



THE BRIDGE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of the Spring Term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and partnership with the school.

A particular thank you goes to all parents and carers who completed our recent Parent Survey. Your feedback is incredibly valuable to us. We are currently reviewing the responses, and we will share the full results along with our planned actions during the Summer Term.

This term, pupils have thoroughly enjoyed their learning, with all subject areas linked to the theme of *toys*. Staff have been delighted with the enthusiasm and creativity pupils have shown, and it has been wonderful to see such high levels of engagement across the school.

I would also like to take a moment to celebrate some of the outstanding achievements of our pupils this term. We are incredibly proud of **Adam**, who has become the **first pupil in the history of The Bridge School to swim 50 metres**—an extraordinary accomplishment. Our weekly **Star of the Week Assemblies** continue to be a highlight, providing a special opportunity to recognise pupils for their amazing efforts, progress, and personal successes across the curriculum.

These achievements also remind us how important **good attendance** is. Every day in school matters. When pupils attend consistently, they are better able to make progress, enjoy new experiences, and reach their full potential. Thank you for your continued efforts in supporting strong attendance. As we continue to support our families and promote sustainability, we welcome **donations of good-quality, reusable school uniform**. If you have any items your child has outgrown, please bring them to the school office or contact us directly. You can liaise with the office at enquiry@bridge.fet.ac, or with our Family Support Worker, **Louise Wall**, at l.wall@bridge.fet.ac.

Looking ahead, our Summer Term theme will be **“Where the Wild Things Are”**, which promises exciting learning opportunities inspired by the classic text. We also have a number of key events and developments taking place next term:

- **Residential Trips** – more information will follow for participating groups.
- **Hydrotherapy Pool Refurbishment** – we are pleased to share that the refurbishment will be completed soon. Pupils will once again enjoy weekly hydrotherapy sessions, and our more able swimmers will attend swimming lessons at Wyndley Baths.
- **Friends of The Bridge** – thank you to all parents involved in supporting and fundraising through our Friends of The Bridge group. Your dedication makes a real difference to the experiences we can offer our pupils. We are very much looking forward to the upcoming **Summer Fayre** and hope to see many of you there.

Please note the following key dates for the Summer Term:

- **Children return to school on Monday 13th April**
- **Half-day closures:**

Thursday **30th April**

Friday **5th June**

Monday **15th June**

Thank you once again for everything you do to support our school community. I wish you all a restful and enjoyable break, and we look forward to welcoming pupils back for an exciting Summer Term.

Warm regards,

Andrew Seager
Head Teacher