



# Hemington Primary School

"To enable, encourage and equip all children to achieve their best through an inspiring and nurturing environment."

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Dear parents and carers,

As we reach the end of a busy term, I am writing to update you on the activity of Hemington and Leigh on Mendip joint Local Governing Body (LGB) since September 2024.

As Chair of Governors, I have had the delight of visiting Hemington Primary on several occasions this term. I have observed maths lessons, where I was able to report back good levels of engagement across the school. Pupils were pleased to explain to me the task they were undertaking and showed good understanding. I have also performed routine Health and Safety and Safeguarding checks with Mr Randell, as well as hearing about the impressive achievements of the pupils and staff.

In our governor meetings, we have discussed attendance, SEN provision and monitored progress since the very positive Ofsted visit last year. We have also approved a wonderful list of trips and visits proposed by the staff for this academic year, which I am sure the pupils will enjoy and find beneficial.

If you would like to contact the Local Governing Body, you are very welcome to email me at [Catherine.Farmer@msnpartnership.com](mailto:Catherine.Farmer@msnpartnership.com). Alternatively, Sophie Flook represents the parents of Hemington Primary at the LGB and is your local governor contact. Mrs Iles is Clerk to the Governors and can provide further information and contact details. We currently have a vacancy on the LGB. If you are interested in becoming a governor, please do not hesitate to contact me or Mrs Iles to find out more about this rewarding role.

Finally, I would like to wish you all a very merry Christmas and a healthy and happy new year!

Kind regards,

Catherine Farmer  
Chair of Hemington and Leigh on Mendip LGB



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