Leadership and Governance
Service Level Agreement
April 2016 – March 2017

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Professional Development Package Options
April 2016 - March 2017

The leadership and management of schools continues to change rapidly, with an increased focus on professional governance evident in the OFSTED leadership judgement.

We believe that gaining skills and knowledge through continued professional development is vital for governors and clerks to confidently undertake their roles. The Governors and Clerks Professional Development Programme aims to support governing bodies through the provision of a comprehensive series of training courses to equip both governors and clerks to carry out their roles effectively and enable them to strategically lead their schools and academies.

We produce an annual Training Programme, which caters for new governors as well as more experienced governors who want to further their knowledge in a specialised area. We review our courses regularly to reflect national initiatives, local need and changes in legislation. Courses are open to all governors as continued learning is vital in empowering governors to confidently undertake their roles.

To support governing body professional development we offer a Service Level Agreement (SLA).

The Governor Training SLA is an agreement purchased directly by the governing body through EDUCENT and includes:

- A countywide programme of training and development sessions for governors, chairs of governors and clerks with a focus on developing essential skills
- Annual conferences for Chairs of Governors, Clerks, and Governors
- Additional courses to the published programme where government initiatives are introduced or legislation changes
- Online E-learning programmes
- ‘The Governor’ publication issued twice a year featuring key information, articles and case studies to improve practice
- Relevant and timely email based communication sharing key messages and information from the local authority relevant to the governor role

Aileen Cooper
Training and Development Co-ordinator
For the year April 2016 to March 2017, there is a choice of two packages as detailed below.

Package 1

Best value for money and the most popular package. The package includes

- New Governor, Chair and Clerk induction training
- Unlimited attendance at any core training session from the published development programme for any member of your governing body.
- One free delegate place at any of our annual conferences for clerks, governors and chairs of governors
- Governor Briefing papers
- Relevant and timely email based communication sharing key messages and information from the local authority relevant to the governor role

Costs for the year April 2016 to March 2017

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<th>Small schools with less than 100 pupils</th>
<th>£325</th>
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| All other schools                      | £325 for the first 100 pupils  
                          £1.50 per pupil thereafter |
| Annual conference for governors, clerks and chairs | First place free, additional delegates £100 each |

At an Additional Cost for governing bodies purchasing package 1

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<th>A 2 hour In-house session (delivered in your school) from a list of available topics published in the training and development programme</th>
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| Online E-Learning Modules- GEL                                                                                           | £100 (per governing body)  
                          (This is an LA package discounted price through GEL, the cost will be £150) |
| Online E-Learning Modules– Modern Governor                              | £150 (per governing body)  
                          (This is an LA package discounted price through Modern Governor) |

Package 2

A pay as you go service allowing you to customise to your requirements from the following:

- Governor, Chair or Clerk induction training
- Any core training session from the published programme
- Annual conferences for governors, chairs and the clerks
- In-house session (delivered in your school) from a list of available topics published in the training and development programme
Online E-Learning in the comfort of your own home using either Governor E-Learning (GEL) or Modern Governor modules across a variety of topics

- Governor Briefing papers
- Relevant and timely email based communication sharing key messages and information from the local authority relevant to the governor role

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<td>Conference or whole day session</td>
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**To Order Governor Service Training Package**

Details of our current training programme can be found on our KELSI web pages
http://www.kelsi.org.uk/school_management/governors.aspx

To purchase the governor training packages and/or e-learning packages please contact
edukent@kent.gov.uk

Please email leadershipgovernancecentral@kent.gov.uk with all other additional training / review requests

**National College for Teaching and Leadership - Development Programmes**

National College Development Programmes and workshops are delivered under license by Hampshire County Council. Kent along with other South East Coordinator of Governor Services are delivery partners of Hampshire County Council.

Access to any of the Chairs Development Programmes must be made through Hampshire. There is a link from KELSI to the Hampshire Governor Services Website.

The National College Development Programmes that we offer:-
- The National College Development Programme for Chairs and Aspiring Chairs
- The National College Development Programme for clerks

*Both of these currently attract a scholarship towards the cost*