***Confidential* Self-nomination Form**

**Application for Appointment of School Governor by Essex County Council**

1. Enter ***either*** the name of the School for which applying ***or*** the area where you wish to be a governor *(please give the school’s previous name if there has been a recent change)*

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2. Personal information

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| Title: |  |
| Full Name: |  |
| Address: |  |
| Post Code: |  |
| Telephone: |  |
| E-mail: |  |
| Statement by applicant in support of nomination – e.g. occupation, skills, experience, interests, any previous experience as a governor, public service etc. | |
| *Please note applicants must be over 18 years* | |

3. Name and address of person who can provide a reference. These can be business or personal and will have known you for at least 2 years

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| Name: |  |
| Address: |  |
| Tel No: |  |
| Email: |  |

4. How did you learn about being a governor? (Please tick one box)

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| Newspaper |  | Other Advertising |  | From a Friend |  | Approached by a Governor |  |

5. Signature of applicant, unless sending by e-mail

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| **Signature**: |  |

**Note – before taking up appointment, any person nominated will be required to sign a declaration stating that they have not been disqualified from membership of a governing body for reasons set out in School Governance Regulations. These cover disqualification for reasons of bankruptcy and criminal convictions where a term of imprisonment has been imposed without the option of a fine. The school will also require the nominee to complete an enhanced criminal records check within 21 days of appointment. Where the check is not satisfactory the appointment/election will not be confirmed.**

Please return the completed form to:

Schools Communication Team

County Hall

E2 Zone 1

Chelmsford CM1 1QH

Email: [schools.communication@essex.gov.uk](mailto:schools.communication@essex.gov.uk)

***Please note: The personal information you provide to Essex County Council will be used and shared only in connection with your role as a school governor and in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018. Please see the*** [***Privacy Notice***](http://www.eesforschools.org/T%20and%20Cs/Privacy%20Notice%20-%20Governance%20Support%20(EES).pdf) ***for further details. You may be sent information on the role of governors and about training courses in order to assist you to fulfil the responsibilities of the role.***