

JONATHAN MONK—PARENT GOVERNOR

My daughter started in Reception last September and will be spending the next seven years at West Park. I also feel a certain affinity with the school having been a pupil here myself. I am therefore delighted to have been appointed as one of the parent governors. I have worked in the finance industry for over twenty years and specialise in project and change management. A key part of my role includes working with a broad range of people to agree and set policies, problem solving, having to make difficult decisions and determining priorities that will make the most difference. I am also a qualified financial adviser. I'm a bit of an adrenaline junkie – I love exploring mountains, with my highest summit to date being the Matterhorn in Switzerland. I'm also a qualified sky diver and a keen skier. On a more sedate front, I enjoy squash and love to travel. West Park is a great primary school with a strong leadership team and supported by passionate teachers. I am so pleased to have been given the opportunity to actively contribute towards its future success. I believe my professional experience can have a positive impact and would hope that this will ultimately lead to improved academic achievement for all in a caring and inclusive environment.

