



# Our year so far....

## Report to Bricett Parish Council



### Autumn term

**September** saw the arrival of our new Headteacher, Miss Morgan, who started the year with the election of school council representatives and appointment of Learning Ambassadors. The whole school raised funds for Macmillan with a coffee morning.

In **October** some of our families joined Barking Pre-school for their 30 year Anniversary celebration. Y5 and had great fun in the Under 11 Tag Rugby competition at Stowmarket Rugby Club.

Our new saplings were planted in **November**. The school marked Remembrance with a special assembly, and raised funds for Children in Need.

Parents and children enjoyed many festivities in **December**

including a Christmas lunch, Christmas Fair, Christmas Jumper Day and a Nativity play.



### Spring term highlights



Making and tasting pancakes on Shrove Tuesday!



Practical maths on NSPCC number day

### Summer term

Y3&4 have already enjoyed their trip to the farm show, and Red Class visited Easton Park Farm

We're looking forward to...

- Y2 and Y6 showing off their Reading, Writing and Maths skills in the SATs tests
- Y5&6 Residential trip
- Fathers' Day lunch
- Sports Day
- Leavers' events.

## Focus on.....The Rainbow Room

The Rainbow Room is our special nurture space where we run activities to support children with their personal and social development. It was developed with support from the base. Mrs Meldrum runs the groups and looks after the space.



**Rainbow Skills** - Curriculum subjects are important at Ringshall but, we also value our Rainbow Skills. These are:

- Challenge, Collaboration, Communication,
- Concentration, Curiosity, Reflection, Resilience.

Together, they help our children to become lifelong independent learners.

### About the school:

We have just over one hundred children on roll, aged from 4-11. At least 60% of our pupils are the children of service personnel from Wattisham. We have much more movement of pupils than most village primary schools due to the re-deployment of parents during the school year. Consequently, many of our pupils face challenges that most children don't. We strive to support and nurture them, placing their needs at the heart of our provision.

**Getting involved:** We currently have 3 vacancies for governors. We are always looking for volunteers to join Parents and Friends of Ringshall School (PFRS) or, our team of volunteer readers. We're currently raising funds for a new canopy to give shade. For more information, do contact us:

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