



St Luke's CE Academy, ENDON

'Helping Lights Shine for All'

5th October 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Things are starting to get really busy as we approach half term.

Parent Surveys

The data from the parent surveys has now been collated and can be seen below. This data is based on 90 responses.

1. My child enjoys their time at school: **95%**
2. My child has made good progress over the last year: **86%** (11% no response as Reception parents)
3. My child's achievements are celebrated in school: **85%** & 10% (3)
4. My child has a positive attitude to learning: **92%**
5. The children are involved in school decision-making: **71%** (12% no response & 14% (3))
6. The children are safe and well cared for: **100%**
7. The school is well led and managed: **96%**
8. The school is well maintained and resourced: **94%**
9. If I have a concern I feel I can speak to someone at school: **94%**

These are really pleasing results. The response to question 5 has made us realise that we need to communicate more about a feature of our school which is so intrinsic we probably forget to share.

We warmly invite you if possible to join us for a learning forum on Thursdays at 10:00am if you are available, and we will aim to provide a parent workshop about Pupil Voice in our school – the pupil voice section on our website was written by the children and will give a good sense of the degree to which they are involved.

Pupil Voice & Leadership

This week in Learning Forum the whole school met to discuss the Staffordshire County Council decision to stop providing Road Crossing Patrols. Every child contributed a view using the Thinking Maps we use to support the sharing of thinking. The School Council met yesterday to formulate an action plan and will have taken the first step to raising their concerns today.

Upcoming events:

E-safety workshop – Wednesday 10th Oct

We have invested significantly in inviting a children's e-safety specialist to deliver a Parent Workshop for us all. What our children do, and who they have contact with, on line is a concern and responsibility for us all. This workshop will provide some insight into e-safety and provide some practical advice and approaches to keeping our children safe.

Harvest-time Coffee Morning – Wed 10th Oct

As part of our harvest giving we are planning to share tea/coffee and biscuits with some of the older generation in the visit. We are keen to strengthen even further our community links and bridge the relationship gap between the different generations. There will also be chance for the children to share a book. Our Worship Leader team have made arrangements for the event and have all bases covered.

PSA Meeting – Monday 15th Oct (6:30pm)

The PSA are always looking for new people to come and support. The next meeting will be held at school. Please come along.

Year 1 & 2 Harvest Show – 17th Oct (6pm) & 18th Oct (2:30pm)

Parents of children in these classes are warmly welcomed to join the performance of the harvest show.

Open Evening for Prospective Parents – 18th Oct (6:00pm)

A banner will be outside school in the next few days but we would appreciate your support in passing in news of this event. It is mainly targeted at the Sept 2019 new intake but anyone is welcome.

Year 3 & 4 Stone Age Day – Thurs 18th Oct

Watch this space!

Parent consultations – Thursday 25th Oct

Please note that arrangements for parent consultations have been adjusted and will now take place on one day, between 1:30 – 7:30pm. We hope that the advanced notice will help support the logistics for your family.

PSA Disco – Friday 26th October (KS1 – 2:30 – 3:15pm) & (KS2 - 3:30 – 4:15pm)