

| RAG meeting: | | 28 th March 2017 |
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| Present: | | Mike Harris (LA), Brian Padgett (Diocese), David Capener (Prestbury C of E Primary), Kath Moore (chair of govts), Chris Tickner (vice chair of govts), Brenda Cook (governor), Sally Drage (governor) Jemma Irwin (school SMT), Dave Robinson (school SMT), Pip Worswick (school head teacher) |
| item | discussion | action |
| 1 | Apologies – Fiona Burke Jackson (LA) | |
| 2 | RAG team – Mike Harris / Fiona Burke Jackson (LA), Brian Padgett (Diocese), David Capener (Prestbury C of E Primary), Kath Moore (chair of govts), Chris Tickner (vice chair of govts), Brenda Cook (governor), Sally Drage (governor) Jemma Irwin (school SMT), Dave Robinson (school SMT), Pip Worswick (school head teacher) | |
| 3 | <p>Report feedback</p> <p>  Report to Raising Attainment Group b Raising Attainment Group March 2017 C</p> <p> Report to Raising Attainment Group w</p> <p>Members discussed the behaviour report – brought to the group by Brian following a visit to school on 06.03.17 with Kath Moore and Claire Hocknall (governor). What do we do about children with significant needs? Members discussed pupil and staff safety, flexi schooling, managed moves and exclusions as well as the school behaviour policy and the regular 'chaotic' state of the school when challenging children are 'kicking off', SEND children are demanding of staff for safety reasons and staff are stretched beyond capacity. Behaviour expertise from Springfield in Crewe was discussed.</p> <p>Lunchtime behaviour still poor as observed by BP, KM and CH.</p> <p>The vast majority of children behave well in lessons.</p> <p>Members discussed the maths report</p> | <p>MH to contact Ian Doneghani to visit school to get a big picture of SEND at the school – a school overview. We are acting as a resourced unit but without the resources.</p> <p>PW to discuss exclusion with parents of children concerned and explain that needs of their child may not be met at our school as we have limited resources.</p> <p>PW to re-contact previous school regarding SEND paperwork for child with challenging behaviour in Y1.</p> <p>Revisit behaviour code for outdoors, teach respect through PSHCE / SMSC BP to come in and talk to the children about behaviour / respect. Also, to be part of the school at lunchtime. BP to arrange a lunchtime visit with KM.</p> <p>CT and DC observe maths, look at books.</p> |

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| | <p>as brought by Dave Robinson and Chris Tickner. There was a discussion about data and the challenge of a new curriculum with no standardised assessment except for Y2 and Y6.</p> <p>Members discussed the writing report brought by Pip Worswick following book scrutiny, learning walks, data collection and staff self evaluation.</p> | <p>DR and CT to meet on 31.03.17 to look at Spring data for maths. Aim to set a numerical target for the second milestone of the action plan.</p> <p>Staff meeting on pupil progress led by the SMT on Monday 24th April – governors welcome to observe</p> <p>2 x visits organised by PW for staff to observe teaching at Bollington Cross (Wednesday 26th April 3 x staff and Tuesday 16th May 2 x staff.)</p> <p>PW to look at reading, writing and maths combined for Y4/5 and 6 and highlight concerns – identify for improvement.</p> <p>DC to send PW expectations for end of Y4 and Y1 that Prestbury have been working on. Also, end of EYFS expectations to ensure children meet expected at end of Y2 (when completed by Prestbury)</p> |
| 4 | <p>Action plans</p> <p>PW still feels that they are not focused enough to enable the school to move forwards at the pace it needs to do so. In discussion with DC and the school improvement partner, Susan Walters and using a layout suggested by the Diocese PW has drafted a revised action plan.</p> <p>BP talked the group through the thinking behind the headings for the plan.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>School Improvement Action</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;">to be updated</p> | <p>PW to work on person responsible and evaluated by columns and complete the how and what of evaluation – email to DC and BP.</p> |
| 5 | <p>Further developing the RAG</p> | <p>PW to invite RAG members to staff meetings – build relationships and enable members to really get to know the school.</p> |
| 6 | <p>Funding for improvement</p> <p>Members discussed the funding to support improvement. MH informed the group that he has not been given a budget yet – we need to write a memorandum of understanding to state what we need and for what (NB, not for things). Governor training can be included.</p> | <p>KM and PW to work on initial doc re funding</p> |
| 7 | <p>Date of next meeting Tuesday 6th June 3:30 – 5:30.</p> | |



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