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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the Christmas holidays and a Happy New Year to you all. Ahead of my termly newsletter, I'd like to share with you some exciting news. Recently we worked with the prestigious company - Investors in People - to try and gain accreditation and recognition for the hard work staff do for our children and community.

After a rigorous assessment process last term, Investors in People have awarded Windmill L.E.A.D. Academy the **We invest in people Gold** accreditation!

Gold accreditation means that Windmill L.E.A.D. Academy not only has the systems, policies and values in place, it means everyone takes responsibility for making them come to life. We have worked tirelessly to improve the education the children here receive. This has involved investing in and supporting all staff so that they can provide the very best education.

Paul Devoy, CEO of Investors in People, said: *"We'd like to congratulate Windmill L.E.A.D. Academy. Gold accreditation from 'We invest in people' is a fantastic effort for any organisation, and this places Windmill L.E.A.D. Academy in fine company with a host of successful organisations that understand the value of people."* Only 17% of accredited organisations achieve the Gold standard.

Here at Windmill, we are 100% committed to achieving success for all our children, our community and our staff. We are thrilled to have achieved the Gold Standard and look forward to continuing to serve the children and community of Windmill L.E.A.D. Academy in the coming weeks, months and years.

Best Wishes,

Teresa Shrestha
Headteacher

