



Stannington Infant School

Governor Newsletter

Welcome to our Spring Term Governor Newsletter

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Parent Governor

Parent Governor

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Associate Governor

Associate Governor

Meet the governors: Elizabeth Tunnard

I have been the Chair of Governors at Stannington Infant School since December 2015. I am semi-retired now having worked all my career in education. I am married with two adult children, a daughter and son. I am from Sheffield and have lived in Crookes for many years now.

I have been a teacher and headteacher in a number of Sheffield and Derbyshire schools in my career and I worked with the local authority as a school adviser; I was Principal Primary Adviser when I left in 2008.

Since leaving the local authority I have worked independently as a school improvement adviser and still enjoy working with a small number of local schools. I am also Chair of Governors at Rowan School (a special school for children with speech and language difficulties) and I serve on a number of local committees as the special-school governor representative. Recently I have been contributing to the governing body at Acres Hill School as well on their journey to becoming an academy. I am a Local Leader of Governance – a small group of governors that support schools in Sheffield.

I have loved working in education and now find myself very busy serving as a governor. I really enjoy being part of the education community in Stannington.

Governors have visited the school to carry out a learning walk looking at Social, Moral, Spiritual and Cultural aspects of learning. They have also looked at guided reading and learning in maths.

Governors have also been involved in the recent consultation with parents about changes to the school day and have looked at attendance in the school as well as looking at the areas for development in the school through the Improving Outcomes Plan.

Finally governors have supported the school at the recent events such as the Bunny Hunt.

- The governing body has looked at the school website and made sure that this contains all relevant information for parents and other users.
- Governors have continued to look at how data is used in the school to improve children's learning.
- Governors have also looked at how disadvantaged children are being supported in the school.
- Governors have approved the budget and staffing structure for the coming year.

"A Friendly, Creative, Environment for Learning Together."

- To provide a challenging, creative and rich curriculum which will develop curiosity, confidence and independence.
- To provide an inclusive, safe, secure, healthy and happy environment.
- To encourage a caring and positive attitude amongst the children towards all others and their environment.