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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are writing to thank you for the positive attendance at parent/carers afternoon last week. I hope you enjoyed looking at your children's work and received information on how your child is progressing after almost two terms of the academic year. Thank you to all the parents/carers who came and spoke to us, we received so many positive comments on how are developing as a school and ideas on how we could develop further.

Some of the developments parents/carers have expressed they are happy with:

- All children in key stage 2 now learn to play at least one instrument each year. Don't forget our concert on Thursday 1.30pm-3.00pm (Year 3 recorders, year 4 ukuele, year 5 and year 6 African drums as well as our violins, guitars, brass players and steel band.)
- Innovative ICT projects including the use of i-pads, the development of coding, more sophisticated presentations and communications from children and the recruitment of pupils as digital leaders.
- Lots of after school clubs to develop and celebrate our children's interests including sports clubs (with competitive games,) music clubs, language clubs, skateboarding, coding/computing and English /Mathematics tuition clubs.
- Themed days such as World book Day, Comic Relief fund raising day and Cultural Week. (We also have a science themed day this Wednesday (25th March) and ICT, health and safety, and diversity themes planned for later in the year.)

On Thursday we would like to invite you to our 3rd parent/carer meeting to discuss other school developments (4pm-5pm.) If you would like to come to this meeting could you please contact the office to book a place (we have a small crèche facility which can also be booked at the office.) At this meeting our senior leadership team will discuss: Developing the early years provision, our new website and twitter account, teaching and learning, English and Mathematics and behaviour management. There is a lot to share so a prompt start at 4pm is essential. Notes from the meeting will also be shared with all parents/carers afterwards (as we know some parents /carers will be unable to attend.)

We look forward to seeing you on Thursday.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Reynolds and Ms Turner

















