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XAVIER EDUCATION TRUST

## ST ANNE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



### **Our mission statement is:**

***"It is not enough to love children; they must know that they are loved."***

Dear Parents and Carers,

Yet another year has flown by! The Children at St Anne's have all been working incredibly hard and there have been many achievements to celebrate.

This will be my last letter to you all. I have been very proud to support such a marvellous school. I would like to thank all parents and carers for your support of the school and, of course, your devotion and care of your children who are so wonderful to teach.

Clearly all the staff, be they in the classroom, the office or looking after the building, have been once again very busy in their endeavours and the Governors thank them all.

We must thank the exceptional work of Mrs Harris, Mrs Murphy and the teachers in maintaining a relentless focus on the quality of teaching and learning across the school. We must also thank the wonderful children at St Anne's who have also worked incredibly hard as we can see by their results and the kind and caring way, they share their work and time together.

During this last term the Governing Body has been involved in the following:

- Ongoing involvement in monitoring of raising attainment.
- Supervision of financial management including the budget for 2022-23
- Monitoring Performance Data
- Monitoring Pupil Premium
- Health and Safety Audit
- Safeguarding for all in school

The Learning Walks and monitoring the Governors observed some really exciting lessons taking place in the classrooms and were really impressed with the imaginative approach to the curriculum which was clearly engaging the children with an enormous sense of pride.

The PFA continues to play their part in supporting the school and raising funds for those things which the school budget cannot stretch too. We thank you for some very creative fund raising.

I am delighted to see the investment in the school infrastructure over the coming months and I am sure we will all notice and appreciate the changes being made over the summer break. One of the changes will be the hall extension which you will all watch being built throughout the next year. It will make such a wonderful new resource for all the children.

We hope the children leaving us will have a very successful and happy time in their new schools. The school is also looking forward to meeting all the new St Anne's children in September.

On behalf of the Governing Body may I take this opportunity to wish you and your families a very happy summer break

**God bless you all**

Best wishes

Lyn Derrington

Chair

