

## Message from Chair of Governors

How quickly this year has gone! A particularly “Good” one for Eureka Primary School as Ofsted came to visit and gave the school a well-deserved rating of “Good” in January 2023.

As Governors, we have welcomed a new parent governor and have said goodbye to a long serving co-opted Governor this year. Thankfully, we had a replacement co-opted governor who joined us in March this year. Also, a much-valued member of staff, who had been at Eureka for many years retired this year and were thanked for all of their hard work.

Along with the rest of the country we are mindful of ever increasing costs and the school’s budget is scrutinized at each meeting as there seems to be less and less money available, sometimes restricting provision.

Safeguarding is always the “Golden Thread” through all the discussions and actions of the Governing Board and updated policies were scrutinised and agreed. This also applied to the school’s GDPR policies provided by Derbyshire.

The school has been inundated with requests for pupil places and at the moment it has the most pupils it has had for a while. We have still not heard anything about the proposed new build unfortunately.

How to contact your Governing Board

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