

# Academy Governance Self-Evaluation



The reason for these questions is to better understand our own **strengths and areas for development**. Please be as **honest** and **reflective** as possible.

Use the following scale:

1	2	3	4	5
Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree

If completing electronically, you can copy and paste this tick: ✓

Quality of Education	1	2	3	4	5
I know what the intention of our curriculum is					
I know how the academy is implementing this curriculum					
I know what the impact of our curriculum is					
I know how well our pupils achieve					
I know how governors monitor pupil achievement					
Leadership & School Improvement	1	2	3	4	5
I understand the academy's strengths and weaknesses					
I know our Academy Improvement Priorities					
I know how effective our academy improvement work is					
I know how the academy supports leaders' work-life balance					
I know how the academy supports staff work-life balance					
COVID	1	2	3	4	5
I can talk confidently about the COVID impact on our pupils and the effectiveness of recovery plans					
Governance	1	2	3	4	5
Governance is outstanding					
The governing board has effective succession plans in place					
The governing board effectively supports leaders					
The governing board effectively challenges leaders					
The governing board has the right skills to take the academy forward					
I understand our finances and the financial reports we receive					
I know how governors monitor school improvement					
Governors have all other necessary monitoring systems in place (e.g. visits during the school day, effective link governors (e.g. SEND, safeguarding), feedback from parents and pupils, scrutiny of pupil attainment)					
Governors are certain that our safeguarding policy & practice meets all regulations and makes a <b>real difference</b> to pupils					



**What are the governing board's three biggest strengths?**

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**What are the governing board's three biggest weaknesses?**

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**Are there any further comments about any statements on page 1, your role as a governor or governance of our academy?**

Thank you for your time.

