

# Justine Bateman

**Position on governors:** Staff Governor

**Date of appointment:** 2013

**Sub Committee:** SEND, LAC and resources

## **Business/Community/Work interests:**

I am lead Teaching Assistant the school's Family Support Worker.



## **Overview:**

I have been lucky enough to work at St-Matthew's for the last 16 years. I started as a classroom based teaching assistant in both Key Stages, before moving into SEN support, where I worked with pupils who had specific needs. The role gave me huge insight into the challenges that some children and their families face. This experience led me in to my current role as Family Support Worker. I have been involved in many extra-curricular activities over the years including: residential trips, designing a spiritual garden, hosting a prayer week and much more! I have a varied and exciting career and I look forward to continuing my work with the families of our school community.