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I am delighted to be joining the Governing Body at North Ridge and to do so as a very proud parent. I am pleased to be able to contribute to a school that my daughter values so highly, and I hold high aspirations for ensuring that all students are well supported and ambitiously challenged by the dedicated and skilled staff team.

I strongly believe in celebrating achievement, supporting students' wide-ranging and complex needs, and striving for the best possible outcomes for every learner. Central to my approach is ensuring that the best interests of all children and young people are at the heart of all decision-making. I want the very best for all of our students, just as I do for my own child.

My professional background is within education. I spent 12 years as a secondary school teacher and Head of Department before moving into special educational provision. I am currently a Higher Education Lecturer in Children's Learning and Development, where I continue to develop my expertise and commitment to inclusive, high-quality education

**Jim Phillips,
Parent Governor**