

Are you interested in being a governor at Castle Hall Academy?

Being a governor is a rewarding and effective way of contributing to our school community and to the lives of our students.

Our governors:

- Mostly are not education professionals
- Come from all walks of life and bring a range of skills to the governing body
- Work positively as a team
- Help to shape, implement, and monitor policy
- Support and challenge senior leadership to ensure students get the best possible quality of education
- Have a commitment to promoting equality and diversity

Information about the academy and the governor role

- Castle Hall Academy is an 11-16 non-selective secondary school in Mirfield, West Yorkshire. It has been part of the Impact Education Multi-Academy Trust since September 2018.
- The opportunity is for two governors to join our local governing body (LGB), which has nine
 governors. The LGB meets formally as a board four to six times a year, in addition to which
 governors are invited to two 'challenge sessions' when we visit the school to explore a topic in
 depth, and a strategy and vision session, which is a chance to meet in a more relaxed way to take
 stock and move forward.
- We are particularly keen to recruit governors from local businesses and employers, or people who have close links to the Mirfield community. Of course, you need to be committed to the wellbeing and success of young people.
- We provide a comprehensive induction and ongoing training and development for our governors.

If you are interested, please get in touch for further information, an informal conversation and/or a tour of the academy by contacting either:

- Mr P Shire, Chair of Governors, email <u>ACranmer@i-mat.org.uk</u>
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