

Reporting a Governor visit to Kea School

Name	Simone Stevens	Date	March 2015
Purpose of visit - Attend Stay and Learn Together			
Links with the School Improvement Plan			
14. Are we properly engaged with our school community? How do we listen to and understand our pupils, parents and staff?			
Governor observations and comments			
<p>This term the Foundation team have introduced some new parent sessions called Stay and Learn Together, where they open the classroom to parents to come and do some activities with their children. These sessions are 30 minutes in duration and for the first half of the term were done before school and for the second half of the term have been held at 3 pm on a Tuesday afternoon. These sessions have allowed the parents to join their children in their classroom and the ITC suite, to observe and assist the children in the given task. The children seem to very much enjoy the sessions and parents gain an insight into the learning methods and activities of the children. The sessions are relaxed and enjoyable and have provided parents with an opportunity to experience learning together with their child. The sessions are beneficial and enjoyed by both parent and child. The only concern is for parents who are unable to attend the session and their children who are not able to have someone present. Some parents have raised this as an unnecessary upset for the child.</p>			
Any issues arising for the governing body			
nil			