

**NAME:** Hazel Jones

**TYPE OF GOVERNOR:** Co-opted

**MINI BIOGRAPHY:**

I am actually an “Essex Girl” where I grew up and lived for 24 years. I trained as a primary school teacher in Nottingham where I met my husband Gareth over 40 years ago! We moved to Bognor in 1980 and have 4 children. Our eldest son has special needs but the others all had a very happy and successful time at Downview School. I ran a playgroup for 9 years before joining the staff at Downview in 1998 where I taught in KS1 until I took early retirement in 2006. I have since done some supply teaching and continue to enjoy visiting the school to hear children read whenever I can. I am pleased to have this opportunity to still be part of the Downview Team.

**Likes:**

Living close to the sea and the South Downs. Walking, swimming, dancing, cycling, playing tennis, reading and going to the cinema and the theatre. Travelling abroad and visiting friends and family. Spending time with the grandchildren.

**Dislikes:**

Housework, sewing and flying. Not having enough hours in the day to fit everything in!

**My favourite thing about Downview Primary School:**

The welcoming, friendly atmosphere and the dedicated team of people striving to do their best for each and every pupil.