

ELECTION OF PARENT GOVERNORS

Statement in Support of Election

Before completing this form, please refer to the notes provided on page 2 of this document

School	Crayke CE Primary School
Candidate name	Gayle Robinson
Age(s) of child(ren)	7
Experience and/or interests relevant to serving as a governor: I would like to become a school governor as I have the dedication, passion and skills that are demanded in this role. As a parent of a child at the school, I have seen directly how the excellent work of the governors and staff have contributed to the lovely young man he is. I would be keen to complete any training required to become an effective governor, relish the chance to contribute to the existing team, and add a fresh perspective. As a Clinical Psychologist, I believe it is essential to focus on the holistic needs of the children. I would be keen to promote a sense of safety and enhance emotional wellbeing to ensure that the children are growing and developing in every way. I believe with this as a key focus the children would be able to explore and develop their sense of self and interests, hoping to reinforce the message of "follow your pathway and we grow together with confidence". As part of my doctorate training, I worked in Child and Adolescent Services and before this I volunteered with the Samaritans. I have worked for the NHS for the last 11 years and currently work with working age adults. During my time in the NHS, I have developed my communication skills, led service improvement projects and taken a key role in the development of staff. Within my role, I can listen to many different perspectives and synthesise what would be most beneficial and effective in that situation. I believe that I would be able to bring these skills to help support the governors and school. I would be keen to work alongside the school team including the governors to support their exceptional work and to help every child reach their full potential.	

Signed:



Date: 15.06.2025

Notes for completion of the statement in support of election

Using this form, please provide a statement in support of your nomination which should be no longer than 300 words.

If a ballot is required this statement will be shared with those eligible to vote as part of the election process.

You may wish to consider the following aspects:

- What skills and experience you have to offer
- What interests you in the role
- Your commitment to undertaking training to acquire or develop the skills to be an effective governor
- If seeking re-election, details of your contribution to the work of the board during your current term of office
- How you plan to contribute to the work of the board.

This statement should be returned with your completed nomination form.