



### Parent Survey

Thank you to those of you that took the time to complete the survey. We appreciate your feedback and responses. Overall, there have been some wonderful responses, as well as areas for us to consider for the future. There are some key points which we have already addressed.



#### Positives:

- "The staff take the time to get to know the children."
- "My daughter is always happy to go to school, she literally skips in!"
  - "Has my child's interests at heart."
  - "Friendly and welcoming"
- "Good information about what is going on, like the paper newsletters."
- "Teaching material caters for the needs of all children."
- "Staff are approachable and friendly. They are always greeted by name on the gate."

#### Areas to consider/what we have done:

- More opportunities to come in to school - *we are already planning future events to invite parents/carers in to school.*
  - End of day collection - *changed lining up to ensure all children are out with class teachers before being sent to parents/carers.*
  - Clearer communication - *we now send paper newsletters, learning grids are shared termly, emails and texts via Arbor, Showbie used to share key information.*
  - School parking - *reminders to parents to avoid parking on double yellow lines, outside of school or where the children cross the road.*
    - More social activities - Christmas discos are planned!*
  - Whole school texts regarding uniform are sent to all as a general reminder, as well as direct messages to parents/families where incorrect uniform is worn.*
- We are always happy to hear your views and concerns; it is difficult to address these personally where names were put on, however we do take all things into consideration.

### Positive postcards

I am so pleased with the positive responses to the postcards I have started to send out each week to children from each class. It is lovely to hear that so many of our children are displaying our new school values and always doing what is expected of them. I am sure I will continue to be proud of the amazing things our children achieve as I send out more over the following weeks.



Keep an eye on your letterbox.....!

### Upcoming trips and events...

Please remember to sign up to give consent and make payment for trips and clubs on Arbor.

9th November - Year 2 Great Fire of London day

16th November - Whole school watching The Nosey Troll, Garlic Theatre Company

7th December - Year 5 and 6 to 'The Nutcracker' at the Royal Opera House

15th December - Years 1 to 6 to the Pantomime (more information to follow, separate activity for Reception with information to follow)

17th January - Year 6 to Young Voices at the O2

### Children in Need

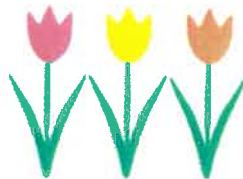
Friday 18th November 2022

This year, we will be supporting Children In Need and joining in 'The Great Spotacular!'

Please support by sending your child in their best spotty outfit (Pudsey t-shirts are allowed) and make a donation of £1 to support this fantastic cause.



All the Spring bulbs have now been planted. Children from all classes worked with Mrs Willett to plant their own bulb. We look forward to sharing our wonderful garden area once they start to grow!



### Afterschool Clubs

All afterschool clubs will resume after half term. There will be no clubs during the first week back.  
Look out on Arbor for more information...

Afterschool Wraparound Provision will be available in the first week back but only on Wednesday 2nd and Friday 4th - there will be NO provision on Tuesday 1st and Thursday 3rd due to staff training.