Last night, we welcomed our governors into school for the first of the six meetings that take place every year. Here's a quick summary of the key items which were discussed and some important messages for you:

School Improvement Areas

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- We looked at the most recent assessment data and listened to feedback from parents, pupils and staff. This has helped us update our School Development Plan.
- Online Safety This will be the focus of our next 'Come Learn With Me' session.
- Safeguarding Our updated Safeguarding policy has been approved and is now available to read on our school website.
- Geography and Computing have been designated as key curriculum subjects for this academic year.

Safety & Security

Keeping everyone safe at school is our top priority. The governors carried out a full review of school security, following guidance from Lancashire County Council. They have approved the measures we have in place. Areas reviewed included:

- CCTV
- Fences
- Lighting
- Security and alarms outside of school hours
- Building projects and repairs

Important Reminders

- Please only collect your child before 15:30 in emergencies or for unavoidable medical appointments. Where possible, collect at lunchtime to minimise disruption and maintain school security.
- We appreciate your efforts to park thoughtfully and safely around the school.
 By avoiding the staff car park and choosing considerate parking spots, you help ensure the safety of all our children.
- We have updated our approach to snacks and treats, in line with the latest EYFS guidance, especially at lunchtime, snack time and during Kids' Club.

You can now find the 2026/2027 term dates on our website.

Finally, the governors would like to thank all parents, carers and the wider BVPS community for your ongoing support.