Julie has been a governor at Hilbre High School for 10 years. She is a qualified teacher, having worked in a local secondary school on the Wirral, as well as being a Local Authority Advisory Teacher in primary Physical Education. Julie retired in September 2019, from a 27-year career at Liverpool John Moores University as a Principal Lecturer with specific responsibility for learning and teaching. Physical Education and sport are her professional areas of expertise, and her own sporting life has been involved in athletics for 35 years and more recently she has plays golf – learning to use the terms 'resilience' and 'patience'!! She is passionate about education at all age levels and feels a sense of responsibility to the Board of Governors of Hilbre High School. Julie involves herself in voluntary community work in the south Wirral area.