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#### Dear Parents, Carers & Families,

I cannot believe how quickly this term is speeding by - it is astonishing to believe that when this term ends we will have reached our half year milestone! So much has been, and continues to be achieved and to this we owe great credit to the children, families and school team - thank you! This week we were visited by an external consultant who conducted the first of our annual safeguarding audits. The consultant was really very impressed with what she observed. She particularly enjoyed speaking with some of the children who expressed that they:

- like school
- think their teachers are nice
- like coming to school
- they feel looked after and are happy

We couldn't be happier to receive this report!

Have a wonderful weekend,

#### Miss Ingrams and the Lime Wood Primary team.

### Parent Survey Feedback

Thank you once again - we had 29 responses in total and will report back on findings each week.

#### My child has SEN and the school gives them the support they need

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Everyone responded 'Agree' to this question, as applicable. We are pleased that parents feel this way. We are continually reviewing our practices and hope that with the increased number of meetings to discuss children's needs that this will go from strength to strength.

#### The school has high expectations for my child

12 reported 'Strongly Agree' and 14 chose 'Agree' which is fantastic. There were 2 responses of 'Don't Know'. As a school we follow the EYFS framework and curriculum which is planned to meet the needs and interests of the cohort. Each term, we review the children's learning and identify next steps. This is completed at our termly 'Raising Standards' meeting which is held between the Headteacher, Class Teacher and EYFS Lead - each child's learning and next steps and targets are identified for all. At the beginning of the year we set an end of year target for our first cohort to leave EYFS with fantastic outcomes that are at least in line or above national expectations.

#### My child does well at this school

16 of you strongly agreed and 11 agreed with this statement. Again, we are delighted with this response. As a school team we are very proud of the children's social and emotional development as well as their academic outcomes. 1 response was 'disagree' and 1 was 'don't know' - if any parent/carer has any concerns about their child at our school, we urge you to make an appointment with the Headteacher so that this can be discussed further.





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# VVE LOVE LEARNING EXPRESSIVE ART & DESIGN

The children explored different media to recreate Van Gogh's The Starry

Night.





















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**Kindness** - Our children show kindness towards each other by helping each other during tidy up time - well done!

**Teamwork -** The children that attended the Sainsbury's Local launch in our community were great ambassadors for our school and showed great teamwork as they travelled through the school to attend the store.

**Respect** - Some of the children have shown their respect for their school and teachers by recreating and role-playing as teachers in their child initiated play!

**Curiosity -** The children have been exploring Capacity in their maths focused learning. Ask your child about the new mathematical language they have been learning.

**Pride -** Mr Thind, our new sports coach, joined us at the beginning of term and each week he comments on the exceptional engagement and enthusiasm displayed by the children - well done!

### ATTENDANCE

We strive for 96%+ attendance for all our children w/c 22.1.24 Hundred Acre Wood Class 80.42% Neverwood Forest Class 86.21% Whole school, Year to date: 97.3%

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Please speak to us if we can help with any attendance matters. We are here to help.

### STAR OF THE WEEK Isla-Mai, Harley, Tyler & Cillian GOLDEN BOOK

Anthony, Raphael, Kingsley & Louis

### KEY DATES



29th January - **Parent Workshop**: Phonics & Early Reading, 1.30pm **PLEASE JOIN US!** 

31st January - Admissions Open Afternoon for prospective families, 1pm

1st February - Men in Sheds (Age UK) will be in working with the children on our

inter-generational special project - watch this space!





### SAFEGUARDING

Take a look at this useful guide on our website **'7 Questions to help you start a** conversation with your child about online safety'



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We were delighted to be asked to be involved in the grand opening of the new Sainsburys Local that has joined our community on The Quarry. Thank you to all of the children and parents that participated. Miss Ingrams has met with the team to discuss ways of collaborative working together in the future!





Don't miss out...Keep up to date with all our latest news!

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