



Boreham Primary School
A Friendship School

'Learning and achieving together in a caring and creative environment'

Boreham Primary School Governing Body

Governor Profile

Name: Mrs Yvonne Chapman

I volunteered to be a school governor, as I have a lifelong love of learning.

I moved to Chelmsford in 2009, from Hertfordshire, to support our parents. I have three grown children and five grandchildren, most of who live in Colchester.

I began my working life as a medical microbiologist in the NHS, but retrained as a primary teacher in 1990. I worked for a great majority of that time in special education; in a primary school for pupils with social, emotional and behaviour problems. I have also worked as a supply teacher, a playgroup worker, a childminder, play scheme leader and Cover supervisor.

I have also fulfilled many voluntary roles where I have worked to improve the facilities and activities for young people. These have included a Co-op nursery, mother and toddler groups, a toy library and football leagues/club for juniors (girls) and seniors (ladies).

I have qualifications in special education including dyslexia and behaviour management.

Out of school, I spend a lot of time with my family. Being a grandparent is so much more fun than being a parent! We are also avid football fans and have season tickets for our club. (Arsenal FC!)

I hope that my life experiences both in and out of work will help me fulfil a useful role on the governing body of Boreham Primary School.