Headteacher's Report for Parent Council 09.03.2026

Since our last meeting there have been lots of successes- nativity, panto, parties over Christmas. Thanks to the PC for supporting these by providing snacks and candy canes and of course arranging a very special visitor on the last day of term.

We have had positive feedback from events the children have attended this term. Our older pupils did really well at the recent cluster cross country, with lots placing in the top 20 for their section. Last week some of our P7s went to the local Rotary quiz where the team did brilliantly and came second. Most importantly at both these events the children enjoyed taking part and represented the school so positively. Most importantly they enjoyed taking part and representing the school

Staff have been working on Quality Improvement Plan priorities. The February In-Service day included training for all teachers on Problem Solving in numeracy and bereavement training. Support staff attended a central day where they attended workshops relevant to interventions they are doing with individuals and small groups.

In terms of school improvement we will continue to engage with PKC's numeracy schools programme and have invested in new maths resources- practical 'hands on' as well as text books and teacher planning supports. We will also continue a focus on approaches to writing with Miss Kettles looking at feedback across the school and Mr Dowling focusing on writing progression.

Teachers have been writing reports which will be issued at the end of term with Parent contact following next term.

There has been further focus on improving the building this term with painting taking place. The school is looking great and we will invite parents in for an open session next term when it's complete. The staff and children have been very flexible and it's been lovely to see everyone pull together to move classes swiftly and with minimal impact.

All classes will prepare a contribution for the Spring assembly which will take place in the church during the last week of term.