



## December 2025

## **Dear Parents and Carers**

This has been a full and busy Term for the school and working in collaboration with the Improvement Board a lot has been achieved. The progress across so many areas of the school is a great testament to the hard work and dedication of the staff.

The Governors are grateful to Kathleen and the Staff for their continued commitment in ensuring the young people at Harlow Fields receive the very best in all aspects of their education and development.

Thank you too to you the families for all the support you give to the school in such a variety of ways. A special thank you for the donation of Christmas decorations and new fencing all of which have enhanced the environment for the children.

A special thank you has to go to the hardworking PTA members who work tirelessly in raising money to provide much needed resources for the Staff, Pupils and young people. The Christmas Fair was a great success and brought the community together in such a positive way at this special time of year.

The school social media has been full of videos and photographs of the many activities at school. We hope you have time to take a look and also at the website. This is full of important information, and we are grateful to Molly, a member of staff for taking the lovely video on the Welcome page.

As Governors we have also had a full term. We have all undertaken full safeguarding training, Health and Safety training and training in the new Ofsted Orders. At our meetings we have been kept fully informed of the life and work in school. We welcomed Cathryn Adams to our November meeting when we were given information regarding the work of the Improvement Board.

We were privileged to be able to have our termly visits and were delighted to see for ourselves the progress that has been made in so many areas. As always, our thanks to the staff for giving us their time and for making us so welcome.

This time of year, can be difficult for some, but we hope it can bring some time of joy and happiness too for you all.

On behalf of all the Governors, I wish you all a happy Christmas season, and a positive 2026.

Paula Violet
Chair of Governors

