



# Edgbarrow School

## Governor Recruitment Evening

### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2023 6pm

The Edgbarrow Governing Body currently has vacancies that we are looking to fill. We are holding a recruitment evening on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 6pm and would like to invite any interested candidates to join us.

#### What are we looking for?

Edgbarrow School is a member of Corvus Learning Trust. Our Local Governing Body is a Trust Committee that is responsible for the overall performance and well-being of Edgbarrow School. We are made up of Co-opted, Parent and Staff Governors. Our Governors come to us through a variety of routes and with a range of different backgrounds, skills and experiences but they are all volunteers who work together for the benefit of the school and are the link between the school and the community it serves. We would be delighted to hear from anyone who has:

- An interest in the performance of the school
- A desire to contribute to and represent the community
- An open and enquiring mind
- The ability to look at issues objectively
- The confidence to ask questions and join in debate
- A willingness to listen and make informed judgements
- The ability to work well with others
- The willingness and time to be able to participate in regular meetings and ad hoc school events

Being a Governor can be enjoyable, stimulating and rewarding. Please don't be put off by thinking that you have to have specialist expertise or knowledge. Enthusiasm and interest is much more important to start with and there is training and support available to help you throughout the four year term of office. You will be joining a long established Governing Body and will be supported by fellow Governors with many years combined experience.

Everyone has something to offer and we want people from as many backgrounds, skill sets and with a wide range of interests as possible. The attached job description provide more details on the role of a Governor.

If you are interested, please complete the Application Form attached and return to [Celeste Moruzzi](mailto:Celeste.moruzzi@edgbarrowschool.co.uk), Clerk to the Governors [Celeste.moruzzi@edgbarrowschool.co.uk](mailto:Celeste.moruzzi@edgbarrowschool.co.uk) by **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2023**. If you are unable to attend on 5<sup>th</sup> December but are interested in Governance please complete and return the application form stating this as alternative arrangements may be possible.

The recruitment evening will consist of presentations from Governors followed by candidate interviews with groups of Governors. Candidates will be notified in the following week if they have been successful. The selection process provides an opportunity, for candidates, to ask questions and talk to existing Governors to help them make an informed decision about whether governing at Edgbarrow is for them.