

Dear Parents and Carers,

As another school year ends, the Governing Body and I would like to thank you for your continued support of the school and to reflect on what has been a successful and rewarding year.

We are very proud of all that the children have achieved this year. Whether it was learning to read, exploring the world through science or the past through history, excelling at sport, creating artwork or performing at events, our pupils have grown in confidence, curiosity and kindness. Their enthusiasm and love of learning remind us all why primary education is such a special and important time in a child's life.

A huge thank you must go to our team of dedicated staff led by Mrs Lennon, who work so hard to create a nurturing, inspiring and supportive environment every day.

One particular highlight this year has been the glowing SIAMS report we received following the Statutory Inspection.

The Governors have continued to work closely with Mrs Lennon and the Senior Leadership Team throughout the year supporting the school's vision and priorities. These include maintaining and improving high standards of teaching and learning, encouraging creativity, promoting wellbeing and ensuring that every child feels safe, included and valued.

We also want to thank you, our parents and carers, for all the ways you support the school. From helping with reading and learning at home to attending and helping with events and activities, your involvement is a vital part of your child's journey and the wider school community.

We send our very best wishes to our Year 6 pupils moving on to secondary school and their exciting journey ahead. We know that they will carry everything they have learned at Brighstone with them and we are very proud of all they have achieved.

Finally, we wish you and your families a happy, restful summer holiday and look forward to welcoming you back in September.

With best wishes,

Sarah Turvill
Chair of Governors