



Name:	Susan Musker
Role on the Governing Body	parent governor
Years on the Governing Body	3
Outside Interests	reading, walking, crafts

Brief outline of your role

I am one of the parent governors on the governing body and a member of the teaching, learning and assessment committee. I am also nominated governor for able, gifted and talented pupils and early years. I have experience in these areas, having been a teacher for many years before the birth of my son and currently working in a reception class in Euxton.

As a nominated governor my role is to visit the school and meet with the relevant teaching staff to see how that subject is taught and assessed and to report back to the committee. I have been lucky enough to see the excellent work going on and to observe the children's enthusiasm and good behaviour first hand.

During committee meetings Mr Stammers presents data for different groups of pupils in our school and we as governors consider the data and ask questions to ensure that we understand the progress being made by different groups of pupils: age groups or groups such as boys or girls or children with English as a second language. We find out about how the school is assessing the pupils and what measures are being taken to address any areas where progress could be improved as well as celebrating the many successes. We are very lucky that the school is such a caring place and the well-being and achievements of all pupils are important to the whole staff. It has been very pleasing to see the development of so many exciting opportunities for all pupils over the last few years as well as the continuing excellent results in statutory tests and governors and staff are working to continue this, considering strategies to keep our school moving forwards and contributing to the development of our children in all areas.

