Prior Heath Infant School

25 March 2024

Dear Parents

We are fast approaching Easter and, for some of the children, closing in on their final stretch at our school. Once again it's been an exciting term and visits from the Governors have re-assured us that the school is continuing its development and the children are certainly benefiting from the opportunities in learning.

Meeting of the Governing Body 19th March 2024

Administration of the Governing Body

The Governing Body met on 19th March for our Spring term meeting. Once again it was highlighted that there are vacancies for 2 Parent Governors and we would encourage parents and grandparents to chat with either myself or Mrs Chivers for more information. It's an opportunity to support the school and many Governors have found it very rewarding.

Operational and Strategic Business

In the morning of 19th March, we also had an external monitoring visit from a representative from the Schools Alliance for Excellence (SAfE) which included a closing meeting with Mrs Chivers, the Senior Leadership Team and myself. The feedback received was excellent across many aspects including the teaching, the enthusiasm from the children and the leadership within the school. All of this was fed back by Mrs Chivers to the FGB later that evening. The Governors were also updated with regards to outstanding training for themselves as this is an essential part of being able to challenge the leadership on a regular basis. We are committed to undergo ongoing training to enable us all to undertake our roles to the best of our abilities as we are accountable for the performance of the school, to you, as parents, and also the wider community.

On behalf of The Governors I would like to thank you all, as parents and carers, for the support you give to the school and the encouragement that you offer to your children and wish you all a very happy Easter.

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Martyn Keates Chair of Governors