**PARENT GOVERNOR APPLICATION**

Parent governors are elected from all parents who have a child or children at our school. They become a member of our local governing body, serving a term of 4 years, and work “to help reflect the interests and opinions of the Parent Body of the Academy to the LGB and to act in concert with the other Local Governors in the best interests of the Academy.” (*LGB Terms of reference*).

If only one person is nominated for the vacancy, they will become the parent governor. However, if more than one person is nominated, we will run an election. In this case, each nominee has to provide a short paragraph stating why they wish to become a governor and what skills and experience they have that might help. The statement will be published for all our parents to read and so that they can make a decision.

Please complete the form below. Experience and skills can come from any work, volunteering or studying that you might have done – it does not have to be in education to be useful. Once you have completed the form, please submit it to the school office.

NAME:

I HAVE A CHILD/CHILDREN IN YEAR(S):

I WOULD LIKE TO BECOME A PARENT GOVERNOR BECAUSE:

I BELIEVE MY BACKGROUND, SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE WOULD MAKE ME AN EFFECITVE PARENT GOVERNOR BECAUSE: