



Governor Profiles 2023-2024



Mrs Amanda de Choisy
Chair of Governors

I am Amanda de Choisy, a Foundation Governor, representing the Church and Parents on the Governing Body.

I have lived in Stanion with my husband, Simon, for over 25 years. Our three children have all enjoyed their time at the school. Serena and Poppy left 10 years ago and Daniel 8 years. I have been involved in the school in various roles during the last 16 years; as a volunteer in Reception Class and Treasurer of the PTA. But recently I have been more focussed on my role as Chair of the Governing Body.

I am a Chartered Accountant but I gave up work when my twin girls were born and I now fill my time helping local charities.

Please feel free to speak to me at any time if you have any suggestions, questions, issues or concerns you would like me to bring to the Board of Governors.



Mr Tom Birkett
Foundation Governor

My name is Tom Birkett

I have lived in the village for over 15 years but I have been involved with the school for a great number of years. My wife and I were originally asked to help out with the fundraising activities.

My wife became Chair of the 'Friends of Stanion' and I joined the Governing body as a Foundation Governor.

My daughter thoroughly enjoyed her time here and was chosen as the May Queen in her final year. She left the school to attend Bishop Stopford School and then attended Oxford Brookes university studying Architecture.

Previously, I have been the Chair of Governors and I am currently a Foundation Governor.

My hobbies include watching Rugby, bell ringing and D.I.Y.

I am a Director of my own Domestic Appliance business and run a warehouse in Peterborough.

In my spare time, I also help out at a community centre in Corby as a committee member.

Stanion Primary is a wonderful school with a committed Headteacher and staff. I am proud to be involved.

<p>Mrs Laura Allanson Foundation Governor Vice Chair of Governors</p> <p>(Awaiting Photograph)</p>	<p>I am Laura Allanson and I have had the privilege of sitting on the Governing Body as a Foundation Governor since October 2019. I am Chair of the Resources Committee and I am the R.E and Literacy Link Governor. In addition to this, I also Chair the PTA and I am on the ethos committee.</p> <p>I have lived in the village for over 8 years and my daughter, Ella is in Key Stage 2. We absolutely love the school and feel very fortunate to be part of it.</p> <p>I have thoroughly enjoyed volunteering on school trips and this has given me valuable insight into the ethos of the school. I want to help and support in any way I can.</p> <p>I am a Solicitor, working in employment and commercial law for the past 20 years. I currently work for a membership organisation on a part-time basis.</p>
<p>Mrs Emma-Jayne Sharman LA Governor</p> <p>(Awaiting Photograph)</p>	<p>Mrs Sharman is our LA Governor and has been on the Governing Body for many years. Her daughters all attended our school and have now moved on to secondary school and university. Mrs Sharman is the lead Inclusion and EYFS Governor. Mrs Sharman works for the Local Authority as a SEND Support Officer.</p>
 <p>Mr Jonathan Waterworth Foundation Governor</p>	<p>I was a student of Stanion C.E Primary School many years ago, and have had the privilege of sitting on the schools Governing Body as a Foundation Governor since November 2016. I sit on the Resources Committee and am the Lead Governor for Humanities.</p> <p>I am a Chartered Surveyor and work for a Local Authority. My two daughters have attended the school, with one of them currently in Key Stage 2.</p>

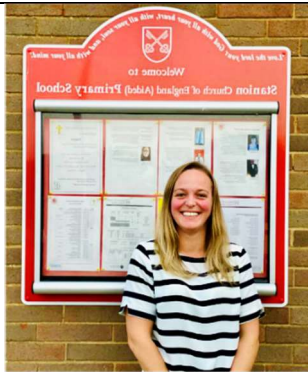


Mrs Joanna Carter
Foundation Governor

My name is Joanna Carter and I became a Foundation Governor in November 2018.

I have lived in Stanion since 2013 with our 2 daughters. Gabby left the school in 2023 and Daisy is in Key Stage 2. The ethos of the school is incredibly important to me as it gives a fantastic grounding on which our children can grow. They thrive through being in a well rounded balanced environment which develops their abilities in and out the classroom.

I am Chair of the ethos committee and link governor for Year 5/6, Maths and P.E. In addition to this, I am also on the PTA.



Mrs Lisa Manton
Parent Governor

Hello, I am Lisa Manton, Parent Governor elected in September 2019 and an active PTA member.

My two children Lottie & Olly are both in Key Stage 2. Both have both thrived within this time and they love being part of the Stanion school family.

I too have enjoyed many an afternoon over the last 5 years helping with school projects and events which has allowed me to gain experience with all year groups and see first-hand the children develop and grow into wonderful respectable young individuals.

Mrs Jade Hayes
Parent Governor

(Awaiting Photograph)

Jade Hayes is a parent governor and has two children in the school. Jade supports the school in her role as link governor for EYFS and British Values. Jade is also on the school PTA and sits as vice chair on the Resources Committee.

Revd Heather Lowe
Foundation Governor

(Awaiting Photograph)

Revd Heather Lowe is a Foundation Governor and supports the school in her role as vicar of St Peter's Church in Stanion. Heather is also on the ethos committee and plans a range of wonderful activities in church for the children as well as delivering regular worship assemblies in school.