#### **Dear Families**

We would like to say thank you for all your continued support this academic year. We are blessed to have such wonderful children and families working in partnership with staff that always go above and beyond to ensure all our children receive the best possible education with Christian values being at the heart of all that we do.

We would like to take this time to reflect on all the wonderful things that have happened at Anson during 2023-24 - we hope you feel the same amount of pride as we do!

#### Anson's Academic Success

Mr Davies, our Class 4 teacher and Deputy Headteacher, ensured all our Year 6 pupils entered their KS2 SATS Tests prepared and with utter confidence. As a result of quality first teaching both this year and the years before, the pupils achieved incredible results.

KS2 SATS	Anson School	National
ARE Age Related Expectation		
Reading	100% Pass	74% Pass
Writing	100% Pass	72% Pass
Mathematics	93% Pass	73% Pass
Science	100% Pass	72% Pass
Reading/Writing/ Maths	93% Pass	61% Pass
GDS Dreather Depth		
Reading	50% Pass	Not released
Writing	50% Pass	Not released
Mathematics	43% Pass	Not released
Reading/Writing/ Maths	36% Pass	Not released



Anson's Ofsted

We are delighted to share the final Ofsted report: Inspection dates: 7 and 8 November 2023 Overall effectiveness Good The quality of education *Good* Behaviour and attitudes *Outstanding* Personal development *Outstanding* Leadership and management *Outstanding* Early years provision *Outstanding* 

A few highlights from the report... 'This is a successful, well-led school, where pupils and staff flourish.' 'The school has the highest expectations for all.' 'Pupils say that the best thing about the school is the caring staff.' 'Pupils' behaviour and attitudes are exceptional.' 'Pupils feel that school is safe and free from bullying.' 'Reading is a priority, and staff encourage pupils to read widely and for pleasure.' 'Children thrive in the outstanding early years.' 'Leadership and management are exceptional.'

#### History Gold Mark

Congratulations to Anson and all their sister schools. The assessor very much enjoyed their visits and agrees that each school has met the criteria for a gold award. Huge congratulations to Mrs Hayward - Anson History Lead - the teaching team and the children who spoke with such passion about History!

### PE Silver Mark

We are delighted to announce that we, Anson CE Primary, have achieved the School Games Silver Mark Award for the 2023/24 academic year.

The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success.

Thank you to Mr Davies for leading PE at Anson and giving so many of our pupils the opportunity to compete in sport this year.



Spelling Bee

Congratulations to all the pupils that represented Anson this year in this very exciting competition against 3 other schools within the Trust. From Years 1 - 6, children had to spell some very tricky words and were placed 2nd and 3rd overall.





This year has been an exciting year for Anson and sporting fixtures. With a total of young people competing in local inter-school competitions this year, we are extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of school sport, including those young volunteers, leaders and officials who made our competitions possible.



## Anson's Talents

This year we have also been treated to a number of events showcasing our children's talents including Anson choir, singers, guitar players, piano players, flutist, artist and poets - what a talented bunch they all are!





#### Anson's Enrichment

All our classes have been able to enjoy trips and residentials this year - which has been fantastic! These opportunities offer our children experiences that not only support their learning but aid their personal growth too. A big thank you to the PTFA for supplementing some of these trips to reduce the cost to families and all the staff that have given their own time to make these happen - thank you!



## Anson's Acts of Kindness

Throughout the year, Anson has been raising money for both national and local charities such as Red Nose Day, Wear it Green Day, Winston's Wish and They have also taken it upon themselves to demonstrate the 'courageous advocacy' raising money in their own time in order to improve the lives of others. What citizens of the future!



#### PTFA Round up!

Every penny the PTFA raises goes towards projects that support all Anson children - making their learning, memorable and fun! Thank you so much for all your support and a special thank you to the PTFA members.

The PTFA have donated an incredible £4166.44 for 2023-2024!!! This year, the PTFA have raised £2707.99 - thank you!!!



Thank you to all our Anson Family and friends and we wish you all a wonderful summer!