



## Governor's Visit Report Form

Name of Governor: Pete Bell	Link Area: Safeguarding and Literacy	Date of visit: 22.03.2022
Member of Staff: Mr.Morley (plus Mr.Openshaw, trainee teacher)		
Objectives of visit:  1.To observe and gain a greater understanding of parts of the new curriculum  2. To observe behaviour in-class and in and around school.  3. To re-establish links with Year 3 and to question them about their learning.		
Brief Notes: It was an absolute pleasure to be able to spend face to face time with staff and pupils after an enforced absence of two years, due to the coronavirus, which is still with us and having an on-going detrimental effect on the school. On the day of my visit, all of Year 6 were operating in a bubble, and six members of staff were absent due to testing positive for Covid, including the Head Teacher. The remaining staff were coping extremely well, with both experienced and new staff volunteering readily to fill any gaps occurring on a daily basis. A casual visitor to the school would not know that there was any disruption to the running of the school. I observed the reading carousel, a literacy lesson, a maths lesson, and a science lesson, all of which were engaging, interesting and challenging to pupils across the range of ability. Discussion and partner work were encouraged at all times and produced relevant and thoughtful suggestions. The pupils were able to answer my questions in a mature way, and evidenced good understanding of their learning. A child in receipt of 1-to-1 support was fully engaged and supported throughout the day and at no time did his intervention mark him out as different from every other pupil. Behaviour in class, in the playground, and in the dining room was exemplary, and the children reacted with calmness and co-operation when a technical issue delayed the delivery of lunch. I should like to thank Mr.Morley in particular for his valuable help in setting up the day, and also Mr.Openshaw for taking my presence in his stride and impressing in the classroom.		
Signature of visiting Governor: P.Bell		
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