

## **Ashley Portlock**

After becoming a Parent Governor in September 2013, I assumed the role of Chair of Resources Committee in 2014. This is the group that supports school management by assessing the financial position and helping to ensure decisions are taken that allocate resources appropriately – balancing immediate needs with long-term planning.

I work as a Human Resources Director for a US-based multi-national company and I have been in this field for 20 years. It is a professional background that can bring some insight into a range of management issues, particularly around resourcing and planning in the face of financial challenges.

We have lived in Pimlico for over 10 years and both our sons attend the school – Freddie (year 4) and Harry (year 1). I believe the school provides great opportunities for both of them to fulfil academic and social potential and it is a privilege to support the management of the school in my spare time. I believe passionately that our community must continue to be served by an outstanding school for current and future generations of children around the village and hope to play a small part in that success.

