

November 2023

Foundation Governor Vacancy
at
The Catholic High School, Chester

Is a Foundation Governor different to other Governors?

No, Foundation Governors do exactly the same as the Governors, but the difference is that they are appointed by the Bishop to preserve and develop the Catholic ethos in the school.

As a Foundation Governor, you would ensure the Catholic teachings are preparing all our students, Catholic and non-Catholic alike, to be ready to leave school prepared for their future in this ever changing world.

We all have talents to share; you need to be able to offer your time and commitment as a volunteer for the benefit of the students and staff in our school. The term of office is 4 years.

How to apply

You do not have to have a connection with the school, but you must be a practicing catholic and belong to a parish. Your parish priest will need to vouch for you and sign your application form.

Full details of the role can be found under the Governance section of the Diocese website <https://educationshrewsbury.org/governance/>

A Disclosure Barring service check (DBS) will be applied for once an application for any Governor role has been approved.

If you would like an informal chat about governance, or wish to express an interest in the role, please contact Jane Johnson, Chair of Governors, via her school email: johnsonj@christofidelis.org.uk