

Tuesday 3rd October 2023

Dear Tweeddale Primary School Community,

I would firstly like to wish you an amazing day and I hope you are having a positive start to the new school year.

I'm Mr Kamahl Brown and I'm proud & honoured to be the new Chair of Governors at Tweeddale Primary School. I would like to wish the former Chair, Peter, the best of luck moving forward. I have been on the governing body since March 2022 and was appointed Chair on September 1st 2023,

I have had the pleasure of working in partnership with Tweeddale Primary School since late 2021. I supported Mr Dix & Mrs Jerrom to bring the pupils to Circle Library on a weekly basis. This was an amazing project which supported the pupils to explore new books and to read for their own pleasure. The values of Tweeddale Primary School reminded me and becoming a governor allowed me to increase my involvement with the school.

The Governing Body is made up of volunteers, teachers, parents and the headteacher. We meet regularly to ensure that your pupils have the best experience and education whilst they visit Tweeddale Primary School.

The role of the Governing Body is to:

- Provide strategic leadership to the school
- Hold the headteacher and the Senior Leadership Team to account
- Oversee the school's finances and academic performances
- Support the Headteacher and the team to give the children Tweeddale Primary School the best experience & educational attainment possible

Please join me to thank the staff of Tweeddale Primary School for their phenomenal work. I have had the opportunity to witness the amazing work that our teachers do for the children. As parents, you should be assured that your children are given the best opportunity to develop whilst they are at Tweeddale Primary School.

Community and parent involvement is so important. I will be working closely with Mrs Jerrom to create our new Parent Association (PA). If you are interested in joining the PTA, please speak to one of the amazing team members in the office. I will also be working with Mrs Jerrom in creating a new volunteer programme with the aim that no pupils will be left behind.

I will be standing outside the gates at least twice a month. Please feel free to introduce yourself; and I will do the same. There will be a new page on the school's website coming soon where you will be able to find a picture and a small bio of all of the governors. It is so important to me that the Tweeddale Community knows who governs their school.

I wish you all a fantastic term. I look forward to meeting with you all and working with the team at Tweeddale to give our pupils, families and teachers the best experience possible.

Yours Faithfully



Kamahl Brown

Chair of the Green Wrythe & Tweeddale Primary Schools Governing Body