

**PHOENIX INFANT ACADEMY, SLOUGH
SCHOOL GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE MEMBER**



MR EDDY ELUM-SMITH



TYPE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER:
ELECTED PARENT MEMBER

TERM OF OFFICE:
24.04.15-23.04.19

EDDY'S PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

I joined the Governing Body whilst my daughter was at the school. I am a Trade Union Representative/HR Consultant by profession, working and representing professionals in the education sector: teachers, teaching assistants, examination officers, technicians, librarians, lecturers, managers, administrators and ancillary staff, so gaining knowledge of education has always been of interest to me. I have therefore found being part of the Governing Body a useful and rewarding experience.

Away from work I enjoy spending time with friends and family, theatre and travel.

I know how important education is and appreciate the hard work and commitment involved in meeting the needs of every child and giving them the skills they need for their future. This is why I continue to enjoy working with the school, seeing the positive impact the school has on its students even with a challenging and changing education system.

School Development Plan focus area:

- Personal Development, behaviour and welfare

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| Relevant training: | Business and financial Interests: |
| 28.01.16 Workshop to Raise Awareness of Prevent 03.02.16 Induction Training Part 2 , Challenge & Supportive Role | None provided |
| 16.11.16 Finance & SFVS Workshop 30.11.16 Health & Safety Matters | Governors at other Educational Establishments: |
| 07.12.16 Whys and Hows School Visits 8.03.17 Exclusion, Practice & Procedures. | None provided |