

## Ashbourne Primary School

Headteacher: Miss Paula Whysall

Chair of Governors: Ashley Tabony



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Dear Parents and Carers

As we come to the end of an extraordinary and challenging academic year, I want to send out a few words of thanks.

First of all to you the parents, who in many cases have worked extremely hard to help our teaching staff continue your child's education as best we could during lockdown.

As a parent myself I know how challenging "home schooling" has been for all of us at times, but I also know Miss Whysall is immensely grateful for the time and effort many of you put in, often alongside working from home, to help your children, they will benefit tremendously from that support as they return to school in September.

Secondly my sincerest thanks to the entire staff of Ashbourne Primary School. You have all worked tirelessly in very difficult circumstances, have put the children first in all of your decisions and efforts, and are truly a superb team of which we, and Ashbourne as a town, should be very proud.

Let's hope that the school can soon begin to return to something more closely resembling normality, as outlined by Miss Whysall in her letter last week explaining current plans for September. Enjoy your summer break one and all.

Best regards.

Ashley Tabony.

Chair of Governors.