

Mrs Claire Mellon (Chair of LSB)

It is a real privilege to introduce myself as the Chair of the Local School Board here at Elsecar Holy Trinity. I applied for this role because I have children who attend the school and I am deeply invested in supporting its success. With experience in both education and leadership, I hope to contribute in a way that strengthens the school and helps every child flourish.

At Elsecar Holy Trinity, we believe that the best outcomes for our children come from strong partnerships between our dedicated teaching and support staff, parents, LSB, and of course, the children themselves. We are committed to creating an environment where every child has the chance to shine, aspires to achieve their very best, and is prepared for a future full of possibilities.

The role of the Local School Board is to ensure that our school provides the very best education for every child in our care. We monitor and evaluate the school's performance, oversee the responsible management of the budget, and offer support and challenge to our excellent staff team. The scheme of delegation and responsibilities of the LSB can be found here: [add link](#)

Our LSB is made up of staff, community, and parent governors, each bringing valuable skills and perspectives to the role. The voice of parents is especially important to us, and our parent governors provide a vital link in representing your views. We are always keen to hear from families, so please do feel free to stop and chat if you see us around school or at events. If you would like to contact me directly, you are very welcome to do so at the email address below.

I am proud to be part of the Elsecar Holy Trinity family, and I hope you and your children feel the same sense of belonging, opportunity, and joy that makes this school so special.