

Emma Young

Type of governor: Co-opted governor (from 2018)

Occupational background: Following my undergraduate theological study I spent some time first in East London as a community organising intern, and subsequently as a healthcare assistant working in domiciliary contexts. From 2012 I began training for ordained ministry. I served my first post in a parish in Luton before becoming vicar of the Darent Valley Benefice (St John's Sutton-at-Hone, St Margaret's Darenth and St Mary's Horton Kirby) in November 2017.

Special Interest areas: Religious Education; collective worship; SIAMS.

About me: As vicar of the parish of Sutton-at-Hone I am fundamentally committed to the spiritual welfare and development of the local community, of which Sutton-at-Hone Primary School is a significant part. The school has a vital role to play in enabling the flourishing in all respects of the children in its care and I am keen to help enable it to reach its full potential in this respect, and particularly with reference to what the distinctive Church of England ethos of the school can offer in enriching and inspiring its children.