

## Governor News, Summer Term 2022/23

As we come to the end of this academic year, on behalf of the governing body I would like to extend our very best wishes to all of our staff, students and parents. I hope you have a very enjoyable summer.

To our students who await your A level and GCSE results, I wish you all the best and hope you receive the fantastic grades your hard work deserves. We look forward to seeing many of you return in September, and for those who are moving on we wish you every success in your future careers.

This year the school has made significant steps forward in implementing the Academy Improvement Plan which sets out the academy objectives each year. As governors we are able to monitor the progress and actions of these objectives. The Academy Committee continues to support and challenge the academy's Senior Leadership Team whilst carrying out our core functions as governors. If you wish to make contact with the governors, please email <u>elagovernors@eastleake-ac.org.uk</u>

This year we have welcomed three new members to our governing body: Mr Uktarsha Joshi, Ms Caroline Marion and Mr Kevin Leckie. Together they bring a wide range of skills to our Academy Committee and we are very pleased to have them on board.

Finally, I would like to recognise the members of staff who are leaving the academy this summer, including our current Principal Mr Blake Francis. Your hard work and dedication to the academy is greatly appreciated, and we all agree you are leaving us in a strong position coming into the next academic year. We are very pleased to welcome Mr Tom Reid to the Principal position and have huge confidence that you will continue to take the academy forward.

Best wishes to you all,

Sharon Wilson Chair of Governors