

## **Helen Cheung**

I began my career in education 30 years ago as a class teacher. My roles have included senior leadership of schools, being a National Strategies advisor and a local authority Early Years consultant. I am currently the lead advisor for Early Years for Barnet Partnership for School Improvement who support over 100 schools in North London. I remain as committed and passionate about every child feeling happy and safe in school and reaching their full potential as I was when I first started teaching in Hackney.

I have three children who have all attended Sacred Heart Primary School from Nursery through to Year 6. They have all gone on to St Michaels High School. Whilst the children were at primary school I was a very active member of the PTA and volunteered help in the classrooms and on trips. I became a foundation governor of the school in September 2016 with the intention of supporting the school from the perspective of my education background and knowledge of the school as a parent.

I hope to provide support and challenge for the school at this exciting time, as it transitions with a new senior leadership team, and goes from strength to strength supporting the very special community it serves.