

Governor profile

Name	Renuka Chinnadurai
Category of governor	Headteacher
Work	Headteacher of Clapham Manor Primary School
Governance experience	<p>I have been a Governor of Primary Schools in Lambeth and Kent since 1998.</p> <p>I have also been a Governor of Canterbury Christchurch University for a four-year term.</p> <p>In my previous role as Executive Headteacher I have worked with interim governing bodies in order to ensure compliance with school policies, practices and procedures.</p>
Hobbies and interests	In my spare time I enjoy cooking and eating, travelling and spend time going to concerts with my teenage daughter. I live in Kent and enjoy spending time in the countryside and the seaside.
Links to the school/area	As Headteacher of the School I am new to the Clapham area. However, I have a knowledge of Lambeth having started my teaching career here in the early 90s and I have worked in Brixton and Streatham. I am passionate about ensuring that our school reflects and serves the diverse community in which it is situated.
Why did you become a governor?	I initially became a Governor because I wanted to gain an understanding of the strategic development of schools. I then gained experience of being an FE governor, which has broadened my understanding of finance. As the Headteacher of Clapham Manor, I am automatically a Governor of our school.

