



Role:	Vice Chair of Governors
Date:	September 2016
Reports to:	The Governing Body of Redwood School
Purpose:	To assist the Chair lead the governing body and to ensure that it meets all its statutory responsibilities.
Responsibilities:	The responsibilities of a Governor and the following additional responsibilities.
	The vice-chair of the Governing Body acts as chair if the chair is unavailable. If the chair of governors resigns the vice-chair will act as chair until the next governors' meeting, when a chair of governors will be elected.
	Support the Chair in the conduct of meetings
	To work closely with the Chair and take responsibility for agreed areas of work
	Support the effective operation of committees
	Check, with the Chair, that decisions taken by the GB are clear, understood by all and are enacted
	Ensure Governors participation in and between meetings
	Co-ordinate the induction of new governors
	Co-ordinate training of individual governors and the governing body
	Listen and be a critical friend to the Chair
Skills:	Team building Good communicator
	Good listener Ability to organise