



Chair of the Local Governing Body (LGB)

Location: Glebe Primary School

Salary: Voluntary

The Role

Are you looking for a challenging opportunity, and are keen to give something back? United Learning Trust are seeking to appoint a Local Governing Body (LGB) Chair for Glebe Primary School to lead the LGB and continue to support and challenge the Head teacher and senior leaders to bring out 'The Best in Everyone' through an education that develops rich knowledge and character.

The LGB chair is responsible for ensuring that the LGB functions effectively and will provide clear leadership and direction to the LGB, keeping it focused on its core functions. This is a vital role, setting the highest professional expectations for the highest standards of governance.

There are opportunities for training and networking across the Trust and there is an expectation to attend the termly Chairs' Forum and the Trust's annual leadership conference, and to support the Head teacher and senior leaders with termly performance meetings. The LGB meets approximately six times throughout the academic year and meetings take place in the early evening. All governors are expected and encouraged to visit the school for monitoring meetings and events.

Position requirements

- GCSE pass grades , A Levels & Post Graduate qualification
- An excellent standard of written and spoken English
- Able to communicate effectively with different audiences
- Able to work with senior school staff and hold them to account as well as supporting their work and them as individuals.
- Experience of chairing meetings in the past
- Experience of the necessary systems of governance
- Approachable
- Well organised

About Us

Glebe Primary School is a vibrant school in West Sussex; close to Brighton, the sea and the South Downs; we are rated as 'Good' in all areas by OFSTED (Feb 2023). Built on values of nurture, inspire and challenge we have a highly skilled and dedicated team of staff committed to helping the children become resilient, motivated and curious learners. With personal development, care and kindness at the centre of our approach we aim to give every child the opportunity to reach their full potential and shine here at Glebe.

United Learning

Glebe Primary School joined the United Learning Group in 2023. United Learning Trust is a large, and growing, group of schools aiming to offer life changing education to children and young people across England.

Our schools work as a team, achieving more by sharing than any single school could. Our expert Subject Advisors, our Group-wide intranet, our own curriculum and our online learning portal all help us share knowledge and resource, helping to simplify work processes and manage workloads for an improved work-life balance.

Deadline 27 June 2025

We would welcome expressions of interest - for further information please contact:
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