



## Boreham Primary School A Friendship School 'Learning and achieving together in a caring and creative environment'

## Boreham Primary School Governing Body Governor Profile

Name: Lananh Wilkinson

I am Vietnamese and came to Britain when I was 2 years old. My family and I arrived in a strange country, with very few belongings and an uncertain future. My parents taught me how perseverance and hard work can build a secure future. My first memories include how kind, encouraging and inclusive my teachers were, which helped me integrate into school and achieve. So I have first-hand experience of how success through learning can exponentially raise the prospects of children from every background.

After University, I trained at KPMG as a Chartered Accountant and have 20 years of financial management and analysis. I have audited many blue chip companies and this has developed my control mindset, and perseverance when asking those tough questions! I have also managed budgets and forecasts in the millions, across different areas of commercial business. I'm most effective when I'm passionate about the product!

I lived in London for many years and enjoyed the diversity and culture it offers. Then as my husband was in the Army I moved to Birmingham, Colchester and then settled in Boreham where we started our family.

In my spare time I love to read, cook and listen to music... but I've only passed on two of these passions to my boys! I like to support the school's events and I particularly enjoy reading with the children and seeing their progress over the school year.

I feel privileged to be a governor, and believe that I can support the school to face the continuous challenges, and to secure the best education for our children. I believe we have a great school with a strong sense of purpose and community, together with a nurturing ethos. I hope as part of the Governor role, I am able to learn from other schools and apply best practice and some new ideas!