



Gill Dudley

I have lived in Alderholt for more than 10 years and have a passionate interest in education. Before I retired I was a primary school teacher working initially in Birmingham and after my marriage in South Dorset. When working I took a special interest in Special Educational Needs and undertook training in a variety of conditions. I later specialised in children with speech and language problems. As a governor here at St. James' I have particular responsibility for Special Educational Needs and Safeguarding.

I am a member of St James' church and have recently had training to continue my work as a Foundation Governor in the school. I am also in one of the teams that presents Open the Book in Worship Time on Wednesday mornings.

In my spare time I enjoy singing and I am a member of the Fordingbridge Choral Society. I am also an avid reader and always have a book on the go. One advantage of living on the border of Dorset and Hampshire is that I can be a member of both libraries!

I have been a governor at St James' School since 2012.