



A note from the Governors



Firstly, we would like to thank all the parents and carers who volunteer their time to help out within the schools and to the FOSS/FOHS teams for their continual fundraising efforts, it is greatly appreciated.

The Governors have been working hard this year. Following on from our Governance review in 2018 we have developed a Governor Action Plan. Part of that plan involved setting up a Rapid Improvement Group which meets with the Federation Executive Headteacher every two weeks. The co-chairs and Headteacher go through the Federation Improvement Plan to make sure that all the recommendations made by our Ofsted inspections at both individual schools are carried out.

The Resources Committee is constantly looking at the budgets to make sure that Government funding is positively impacting our children's education and ensuring that we get good value for money.

The School Improvement Committee meets regularly to look at school data and discuss the schools' educational performance. The Committee holds the Headteacher to account to make sure that all children receive the best education and are able to develop to their full potential.

All Governors are linked with a subject or specific area of learning. They meet with the teachers responsible and report back to the Headteacher and the Full Governing Board.

As well as FGB, Resources, SIC and RIG meetings, we try to attend as many school events as possible. We regard our role as that of a 'critical friend' and we try hard to ensure that all children receive the best education at our schools. The Ofsted inspector made the following comment in February -

"Governors visit the school regularly and have a thorough understanding of its strengths and what needs improving. The work of the Governing Body is making a good contribution to the leadership of the school"

We shall endeavour to continue to do so!

Thank you for the continuing support.