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Dear Parent/Carer

We believe in letting you know how the school and teaching staff are performing. Following on from the excellent SATs results last year, which were detailed in the recent Governors' Newsletter, we thought it important to feedback observations from our Local Authority Adviser.

The encouraging thing is the Adviser can evidently see what we already know about the school and teaching staff, and his comments are summarised as follows.

Pupils' development is enabled through a wide, varied and imaginative curriculum. The innovation and creativity means the children enjoy school and show positive attitudes to learning. This approach is supported by high expectations for both pupils and staff and a positive 'can do' attitude and strong team spirit amongst staff. This combination has resulted in continually improving teaching provision and as mentioned improved results in 2012.

An important factor in the success can be seen in effective challenging and monitoring of teaching provision, work undertaken and leadership. This brings about consistency and effective improvement. The Head Teacher has been instrumental in this, working closely with all staff. Alongside this Mrs Eveleigh has been highly effective in improving achievement and leadership in a number of vulnerable schools in Somerset in her role as a Local Leader of Education.

I hope you can see that we have a superb school in Meare, and look forward to your continued support as parents through 2013.

Yours sincerely

Colin Blatchford-Brown
Designated Performance Management Governor and Vice Chair

... together we can.

