



Westfield Nursery School

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Chair of Governors Letter to Parents/ Carers

Dear Parents

As we approach the end of another school year, I am pleased to share a brief summary of the school's achievements on behalf of the governing body.

There have been many improvements and enhancements to the building. New flooring has been fitted throughout, the playground fencing has been replaced, new chairs have been purchased for the children and a new sign in system will improve safety and security. The governors believe that the children should be educated in a safe and attractive environment, and these improvements should help to meet this aim. We would like to extend our thanks to Mrs Collins and Mrs Hitchcock who work tirelessly to secure funds and get contractors in place to carry out this work.

The most satisfying part of being a governor is visiting the school to see it at work. During our regular visits the governors have observed your children happily engaged in a wide variety of activities. We are always struck by the very high standard of behaviour that the children exhibit. It is lovely to see their determination as they take their next learning steps. On every visit we are able to note how happy, engaged and independent the children are. We monitor the progress of pupil groups very closely and it is great to see just how much progress the children at Westfield make.

Throughout the year we have welcomed back those staff who were on maternity leave. It is lovely to have them back. There has also been a number of new appointments to the staff team. Staff recruitment remains a challenge, but we ensure that we employ people who have the skills and share the values of Westfield Nursery School.

We have also recruited some new and experienced governors to bring the governing body up to strength, however, should any parent wish to become a parent governor we would love to hear from you.

We would like to thank you for sending your child to Westfield Nursery School. It is a privilege to be entrusted with your child's early educational experience. We will strive to provide the best experience and opportunities for them.



To those families whose children are moving to primary school we wish you and your children happiness and success for the future. To those families and children who are returning after the summer we look forward to continuing to work with you. We would thank you all for working in partnership with the school.

All that remains is to wish you a safe and happy summer holiday when it arrives.

Yours sincerely

Debra Canning

Chair of Governors