



Marling School - Election of Parent Governors

There is **one** vacancy for a parent governor. You may vote for **one** candidate only. Votes must be received by Thursday 14th October 21.

To help with your decision, here are the personal statements for the two candidates (in surname alphabetical order):

Candidates

Alison Campbell-Black

I am the current parent governor. The four years of term of office have been enjoyable and a steep learning curve. I am part of a good team of committed governors who work hard and voluntarily to improve Marling School. I have two sons at Marling, one in Year 8 and one in Year 11, which enables me to bring parents' views from two levels. I feel I have more to give to the governing body and would relish the opportunity to continue for another 4 years.

Carly Fields

Having served on the Board – in the capacity of Vice Chair – of a national multi-stakeholder charity and as a Trustee for an educational trust fund since 2019, I am well versed in constructively challenging and holding executive teams to account. Both roles require strong financial literacy and reasoning, particularly during the last 18 months. In my role with the charity, I am an intrinsic part of the strategy-setting team and am experienced in governance matters, sitting as a member of the Nominations & Governance Committee.

In the educational field, I am a long-standing member of a professional examinations team, advising on international examination setting process and delivery of exams, in addition to serving as an Assistant Examiner for chartered qualifications. I am also the Founder and Director of an international publishing company and an expert in printed and digital publications.

For more information on my career and experience, please could I direct you to my personal LinkedIn page: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/carlyfields/>.