



Do you want to make a difference?

Join our team of governors.

Cairn Education is looking to appoint a team of governors. If you are a driven professional with expertise in one of the following fields, we would love to hear from you:

- Finance and Accounting
- Business and Marketing
- Leading in the Education sector
- Safeguarding and Child Protection
- HR or Health and Safety

Cairn Education is a non-profit Community Interest Company. We aim to provide unique, individualised and innovative programmes to improve the lives of Autistic individuals that have disengaged from mainstream education in Cumbria.

Cairn Education believes in creating learning environments in which young people are able to flourish. We understand that young people need to be safe, valued and understood in order to thrive. Combining expertise in therapy and education, Cairn Education specialises in re-engagement programs for individuals struggling to access mainstream education services, by providing specialist assessment and individualised programmes that facilitate meeting aspirational goals. At Cairn Education young people become part of a strong community of active learners who are capable of amazing achievements.

For more information, please see our website www.cairneducation.co.uk

If you are a professional with a passion for education, we invite you to consider joining our Governing Body, to help shape the future of a unique and truly person-centred school.

Expectations of the role:

Governors are concerned with the strategic aims and objectives of the school; helping to set and monitor the progress towards these aims. Governors also shape and review school policies, ensuring relevant compliance. Finally, governors help to monitor and evaluate the progress the school is making towards its aims through providing effective support and challenge to the Directors.

In order to achieve this, school governors are equipped with interpersonal skills of tact and diplomacy, able to uphold confidentiality and self-evaluate. A governor does not need to be an expert in all areas of governance but will take responsibility for a key area of professional expertise. Relevant training will be provided which all governors are required to attend in addition to attending at least 6 governance meetings per academic year and any occasional committees if required. The governor role is not paid, however agreed expenses such as travel are reimbursed.

Next Steps:

If you would like more information about this advert please contact the school office on or email us at info@cairneducation.co.uk. Please note that all prospective governors will be required to complete an application form including supplying references. All governors also undergo DBS and other safeguarding vetting prior to being appointed.