

## Parent Council 18<sup>th</sup> May 2022

### HT Report

#### Highlights of the term so far

- In person assemblies started up again
- Playground leaders
- Clubs – netball, athletics, football
- In person parent evenings
- Progress toward silver Reading Schools Award – paired reading, awards, outdoor library

#### Planned for rest of term

- Sports Day and BBQ
- Separate nursery sports (organised by P6s)
- Cricket festival (P5/6)
- Nursery Jubilee Garden Party
- School Jubilee House Event
- Share a story event for families
- P1 transition visits
- P7 induction days and rest of school “moving up” afternoon
- Interviews for next year’s P7 leaders
- P7 trip to Willowgate
- Possible P1-4 trip
- Follow the Band virtual concert for whole school
- PTA coffee morning
- End of term leavers’ church service
- Handover sessions to new HT

### Attainment and Tracking

Final tracking and attainment meetings for the year to be held in the next few weeks. (HT, PST and CTs). Predictions for attainment at end of P1, P4 and P7 are good. Attendance in some cohorts has been well below average and may have an impact on attainment.

### Reporting to parents

Written reports will be issued before end of term

### Self Evaluation process

This feeds into Standards and Quality Report and School Improvement Plan (will be completed by end of June)

Parental survey is currently live – only 17 responses to date, all very positive but with some helpful ideas for improvement.

### Classes for next session

School roll is expected to be 94 (this year 87) with P1 intake of 12 (several have chosen to defer)

Class details will be announced once staffing decisions are finalised. Also waiting for confirmation from some new families. May be in a position where we have to split a few year groups this session.

### Staffing

Leavers – Mrs Farrow, Mr King, Mrs Caines and Mrs Allan

Interviews for nursery team in June – 2 permanent ECP posts then also fill a fixed term ECP role.

Will continue to have ECP in P1 until March to support with play. (Covid recovery funding)

Support Staff allocations will be confirmed later in term.

New HT – awaiting announcement.

### Thank you

Thank you to all parent council, past and present, and the whole nursery and school parent body for all their support in my time as Headteacher at Fossoway.