What the Governor may need to know before completing their nomination form......

Foundation Governors are responsible, in collaboration with the Head and staff, in upholding and developing the Christian ethos and distinctiveness of the school, the monitoring of Collective Worship and the SIAMS inspection Action Plan along with other roles and responsibilities within the Governing Body.

It is an explicit requirement that all Governors have the appropriate skills required to contribute to the effective working of the Governing Body. Foundation governors need to have a strong commitment to the role and to improving outcomes for children, the inquisitiveness to question and analyse and the willingness to learn.

Foundation Governors should have an understanding of education and where possible a working knowledge

It is really important to remember that all Governors are expected to maintain appropriate levels of confidentiality, conduct and professionalism within their role and throughout their term of office. Failures from breaches in confidentiality, inappropriate conduct or lack of professionalism can result in the removal of a Governor which is a decision for the appointing authority. Any Governor on a local governing body appointed by the MAT Board can also be removed by the MAT Board.

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