



Jonathan Burgess  
UTC Derby Pride Park, Parent Governor

Pecuniary Interests	Systems Support Representative	IBM UK Ltd
<p><b>Personal Profile:</b></p> <p>I grew up in Nottingham before attending Newcastle University where I graduated with a BSc with honours in Biology. I joined IBM as a customer engineer in their printer division in 2002 before moving back to the East Midlands in 2003 where I joined IBM's Technology Support Services and became a Systems Support Representative in 2008. I travel across the Midlands maintaining large mainframes, computer servers and storage equipment for a wide range of clients. I have also provided rotational roles in the support centre providing first line support to our clients and engineers.</p> <p>I met the love of my life and moved to Derby to create a blended family. We have five children with our eldest who has started UTC Derby in year 9. She loves UTC and actually complains about the weekends as she can't wait to get back. I am honoured to be a parent governor at UTC and have the chance to give back to the place that is providing a great foundation to my step-daughter. I hope that my dual scientific and engineering backgrounds will be a good fit for the two main curriculum paths of the UTC.</p> <p>As well as spending time with my kids, my wife and I are avid gamers. I'm also a keen follower of technology and a lover of many sports with my favourite being cricket.</p> <p>skills are:          Scientific curiosity and testing methodology          Problem solving          Hunger for knowledge          Dad jokes</p>		