

# Three Counties Academy Trust



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Name: Mrs Catherine Edwards

Category: Member Appointed

Term of Office: 09.03.21 - Ongoing

Qualifications: Certificate of Education

Expertise: SEND, SEAL, Policy and Procedure, Governance

Experience: Kitty qualified as a teacher in 1972 and began her career at a primary school in Surrey. She had an 8-year career break to spend time at home in daughters formative years. Kitty resumed her career at a special school in 1984, where for the next 8 years taught pupils aged 5-16 years MLD. In 1992 she began an 18-year career working in a Cheshire residential school for boys with SEBD aged 5 -18 years. Kitty became Head of the Primary Department in 1995, and senior manager of the school and residential units. She led the whole school in becoming a Nurture School and also introduced SEAL to the school curriculum. Kitty retired in 2010 and became a governor at Bredenbury Primary School in 2012, where she has served as Chair of Governors for 9 years. She is Chair of the Education for Bromyard Federation and a Parish Councillor for Edwyn Ralph.