

Governor Monitoring

Our Governors contribute to ensuring high standards of achievement for all children in the school by:

- Setting the school's vision, ethos and strategic direction.
- Holding the headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils.
- Overseeing the financial performance of the school and making sure its money is well spent.

Governors fulfil their role by regularly attending Governing Body meetings and Sub-Committee meetings, providing strategic guidance and by asking probing and challenging questions of leaders within the school. They also undertake visits, serve on relevant committees and oversee the Headteacher's performance management.

A key part of the role of a Governor is to carry out monitoring activities. We receive a lot of information from the Head Teacher in the form of reports and briefings but in order to substantiate all of this information, we also carry out visits to the school to see for ourselves the progress the children are making or that the school and pupils are safe and that policies and regulations are being followed.

Governor Monitoring 2017/18

Over the 2017/18 Academic Year, there have been a number of visits that the governors have completed. This has included:

- Learning walk with Fiona Allett October 2018
- Learning Walk with Sarah Hind February 2018
- Learning Walk Jackie Gauntley June 2018
- Learning Walk Jeremy Millar April 2018
- Pupil Premium Meeting October 2018
- Health and Safety Audit with Sarah Hind July 2018
- Health and Safety Inspection and Meeting November 2017
- Pupil Satisfaction Surveys July 2017 and 2018
- Policies Audit September 2017
- New Build Opening April 2017
- Food & Farming July 2018
- Curriculum Information Evening September 2018
- Volunteer Reading with Catherine Lidgley, Sarah Hind and Jackie Gauntley 2017/2018
- School Carol Concert December 2018
- Harvest Festival October 2017 and 2018
- School Sports Day July 17 and July 2018
- Leavers Assembly July 17
- Pupil Progress Meetings Termly 2017/2018
- Safeguarding Audit 2017
- Book review with Fiona Allett and Richard Clarke 2017
- Standards Meeting held quarterly throughout 2017 and 2018
- Resource Meeting held quarterly throughout 2017 and 2018
- Full Governor Boards Meeting held quarterly throughout 2017 and 2018