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Robin Bevan is the Headteacher, at Southend High School for Boys – an ‘outstandingly successful’ school. Two of the other Essex grammar schools served as a ‘proving ground’: with seven years as Deputy Headteacher at KEGS, Chelmsford; and before that, Head of Mathematics at Westcliff High School for Boys.

He has a keen interest in educational research, and is devoted to ‘bridging the divide’ between academic research and classroom practice. Strongly motivated by the desire to make staff development more effective: he is vice-chair of the National Teacher Research Panel, and serves as an elected member of the National Executive of ATL (Association of Teachers & Lecturers).

A passionate cyclist: he has competed in recent years in the national student time trial championships, and “took a break” from racing recently to return to ride several of the classic Alpine cols.