

Wigan Council Education Department



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Dear Parents/Carers,

As you are aware Ofsted came to visit us last term. The report has now been published and the outcome is as follows:

Quality of Education: Requires improvement

Behaviour and attitudes; Good

Personal Development: Good

Leadership and Management: Requires improvement

Early years Provision: Good

Overall: Requires Improvement

Staff at the school remain immensely proud of all pupils and their achievements. There have been many changes and challenges over the past few years, which the whole school community have responded to. Staff have worked incredibly hard during this time, with children's best interests at the heart of everything they do.

A lot of work has taken place to improve the curriculum. Inspectors were fully supportive of this but feel the school needs a little more time to allow the changes to embed so that the impact of these changes can be seen.

Inspectors recognised a number of positives across the school including:

'Leaders ensure that books are displayed beautifully around the school. This helps staff to encourage a love of reading.'

'Children got off to a flying start in the early years.'

'Pupils have a strong understanding of fundamental British values.'

'There is a strong culture of safeguarding across the school.'

The school have a robust plan in moving forwards and this was recognised by Ofsted. All the changes recommended by Ofsted had already been identified by the school and are currently being implemented. We remain committed to providing a quality education for all pupils, whilst responding to a wide range of needs.

Yours faithfully

Mrs G Leigh