

# Wintringham Primary Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you for completing the parent survey earlier in the year. I just wanted to share with you our response to the areas highlighted, to ensure that you know that your concerns have been taken on board and actions have been put in place to try and address them.

Areas of concern highlighted by the parent survey:

## **Communication quality and clarity**

We recognise that communication quality and clarity has been highlighted as a key concern. This is something that consistently emerges in feedback, and we understand how important effective communication is for families. At the same time, we also appreciate that preferences can vary. What feels too much communication for some may not feel sufficient for others.

In response, we are keen to improve and find a more balanced approach. As part of this, we will be introducing **Class Dojo** as a communication tool. Our aim is that this will provide a more streamlined, accessible, and consistent way to share updates, while also enabling more direct communication between school and home. Further information on this will be shared soon.

We will monitor how this works in practice and continue to gather feedback to ensure it meets the needs of our community.

## **SEND provision and support**

We acknowledge that SEND provision and support has been identified as an area of concern, and we take this feedback seriously. Supporting children with additional needs is a priority for us, and we are committed to continually improving our provision.

This term, we have taken concrete steps to strengthen our support by doubling the allocated time for our SENCo and appointing an additional Teaching Assistant. While this role supports SEND provision, it is important to note that the Teaching Assistant is a whole-school resource, helping to enhance support and learning opportunities for all pupils, including those with additional needs.

We would also like to highlight that, in some cases, the support we are able to provide is influenced by input from external agencies and the Local Authority. While we work closely with these services, we do not have direct control over their availability or timelines. We fully understand that this can be frustrating and want to reassure parents that we share these frustrations.

Despite these challenges, we remain committed to working proactively with all involved to ensure the best possible outcomes for every child, and we will continue to review and develop our SEND provision in response to both pupil needs and parent feedback.

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## **Voluntary contribution**

We ask for a voluntary contribution from each child to pay for activities that enhance the education of the children at the school. We do this rather than asking for you to pay for each individual activity. We also link the contribution to clubs as they often come with an additional cost. This is a list of some of the activities that the contribution has paid for.

History Off The Page visits

The Breck Foundation online safety

The author visit

Reward Days

Coaches to Young Voices

JJS – lunchtime and after school club

Materials for after school clubs

When we can we subsidise the school trips

A bookbag is provided for children starting in Reception

## **Homework**

Please be aware that if you require a printed version of the homework, please ask the class teacher.

## **Other Information**

This is a growing school, and it is important that the growth is managed appropriately. This academic year we have appointed:

2 new Teaching Assistants

A Play Therapist – 1 day a week

A part-time teacher to release the SENCO

A part-time member of staff in the office.

A new cleaner

Whilst in education we have a limited budget, we are trying to respond to the needs to the school where we can.

I hope that you will find this information useful.

Yours sincerely



Mrs Tracy Bryden  
Executive Headteacher  
On behalf of Wintringham Primary Academy (part of TDLPT)