



Mr Steve Martin

Category of Governor	Chair of Governors (Co-opted)
Term of Office	Re-elected 2022 - 2026
Work	Retired but was previously Vice Principal and Acting Principal in a local sixth form college
Governance Experience	I have been a governor at Herrick for a number of years for much of that time as the Vice Chair. I have also been a governor at Fullhurst Community College since 2010 where I am also Vice Chair. During this time I have been particularly involved in finance, safeguarding, school improvement and work in SEND
Hobbies & Interests	Most sports but particularly Football and Rugby. I am an education volunteer for the Canals and River Trust based at Foxton Locks and working with primary schools across the East Midlands. I own a narrow boat and try to spend as much time as possible travelling the canal network.
Links to the school area	For most of my teaching career I worked in Leicester. Many of my students were from the Rushey Mead area. Consequently I have a strong affinity with this part of the city and am committed to ensuring students have the best educational opportunities possible
Why did you become a Governor?	I originally became a governor at Herrick at a time when the school faced a number of challenges. I felt I could support the senior team then and having retired from teaching in 2011, I wanted the opportunity to continue using my skills and expertise to support the staff and pupils at Herrick. Providing high quality teaching and learning, a broad and varied curriculum in a well resourced environment is vitally important for the development of our future generations and I hope as a governor I can help to make this possible.