

**RICHARD CRIDDLE - FOUNDATION GOVERNOR**



I am a member of St. Cuthbert's church, one of the two parish churches connected to SMAB. Since July 2016 I have been a foundation governor as one of the church's representatives on the governing body.

For the last eight years, I have been employed to teach children in churches and I am currently a student at Oak Hill – a vicar school in Southgate.

With a one-year old daughter, it's inevitable that I view the school through the lens of what we are hoping for her in seven years. We would love her to end up somewhere with a similar ethos and such a dedicated staff team.

I have an engineering background, and still try to fix Abi's toys at home. I have fond memories of primary school science lessons which started me on that path and so am pleased to have responsibility for Science.