Martin McDermott - Parent Governor

What I do at school

As a governor, I do lots of things to make sure you get the best education. We have regular meetings where we get updates from the Headteacher, check that policies are correct and useful and ask lots of questions to make sure your school is well led. I also come into school from time to time to speak to teachers and subject leaders to make sure you are getting a good deal at school.

Some of my favourites...

My Favourite author is J.R.R Tolkien and I adore his books. I love Fantasy and Sci-fi, am a huge Star Wars fan and even had the main theme tune during my wedding. I Love music and my favourite genres are Rock and Heavy Metal, yet sometimes you cannot beat cheesy pop.

Type of Governor

I am a parent governor. Parent governors come from all walks of life and bring a unique perspective and skillset to the governing board; this is really useful for school. As a parent governor, I have a child at school so I'm really keen to work with school to help it be the best it can be.



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What I like to do at home

My homelife centres on my family. We enjoy family nights, playing board games or watching films. I enjoy gardening and can always find the next project to work on. At home I am always listening to music and often enjoy cooking.

Other interesting things about me

I am married with 3 children. I achieved a goal in my 30's completing an OU science degree. I enjoy watching sports like football or cricket and each year attend music festivals like Download festival or Bloodstock. \m/