



Elections update

4 December 2020

2020 parent representative mid-term elections

Casual Vacancies

Kia ora,

Our records show that you did not receive enough nominations to fill all of the mid-term parent representative positions on your school board.

The vacant positions are now deemed 'casual vacancies' and the board has 8 weeks to decide how they intend to fill these vacancies. For schools using the recommended mid-term election date of Friday 4 December 2020, this means that by **Sunday 3 January 2021** you must have decided whether you will select someone to fill the vacancies or hold a by-election.

Please let us know whether you are going to use the selection or the by-election process so that we can update our records and provide support to your school.

We're here to help: Information on the [casual vacancies](#) process and [guide to board structure](#) is available on the trustee election website. You can also get in touch with our dedicated team of advisors who can help you understand what you need to do next.

Contact the NZSTA Elections Team

Our team is here to support your board during the mid-term elections:

- Trustee elections website www.trustee-election.co.nz
- NZSTA Election Advice Line 0800 ELECTION (0800 353 284)
- Email electionsadvic@nzsta.org.nz

Kind regards,

NZSTA Elections Team

