



Letter from Parent Governor

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Dear All,

Needless to say, we are facing dire circumstances with the pandemic this year. I do feel however that we as a country are taking serious measure to overcome this. I also feel that slowly but surely, we shall overcome these times with continued support and co-operation with each other during this crisis. It is a challenging time because our children are now having to miss out on this exciting time at school which they will never get back again. I have found Mrs Jones (Acting head teacher) and teaching staff performing their roles brilliantly. I have seen them working hard in monitoring the children's progress via remote learning, keeping communication with parents ongoing and doing all possible to help where they can. An example of this was where I struggled with access to online material and a hardcopy pack was made available to my daughter. Mrs Hadfield was very understanding and supportive at this time.

Mrs Hadfield, my daughter's nursery teacher was very helpful in conducting zoom meetings and encouraging all children to engage, using the same teaching format that she would normally do in the classroom. The school has shown commitment to the children's learning and have gone above and beyond their duties in ensuring that the children's education will flourish despite the current social climate. Another example of the school's commitment to the community is where, they have set up their own food bank and teamed up with people from the local community to support families who are struggling during this time. I feel the school has certainly demonstrated commitment to the children, parents and the community as a whole.

After careful consideration I have decided that my daughter will attend face to face learning after half term. I believe this will put a spring in our steps as a family. As parent governor I will support the school in their objectives to the best of my ability.

To those parents, who may still be considering whether their child should be attending nursery, I would just like to mention that its touching that we have all been following the guidelines and are protecting our families. Having said that, this opportunity for the children, will not come again. This critical stage of learning is the foundation which is then built on in the future. It starts at nursery!

It would be great to get our children back into school but until that is possible, please continue to encourage your child to actively take part in the remote learning made available, as well as any other creative activities they could do at home.

Kind Regards  
N. Sufyan  
Parent Governor