



Diocese of Salisbury  
Academy Trust



THE SALISBURY DIOCESAN  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
*'Working for children, young people, schools and parishes'*



**Milldown**  
CE Academy

## **TRUST GOVERNOR VACANCY**

### **We are looking for new school governor!**

Do you have some spare time and are looking for a meaningful and rewarding way to help our school? We are looking for volunteers to join our Academy Ethos and Standards Committee (ASEC).

ASEC members support the raising of standards of achievement for all pupils, develop a strategic plan for the school and maintain its Christian ethos and distinctive character. This includes monitoring and evaluating the leadership of the Headteacher, challenging decisions as a critical friend and ensuring the Academy Improvement Plan is implemented and supports the absolute best education for children. Our ASEC meets every half term and volunteers also visit school to monitor its development and improvement through the year.

Trust ASEC members do not need experience of governance, but they do need the following qualities:

- A willingness to represent and support the school and Diocese of Salisbury Academy Trust in a professional manner
- An ability to manage communication and relationships including face-to-face, on the phone and in written communication, efficiently and diplomatically
- Commitment to contribute to and support the overall aims and ethos of our Trust and school
- An ability to deal with highly confidential and sensitive issues
- Patience and enthusiasm to achieve the best for children and our community

If this sounds like you and you have 5- 10 hours every half term to offer, please get in touch, we would love to hear from you. Please either contact Katharine Hurst (Chair of the ASEC) – [KHurst@Milldown.dsat.org.uk](mailto:KHurst@Milldown.dsat.org.uk) or Laura Mackenzie (Clerk to the ASEC) – [forumclerk@dsat.org.uk](mailto:forumclerk@dsat.org.uk) for further information and an application form.

For more information about governance within our Trust, please visit [www.dsat.org.uk](http://www.dsat.org.uk).



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