


Governor details and register of interests:

Halstead Community Primary School

Governors name: Leslie Hawkins		
Governor category: Headteacher		
Appointed by: Kent County Council		
Date of appointment: 1st September 2011		
Term of office: For as long as in post.		
Pecuniary interests: None	Attendance: (yr14/15) 94% (16/17 meetings)	
Relationship to governors and staff: (sister, wife etc.) N/A	Governance roles in other educational institutes: N/A	
Role on governing body: (Committees/position)		
Member of Strategy Team Member of Learning and Development Team Member of Resources Team I have no position (such as Chair) on any of the teams.		
Experiences and interests:		
<p>Prior to joining Halstead as Headteacher in September 2011, I had been on the Governing Body at my previous school as an Associate member (through my role as Deputy Headteacher). I was on their Finance Team and Learning & Development Team.</p> <p>Being a Governor allows you to see the school in a different way and gives greater understanding to the decisions that are being made.</p> <p>As Headteacher, it allows me to share everything that is happening and changing at the school with people from a range of backgrounds, who have an interest in seeing the school grow. Yes, their questions are challenging and meetings can often feel like you have been put through the mill BUT that allows them to fulfil their role effectively and is therefore worth it.</p>		