

IMPROVEMENT PLAN: 2023/24

TO FURTHER ENHANCE OUR WIDER OFFER TO OUR CHILDREN AND OUR COMMUNITY

| Action/ Implementation | Impact/Success criteria | Timescale/ responsibility | Evaluation (see governor minutes and notes) |
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| Fundraising events planned out (school council and PTA) | Fundraising events planned out across the year to ensure parents aren't impacted financially | Events planned by September FS to lead and be informed by school council and PTA | |
| Playground leaders to enhance playtime experience and 'Active 30' | Year 5 playground leaders to support children to be active during playtimes and aim to meet expectations of 'Active 30' | Review at Autumn half term FS | |
| Open sessions for prospective families | Set dates for open evenings to celebrate WVPS and showcase it to prospective families to increase numbers. | Timetable created by end of September. FS / AI All staff to support | |
| Improve links between toddler group and nursery | Nursery staff to come to toddler group to get to know potential nursery parents and children. | Begin in September EYFS staff | |

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| Year 2 and Year 6 SAT assemblies and celebration assemblies | Assemblies to inform parents about Y2 and Y6 assessments and end of year assemblies to share a love of learning to ensure parents have a deep understanding of what their children do in school. | Y2 and Y6 assemblies in Term 1 Celebration assemblies in Term 3 FS to lead, all staff to organise and deliver. | |
| Coffee mornings for parents and local community | Children will show their favourite piece of work to celebrate what happens in school with parents to ensure parents have a deep understanding of what their children do in school and so that the local community is aware of what we do. | FS to timetable events throughout the year, beginning in Term 1 | |
| Links with Blucher church | Children will gain a greater understanding of religion and its role in the community. | CR to timetable visits in Term 1 | |
| Parent section on website to signpost and increase personal knowledge | Parents will be signposted to websites, courses and articles that will support them to develop their own knowledge and provide learning opportunities for their children. | FS to lead and update half termly beginning in Term 1. | |
| Wilmott Dixon | Year 5 - link to geography planning and decision making and literacy. Representatives from WD to come in and work with children on debating pros and cons of construction of new West Denton leisure centre | Autumn Term AI | |

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| | <p>Year 5 and year 6 maths session. WD will bring their tetrahedron construction kits so that children can carry out construction challenges. Laurie is going to think about bringing in a costing element (an example would be children using lolly sticks and elastic bands to construct but each item has a cost. The team who construct with lowest cost will win).</p> <p>Year 6 link to electricity unit - they have snap kits that they can come in and use with the children</p> | Spring Term RMc | |
| Link to Newburn library | Children will visit the library to use books that are linked to specific subjects | Autumn 1 AI | |
| Sports competitions | Y5&6 will attend competitions (athletics) | Summer Term FS and PE coach | |
| After school clubs | After school clubs to encourage a love of learning and increase skill. | <p>Music FS</p> <p>Cooking PA</p> <p>Athletics FS / coach</p> <p>Art – TB and students</p> <p>EYFS club – Donna and students</p> <p>Other staff to volunteer if appropriate</p> | |