

Co-opted Governor Application Form



If you know which school you would like to be considered for and have checked there is a vacancy, please send your completed form to the Clerk to the Governors of the school you are applying to.

The Governor Support Team can provide a list of vacancies in your area: tel 01273 293465 or email governor.support@brighton-hove.gov.uk.

Section 1: Governing body you are applying for

Section 2: Personal details

Surname

First name(s)

Title

Telephone numbers (in order of preference)

Home address

Email address

How long have you lived in Brighton & Hove?

Please give details of any schools which you or close family members have attended as pupils or staff. The school may take this into consideration, as it can sometimes cause a conflict of interest.

Please note:

The school will ask for further personal details to carry out a Disclosure and Barring check, if the governing body agrees to your appointment in principle.

Section 3: Employment and voluntary work

1. What present/previous employment or voluntary work have you had that you feel is relevant to your application? Give a brief outline of your responsibilities and any relevant training or qualifications gained, with dates (200 words max).

Section 4: Personal statement

2. Why do you want to be a school governor? (approx 100 words)

3. Please outline how your skills, knowledge and experience would help the work of the governing body and the school (approx 200 words).

Section 5: Declaration

In place of a signature, please declare that you agree to each of the statements below by marking an 'x' in each of the boxes:

I certify that the information given on this form is correct	
I certify that I am not disqualified from appointment as a school governor for any reasons given in Schedule 4 of The School Governance (Constitution) (England) Regulations 2012: http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2012/1034/schedule/4/made	
I agree to inform the clerk to the governors if I subsequently become ineligible for any of the reasons stated above, or as a result of any future regulations	

Data Protection

Brighton and Hove City Council is committed to protecting your personal information and we take our responsibilities under the Data Protection Act 2018 and EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) very seriously. As a data controller we have a responsibility to make sure you know why and how your personal information is being collected in accordance with relevant data protection law. We collect, hold and process a considerable amount of information, including personal information which we need to help us deliver services to the City. We will make sure that any personal information collected and used is done so in line with data protection principles. Our full Data Protection Statement can be found on [the council website](#).