

Summerlea Community Primary School

Co-opted Governor required



Introduction:

Summerlea Community Primary School is a larger than average primary school in the coastal village of Rustington, West Sussex. We are proud of our pupils and their achievements and the behaviour, broad and balanced curriculum and learning environment are strengths of our school. Summerlea is regularly over-subscribed and 60% of our pupils live outside of the catchment area, which is another testament to our school's success and good reputation.

Why should you become a Co-Opted Governor?

As a member of our Governing Body, you will have the opportunity to develop, support and challenge the Summerlea Leadership Team to improve our school and help us to further develop strong links with the local community. The ultimate aim is to provide the best outcomes for our pupils and enhance their quality of life and by extension that of the wider community.

Becoming a Governor at Summerlea is an opportunity for you to enhance your existing skills through interaction with others on the Governing Body, teaching staff and the wider school community. Your skills and experience of working as part of a team to lead and support improvements in any organisation are all highly valuable and will be used to enhance what we do at Summerlea. However, should your life or professional experience be different from this, becoming a school governor will give you an opportunity to share this experience and provide a different perspective to the governing body to broaden its skill set.

Whatever your personal or professional background, working as a school governor will provide you with an excellent opportunity to enhance your personal and professional skills by learning from the broad range of experience and knowledge of your fellow governors, as well as that of the school's leadership team, pupils and teaching staff.

Your commitment:

- the statutory duties of governors
- time and your commitment
- governor is an unpaid position
- up to twelve meetings a year
- visits to the school to explore specific issues and report back to fellow governors
- attend school events, such as school trips, assemblies or performances
- appointed for a four-year term.

Process for applications:

Please contact Nicola Moore (Clerk) at Summerlea Community Primary School, Windsor Drive, Rustington, West Sussex, BN16 3SW

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