

**BEN FRANKLIN ACADEMY
BOARD CANDIDATE QUESTIONS**

What motivates you to want to serve on the board? What makes this the “right time” for you?

I remain passionate about helping to ensure that we continue the collaborative, transparent approach to the governance of our school that has made BFA so successful thus far. My goal is to ensure our long-term success by attracting and retaining the best possible teachers and administrators. After 3 years as a BFA Board member, I believe the experience I have gained and my contributions have the potential to be more valuable than ever.

Should you become a board member, what skills, resources or expertise do you feel you would personally add to the board that we may or may not already have?

My personal experience, in both my education and career, provides a unique ability to lead the governing Board of BFA. Having served as both the Board Secretary and its' President, my knowledge of the people, processes and principles required to continue our success make me uniquely qualified to continue our collective success.

If elected/appointed, what is your number one priority/platform for your term?

My highest priority as a member of the Board has always been the safety of our children. If entrusted with another term, I will add to this the renewal of our Charter Agreement, which I believe is the highest business priority we currently have.

Why is education generally and BFA specifically important to you?

Having personally seen the benefits of a hard work and a good education, it is paramount to me that our children are afforded the best possible educational and character building opportunities we can provide them. BFA's unique curriculum and character-based approach has been incredibly helpful and rewarding to our family and I want to ensure that our community continues to benefit from it for many years to come.

If the Parent Voting Group does not elect you, would you like to be considered for the Board-appointed seat?

Yes.

Optional: upload/email resume