



Whitgreave Primary School

Governor Newsletter

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School Website

Please visit the school website www.whitgreaveprimary.co.uk and select the 'Governor' section. Here you will find any up to date information about the Governors of Whitgreave. You will also find the Governor Handbook, which will provide you with lots of further information about our role in school.

Meetings

Full Governing Board—3/3/2022

Each full meeting, Governors have to check and discuss the membership of Governors. The Headteacher (Mrs Redfern) also gives a termly report on what has been happening in school (data/attendance/staff training/trips etc).

Finance— 17/3/2022

In this meeting, Mrs Millington was asked to attend as the School Business Manager. She shares lots of reports about how the school is performing financially.

Governor Review Day—11/7/22

All leaders presented to Governors on their specific subject areas. It was a great day!

Reminders

Governors would like to remind you that we currently have spaces in our Nursery setting, which your child can access as soon as they're 3. Please speak to a member of staff if you're interested in enrolling your child.

Parent Governor

We have recently appointed Dr Akinremi to our Governing Board.

We are really excited to work with him and we are sure he'll be a great addition to our team.

Governor Roles:

Overall, the role of a Governor can be described as **monitoring and evaluating** the progress of the school. This involves being curious, critical, and confident in asking difficult questions. Governors should be good at problem-solving, and prepared to give and take advice.

Staff Interviews:

When we appoint new staff at Whitgreave, the Governors are involved in this process. They select candidates that are suitable for interview by reading application forms. They then attend interviews alongside the Leadership Team. They also ensure all of the relevant safety checks are completed on the applicant.

Next Meetings:

Curriculum—6/10/22

Finance—20/10/22

FGB—1/12/22