

**Solihull Governor Services**  
**Solihull School Governors' Training Programme**  
**April 2017 – March 2018**

**English as an Additional Language**

There are an increasing number of children and young people entering education for whom English is not their first language. These pupils come from a variety of backgrounds – culturally, linguistically and educationally - and are not a homogenous group.

This seminar will give governors the opportunity to see how the EAL Service works with schools to assist with assessment, monitoring and support of pupils with English as an additional language.

The intended learning outcomes are that governors will understand:

- the needs of children with EAL
- how the EAL Service within Solihull MBC operates
- how they as governors, can assist the school

The seminars will cover the following Ofsted Links: The achievement of pupils; the quality of teaching; the behaviour and safety of pupils and the quality of leadership and management.

This seminar will be held on the following date:

Autumn Term	Tuesday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2017	Civic Suite, 7.00-9.00pm
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