

2023/24 Foundation Governor Application Deadlines & Process

Month	Application Submission Deadline
September 2023	Friday 8 September 2023
October 2023	Friday 6 October 2023
November 2023	Friday 3 November 2023
December 2023	Friday 24 November 2023
January 2024	Friday 12 January 2024
February 2024	Friday 2 February 2024
March 2024	Friday 1 March 2024
April 2024	Friday 5 April 2024
May 2024	Friday 3 May 2024
June 2024	Friday 7 June 2024
July 2024	Friday 28 June 2024

- PCC secretaries and clerks to governors are notified by email of upcoming foundation governor vacancies two months in advance, and will be sent guidance documents and a copy of the current application form.
- Each application will be reviewed by members of the Education Team, then submitted to the Foundation Governor Appointment Panel for decision.
- Where appointments/reappointments are approved, letters confirming these will be circulated to the applicant (cc'd to the PCC secretary and clerk) within the month. Where applications are not approved (typically because additional information is requested), this will be communicated within the same timeframe.
- The Appointment Panel does not receive applications in August.
- Our usual practice is to backdate new appointments to the first day of the month in which approved, and to date reappointments to ensure continuity of service.
- Please direct any queries regarding the appointment process to schoolsgovernance@glosdioc.org.uk.

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