

# QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers and Staff

## QEGS Local Governing Body updates from September 2020

As the new school year starts, the QEGS Local Governing Body wishes to pass their thanks to Mrs Helen Baker as she has chosen to stand down from her position of Chair and Governor; Helen has held the position for over 3 years and as a Governor since March 2014. Helen has attended school events, meetings and many other decision-making processes and has been a regular visitor in school to meet with students and staff over the last 6 years.

QEGS welcomes newly elected Chair by the LGB, Mr Colin Smith. Colin is an experienced Parent Governor at QEGS, first elected in March 2014; he has 4 children who have attended QEGS, the youngest leaving Sixth Form this year. Colin is also a co-opted Governor at Ashbourne Primary School.

Mr Matthew Atkins, Staff Governor for over 12 years has stood down from his position on the LGB; contributing as a Governor and as a member of the Senior Leadership Team on several of the committees and the Full Board meetings; bringing a wealth of experience and support over the years.

The vacancy for a Parent Governor and a Staff Governor (QEGS Staff voting only) will be appointed following an election process before the end of December 2020; information to follow at a later date.

Yours faithfully

Mr S Garrity and Mrs C Bramwell

**Headteacher and Clerk to the Governors**