



Tameside Metropolitan Borough

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Dear Parents/Carers

This week we sent out a link for you to give us feedback. We really do value your opinion and school can only improve if you let us know in which areas you think we need to improve. If you think we are doing a good job then let us know too, it really does give us a morale boost. Please click on the following link to complete the short survey, you can view the results instantly.

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/login?destination=/give-your-views>

We are trying hard in school to streamline how we communicate with you, as a result, more information will be sent via email as school does not incur a charge. This will be via ParentMail so please do download the app. During lockdown we communicated via text message with links to the website, this incurred a considerable cost for the school, hence why we need to send whole school information via email. Text messages will be sent but for much smaller groups or if we need to communicate information immediately. To put it into context, we have spent over £1000 on texts during the period that we were in lockdown and beyond.

This week I virtually met with the two parent governors as we are keen to give parents and carers a voice in school. You may want to get involved somehow but are unclear as to how you can, especially at this time when we have to be so careful. The two parent Governors are Catherine Harris and Sarah Wilson, and they are really enthusiastic about making sure you are represented on the Governing Body.

At this meeting it was suggested that the two representatives held a virtual drop in via WhatsApp. If you would like to have a chat with our Parent Governors, please could you let school know and we will pass on your telephone number to Catherine who will call you via WhatsApp on Monday 7th December between 10-12, don't worry it will not be a video call.

We hold a lot of information on our website. If you ever want to know how a certain subject is taught or you need further information on after school clubs this link will take you directly to the parent's section on the website. All letters that are sent via email are available under the parent section on the left letter tab.

<https://mottram.tameside.sch.uk/parents/>



We also post lots of pictures on Twitter.

<https://twitter.com/MottramCofE>

We currently have 129 followers you may be one of them so remember to have a look at what we are doing in school via this media. If you do not want the app you can always find the stream on our home page of the website. You can see what we have been up to by clicking on this link.

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I know your time is precious but please do give us feedback on the parent view. If you would like to chat to Catherine or Sarah on 7th December let school know either by calling us on 01457 763 368 or drop us an email at admin@mottram.tameside.sch.uk and we will pass on your telephone number.

Have a good weekend and stay safe.

Mrs Scattergood

