



Morgans Primary School and Nursery

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Dear Parents / Carers

The latest Ofsted Report for Morgans School on will be available from Thursday 26th May. You can view the report from our website or alternatively, hard copies can be provided on request from the school office.

We are very proud of many aspects of the report which shows that we have maintained the high standards of care and support for all children and improved many things over the past few years since our last Ofsted Inspection.

The extent to which our pupils adopt healthy lifestyles is outstanding.

Behaviour is good and managed well throughout the school and our Teaching Assistants provide good quality support in lessons.

Pupils with additional needs are well supported and make good progress.

There is no unsatisfactory teaching.

Children come into the Foundation Stage at the same level as the National average and make good progress throughout our Foundation Stage, so the judgement of effectiveness for Foundation Stage is good. Children in Year 6 leave us above the National average. Their progress through Key Stages 1 and 2 is satisfactory. We need to improve this so that more children have made good or better progress by the time they leave the school.

The Ofsted process largely compares Morgans to the National figures based on historical data over the past three years. The children who left the school at the end of Year 6 in 2010 were used as the main indicator of progress for the school and their progress was satisfactory. For this reason the school has been judged as satisfactory overall, which is also a limiting factor for a number of other judgements.

It is important to note that the progress of current Key Stage 2 classes was acknowledged by the inspectors as beginning to improve in all year groups as a result of the work of the staff team. Since the last inspection, our newly formed Leadership Team have been working hard with colleagues to improve progress. This has been successful but not sufficiently for us to be judged good at present. We will continue our efforts to make sure that we accelerate progress still more for our six to eleven year olds in the coming months and years.

The school regards the Inspection as a piece of consultation so we will use the report to help us to further improve. However, the findings of the Inspection were largely in line with the school's own detailed self evaluations. We were already aware of the need to accelerate pupil progress and have been taking measures to do this, specifically, through Key Stages 1 & 2 for the past eighteen months. It was just a shame that the measures in place have not yet had time to have the impact that Ofsted can use to judge the school as good in this aspect.

I remain very proud of the school, its pupils, staff and governors and am confident that the work we are doing now will move us back to good within the next eighteen months.

Yours sincerely

Sue Dutt

Headteacher