US

IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE & BUILDING A BRIGHTER FUTURE FOR OUR SCHOOLS



### HOW TO GET INVOLVED

Contact our governance lead, Barrie Scott, on:  
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for a conversation or to arrange an information visit to your organisation

### APPLY TO BECOME A GOVERNOR:

Visit our website  
[www.birminghamdbe.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdbe.org.uk) or  
contact us for an application form.

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## JOIN US AS A SCHOOL GOVERNOR: SHAPE THE FUTURE OF OUR CHILDREN IN OUR REGION

**Make a Difference in Church of England Schools across Solihull, Birmingham, & North Warwickshire**

# WHY BUSINESS & INDUSTRY PEOPLE?

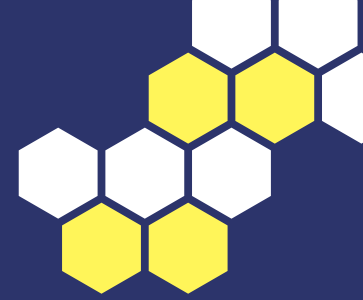
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- Your experience in finance, management, or industry is invaluable.
- You bring a fresh perspective to school governance.
- You help bridge the gap between education and the business world.



# WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR:

- Passion and interest in education and community involvement.
- Skills such as leadership, finance, HR, strategic planning.
- Your knowledge of the needs of local businesses and industry
- A commitment to supporting the ethos of our schools and trusts
- A commitment of time and energy to support our schools (as little as 1 meeting every 2 months.)
- A wide range of individuals from diverse backgrounds:
  - *of all faiths and none*
  - *from the local community*
  - *from UKME/Global Majority Heritage*
  - *who are LGBTQIA+*
  - *from every level of your organisation*
  - *from small, medium and large businesses and organisations*



# KEY BENEFITS OF BEING A GOVERNOR:



- Make a difference to the lives of children and young people
- shape the future leaders of the region and the nation
- Contribute to your community and local education.
- Develop leadership and governance skills.
- Network with other professionals and community leaders.

