



5 October 2016

Dear Parent / Carer

RE: PARENT GOVERNOR ELECTIONS

As a result of one parent governor's term of office coming to an end, the Governing Body now has one vacancy for Parent Governors.

All parents (including carers) of registered pupils at the school are eligible to stand for election. Should there be more nominations than vacancies to fill, a secret ballot will take place.

The term of office for Parent Governors will be as per the Instrument of Government for this school, which is 4 years.

Parents have an important role to play in the education of children and being a Parent Governor can give you an opportunity to contribute to the education of all children at your school. Training and support for Parent Governors is provided by both the school and the LA. If you require further information on the role of the Parent Governor, please contact Mr M Snape, Headteacher.

Parents who wish to be nominated should request a nomination form from the office, which they should read carefully and complete. Once completed this should be returned to

The Headteacher
Marden High School,
Hartington Road,
Cullercoats,
North Shields,
NE30 3RZ

By no later than Friday 21 October 2016.

You should be aware that confirmation of appointment as a governor will be subject to satisfactory pre appointment checks. If you require further information regarding this please contact the Clerk to the Governing Body.

Yours faithfully

Mr M Snape
Headteacher



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