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Dear Parent and Carers,

New College Governor Volunteer

Scarborough UTC is a forward-thinking college dedicated to providing high-quality, technical education and training to equip students with the skills needed for successful careers in industry.

We are seeking a committed and experienced individual to join our Board of Governors.

The role of a governor at SUTC involves providing strategic oversight and guidance to ensure the college's success and development. Governors are responsible for shaping the direction of the college and ensuring it delivers high-quality education to its students. Below are some key aspects of a governor's role:

- Provide strategic leadership and oversight, contributing to the long-term direction of the college.
- Monitor the performance of the college, ensuring academic and operational goals are met.
- Ensure the college's financial health by reviewing and approving budgets and funding strategies.
- Act as an ambassador for the college, promoting its values and fostering relationships with key stakeholders, including industry partners and the community.
- Hold the leadership team to account, ensuring effective decision-making and adherence to regulations.
- Contribute to the development of policies and strategic initiatives that improve the quality of education and student outcomes.

In summary, governors play a critical role in ensuring the UTC is well-governed. Effectively managed and provides students with the skills they need to succeed in their future careers. It's a role that requires dedication, strategic thinking, and a commitment to the values and goals of the college.

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This is a voluntary role, and the Board of Governors typically meets five times a year. Governors are expected to contribute their time, knowledge, and expertise in support of the college's objectives.

As this position involves working with young children you will be required to undertake a DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) check. You should also be aware the college is required by law to publish the names of governors. You should be aware that, in line with government guidance, schools are encouraged to undertake on-line searches as part of any selection process, including governors.

Support, guidance and training will be available to help you undertake your duties and develop your understanding of the key areas of school management.

How to apply

If you are interested in applying for this important role, please send your CV and covering letter outlining your relevant experience and motivation for applying to Mr. Christopher White our Chairman of the Local Governing Committee (c.white@su.coastandvale.academy) or the Office Administration Manager Miss Karen Cooper (k.cooper@su.coastandvale.academy).

We look forward to receiving your application and thank you for your interest in supporting the SUTC.

With kind regards,



Helen Dowds
Principal