WELBECK PRIMARY SCHOOL LINK GOVERNOR VISIT FEEDBACK FORM

Name:	Area/Responsibility:	Date of visit:
Gillian Dodsley	Curriculum	31-01-22

Member of staff/class visited: K Weatherall

Objectives of the visit including links to school development plan:

To scrutinise curriculum topic folders with focus on coverage, differentiation, progress and achievement.

Strengths identified from work completed Autumn Term 2021:

- Good range of topics covered by each class including history, science and geography.
- Topic work planned by teachers is creative, lively and engaging.
- Differentiation was evident in all topic lessons and especially strong in KS1.
- There was clear progression across the year groups both in challenge, content and outcome.
- The vocabulary sheets (never heard the word) used at the beginning and end of each topic give clear evidence of the children's learning.
- Excellent range of activities experienced by the children to enhance their learning eg visits, visitors, themed days, outdoor learning. Many of these are evidenced by photos in the children's work folders.
- Excellent range of recorded activities eg charts, maps, tick box, sentence, paragraph, cut and stick, fill in sheets, question and answer etc.
- Clear objectives set for lessons and included on work sheets.

Follow up action to be taken:

- Link governor to observe topic lessons across the school.
- Link governor to have a learning walk through school to evidence work on displays.
- Further work scrutiny in Summer Term 2022 with curriculum co-ordinator to match learning to curriculum objectives.

Evaluation of visit: (include impact on attainment, where is the evidence?)

Topic work continues to be one of Welbeck's strengths. Children are given a whole range of ambitious, purposeful and engaging activities to enhance their learning. The staff at Welbeck deserve much praise for their creativity and hard work.

Governor: Gill Dodsley

Link teacher: K Weatherall