

My name is Mark Champion and I am the Vice Chair of Governors. I now have only one child at St Peter's who has just moved up into Sharks, I have two other children who have very recently left St Peter's and are now at Secondary school, and one elder child who attended St Peter's is now at college.

You may recognise me from supporting many school trips and events, as I also volunteer to help the staff and it's great to meet all the new pupils, parents, grandparents and carers, which I enjoy very much.

I became a governor a few years ago, after my eldest daughter (now 19 yrs old) suggested I would be ideal for such a role. After some thought and discussions, I sincerely believed I could help contribute to the children and the school in ensuring all children have the education they deserve and supporting St Peter's in achieving their aims to do this.

I assist the co-chairs and the headteacher as part of the management team with recruitment and strategic planning. My other governor roles and responsibilities lie with Finance, Worship, Wider Curriculum subjects including Geography, Music, History and also Health and Safety within school.

I feel very rewarded in my role, and have seen many children progress and grow from year R to Year 6 and then on to pastures new. This fulfils my desire to ensure all the children, parents/carers and staff have all the support and resources they need and to see the children grow and gain knowledge ready for future life means a lot to me.

I enjoy watching films, going for walks and spending time with my family playing board games and doing puzzles, although I am not very good at the games and puzzles, my children seem to always win!