



## COMMUNITY GOVERNOR APPLICATION FORM



If you wish to be considered for the position of Community Governor on the School Standards Board of Broadstone Middle School, please complete this form, together with the Declaration Form, and return to the school office in an envelope marked 'Community Governor Vacancy' addressed to 'Governance Operations Director'

Name .....

Address ..... Email .....

Please comment in the boxes provided giving an indication of the areas of support you may be able to offer the School Standards Board. Please note that the governing body is expected to show these skills across its membership and that you are not expected to be skilled in all these areas. Therefore, *there is no requirement to write comments in all boxes.*

<b>Essential for all governors</b>	
Commitment to improving education for all pupils	
Ability to work in a team and take collective responsibility for decisions	
Willingness to learn	
Commitment to the school's vision and ethos	
<b>Should be able to contribute something towards these areas</b>	
<b>Understanding/experience of governorship</b>	
Experience of professional leadership	
Experience of being a committee member in another sector or another governing body	
<b>Vision and strategic planning</b>	
Understanding and experience of strategic planning and reviewing issues objectively	
Problem solving skills	
Ability to consider innovative solutions	
Understanding of current education policy	

<b><i>Holding the Head to account</i></b>	
Communication skills, including being able to discuss sensitive issues tactfully	
Ability to analyse data, question and challenge	
<b><i>Financial oversight</i></b>	
Knowledge of financial planning/management	
Experience of procurement/purchasing	
Experience of premises and facilities management	
<b><i>Knowing your community</i></b>	
Links with the community and/or local businesses	
Knowledge of the local economy	
<b><i>Where did you see the vacancy advertised?</i></b>	

Please give a brief factual statement about yourself and explain what you feel you can bring to the Standards Board.  
Continue overleaf if necessary

Signed .....