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Celebrations of our school

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is with pleasure to be able to share with you St. George's Junior School Ofsted Report, and we are proud to announce that the school has been graded as 'Good'.

We would like to use this opportunity to further acknowledge and celebrate what makes St. George's Junior School a successful school: a school where children learn well; are happy and have valuable all round experiences during their time at this school.

Behaviour and attitudes: Good

'Pupils behave well here'.

The report also gives us even more reasons to be extremely proud of our pupils. The report states that *'Pupils behave well here'.*

Our pupils demonstrate their positive role and their contributions to school life and the wider community through being 'Respectful, Responsible and Hard-working and showing the behaviours of the 'St. George's Way and we are extremely proud of them.

Quality of Education: Good

'Leaders are ambitious for pupils. They have clear expectations for what pupils should be taught. In most subjects, pupils do well. Across some of the foundation subjects, leaders are working to develop the curriculum further.'

'Throughout the school, pupils enjoy reading from a wide range of books. 'Staff encourage pupils' interest in books by reading to them everyday.'

Our curriculum intentions are based upon prior learning and creating experiences that are exciting and progressive. We drive 'Excellence and Achievement' for future ambition and ensure our pupils have support and opportunity to become well-rounded and emotionally healthy citizens.

As part of our drive for continuous improvements, over the last academic year, our staff have worked hard to develop and introduce a 3-11 curriculum in partnership with Woodfield Infant School. Our new curriculum will be fully embedded from September 2023.

Personal Development: Good

'Pupils are happy here. They enjoy coming to school and attend regularly'.

'Pupils form strong positive relationships with their teachers and their peers. Because of this, pupils know who to turn to should they need support, and they feel safe here'.

'Leaders prioritise Personal Development'.



We would like to thank all our pupils, their families, staff, Governors, Empower Trust, and the whole school community for helping make St. George's Junior School a place for children to be happy and successful in their education.

Leadership and Management: Good

'Leaders are ambitious for pupils'.

'Leaders prioritise pupils' personal development'.

'Leaders are quick to identify pupils with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)'.

'Leaders ensure that pupils have ample opportunity to develop their passions outside of the classroom'.

'Governors are committed to their roles and aware of their statutory duties'.

It is a privilege to be part of a team who have always, and continue to show a high level of dedication, not only in their roles as teachers, but as true professionals who genuinely care, show passion, knowledge and enthusiasm in the curriculum that they deliver.

The Ofsted outcome is a celebration for the school. We know the hard work doesn't stop here. Our journey is planned around continual improvement and so we will strive to develop our school even further to maintain the high standards of care and education, and obtain further future success.

The final capture we wish you to have is in the video link below which highlights some of the curriculum, and – happy children. <https://youtu.be/65mETtV-IHg>

We look forward to working with you on our journey and welcome your continued support from you as parents, as valued stakeholders in our community. As always please do make contact with school should you have any concerns; it is working together positively with a shared common goal for your child's success and happiness that will secure good outcomes.

K. A. Lee

Mrs Lee and the St. George's team

