



17th December 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

As we reach the end of the Autumn term in what continues to be a challenging time, with the new coronavirus variant, I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you for your continued support for the school.

You may be interested to know that Cavendish took part in a 'Peer Challenge' at the end of November, when headteachers/heads of schools from Hounslow took it in turns to visit each other schools, review each other's school development plans and carry out lesson observations. We are very pleased that the Peer Challenge report states *'Cavendish Primary school is a friendly community where children and staff are incredibly positive and proud of their school. All staff and pupils were able to articulate what makes Cavendish the "best school" to be at'.... Behaviour and attitudes of the children are a strength and they demonstrate good relationships with each other and staff.'* In addition, good practice identified to share with other schools included the *'Cavendish curriculum'*.

We are very proud of the children as they continue to catch up on their learning after two lockdowns and we hope you found the recent parent consultation meetings useful to find out more about your child's progress. Well done to all the children for their performances in the Christmas productions and we were pleased to welcome parents/carers to see the children perform.

Thank you to the 'Friends of Cavendish' (formerly known as the PTA) for all their support in fundraising for the school and organising events such as the teddy bears picnic, spooky day, film nights and today's Christmas crafts.

Finally, I would like to thank all the staff for their hard work and dedication in ensuring the children continue to make good progress in their learning and feel safe and happy in school.

On behalf of the staff, I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and we look forward to seeing you again on Wednesday 5th January, for the first day of the Spring term.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Anna Coleman
Head of School