

29th September 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to share some opportunities to increase parental engagement at Bluecoat Aspley Academy. Without the support of all stakeholders, including yourselves, we would not be able to serve our young people in the best way possible. We appreciate all of your support on a day to day basis and I thank you once again for this.

There are two opportunities that I would like to share with you. Firstly is the opportunity to become a parent governor. Our governors work very closely with us in being able to provide support throughout the year. We have an opportunity for a parent to join the governing committee. If you would be interested and would like to find out more please email Simon Hudson, our clerk to the governors on shudson@bluecoat.uk.com. He will then be able to send on a job description and a desired skills set so that we are able to invite someone who would be able to add to and complement our existing skills set on the governing body.

Secondly, within our Bluecoat Aspley Academy family I am more than aware that you work in many areas of the public and private sector. I would like to extend our links with businesses across the city in order to link with the curriculum within the Academy and provide more opportunities to our students. If you work in a company that might be interested in linking with us or are aware of community organisations that may be interested in linking with us, please do let me know (email address below).

The above opportunities are a first step in increasing our engagement with parents and we will be following this up with future opportunities in the not too distant future.

Regards,

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