

Governor Profiles

Paul Ilott

I have been connected with the school since its opening. I was originally involved with FOGs acting as treasurer, secretary and Chair over the years. I became a governor in about 2009 starting as a parent governor and this is my third year as Chair. I am a member of the Curriculum, Finance and HR committees. It has been a privilege to be associated with Granta for so long. My background is in education; I was a teacher for 30 years, of which 16 were spent in Senior Leadership with 8 as a Headteacher.

Gill Taylor

I joined the Governing Body in 2021 as a co-opted governor, having been a governor at Linton Heights School and Linton Village College some years previously. I am a member of the Curriculum, Finance and Health & Safety committees. For about fifteen years prior to retirement, I was the Quality, Health, Safety and Environment Manager at a large research and development organisation.

Jeff Andrews

I have been a governor of Grant School for eight years and I am currently deputy chair and a member of Finance and Health and Safety Committees. Separately I am also a trustee of a SEN Free School in north London.

I am retired having spent my working life in property and facilities management both in the UK and internationally and I am now actively involved in a number of voluntary and charitable organisations in the local area

Hilary Crooks

This is my 3rd year as a governor at Granta School and I have been Chair of the Curriculum Committee since September 2022. My background is in education; I currently work part-time as a primary school teacher, as well as being a violin teacher. I have always had an interest in Special Needs education and have briefly worked in the sector both as a teaching assistant and as a teacher. I live locally in Linton and am enjoying the opportunity to learn more about the school and its amazing team.

Jill Broadley

I became a co-opted governor in 2021 which has been my first such appointment. My background has been 43 years in the NHS as a nurse with various roles including Matron. I am a Linton resident and am very happy to be part of the Granta governing body.

Chris Clarke

I have been a parent governor since November 2020. My son started at Granta in Early Years in 2011, and he is now in the 6th form. I am a member of the curriculum committee. By profession, I am a patent attorney, and I work for a company that develops inhaled medicines, based on the Science Park in Cambridge.

