

Word die beste
wat jy kan wees

LAERSKOOL KNYSNA PRIMARY

Become the best
that you can be



Tussenverkiesing

By-election

NOMINASIEVORMS /
NOMINATION FORMS

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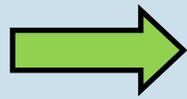
Nominations close 24 November



VOTING DAY / STEM DAG

8 December 2021

Voting as a family routine? It turns out that there is evidence in the world of political science and public policy research that lifelong voting habits are formed in childhood and adolescence, and that those issues of routine and habit may be important in determining voter behavior and therefore election results.



8 DECEMBER: BY-ELECTION

**What does serving on the SGB,
entail?**

**Wat behels dit om op die SBL te
dien?**



It DOES mean that:

- You get involved in long-term, strategic planning rather than short-term operational planning.
- You offer the school those skills you have and which it doesn't have, but nevertheless wants or needs.
- You get involved in significant roles and important projects rather than merely time-consuming and menial jobs.
- You enjoy the thrill of meaningful interaction and being part of a special team.

The governing body's role and responsibilities:

- Don't under-estimate the expectations and demands facing you - the SGB meets in some forum, to monitor the progress of the school.
- Most monitoring and inputs take place via different committees which are responsible for various areas of school life, so not every member attends every meeting – but the job is a responsible one.
- The SGB is responsible for the **governance** of the school, not its **management**.
- The day-to-day running of the school** is in the hands of the school's **Management Team**.
- The Governing Body is responsible for determining the aims and the overall vision of the school*, and it holds the Vision and the Mission Statement of the School "in trust".
- Together with the staff, the Governing Body sets* and reviews policies, plans and procedures to ensure the provision of high-quality education for present and future pupils.
- It should adopt a Constitution*, determine the Language Policy of the school*, and adopt a Code of Conduct*.
- It is responsible for basic matters such as school hours, uniform, admissions and employment policies*.
- It is also responsible for the care and development of the property of the school and may allow the use of the premises by outsiders if it is in the interests of the school to do so.
- It recommends staff for appointment by the provincial education department and may itself appoint staff members to be paid from school funds.