

Love Respect Shine Cheadle Catholic Infant School Conway Road, Cheadle Hulme, Stockport, Cheshire, SK8 6DB 0161 485 8733 admin@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Monday 25th March 2024

We have great pleasure in attaching the Ofsted report, following their two-day inspection of Cheadle Catholic Infant School on 6 and 7 December 2023. The report will also be accessible via the school website and published on the official Ofsted report website.

The overall judgement of the inspectors was that Cheadle Catholic Infant School is a **GOOD** school. This is a fantastic achievement for everyone in our school community and is something to be hugely proud of.

The summary evaluation of the inspection is as follows:

The quality of education	Good
Behaviour and attitudes	Good
Personal development	Good
Leadership and management	Good
Early years provision	Good

As some of you will be aware, it is almost 15 years since the school was last inspected, and much has changed in the framework under which Ofsted inspects. As a consequence of these changes, many schools have received a lower grading in recent inspections, including every primary school in Stockport, previously rated as Outstanding under the previous framework.

We are extremely proud of this judgement which is a testament to the care, expertise and commitment of our staff, the support of our parents and carers, and of course, our wonderful children.

The inspectors identified many areas of strength which we, as governors, also recognise. You will see in the report that there are areas in which the school has made excellent progress and you will note that there are very few areas to improve on,

We were delighted to see that Ofsted recognises that there is 'a strong inclusive feel to the school', and that the school is 'ambitious for what all pupils can achieve', offering a 'caring and nurturing environment' in which to do this. The











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inspectors also acknowledged that the children show **'resilience'** and are **'respectful to staff and to each other'**, and feel **'happy and safe'**. We are delighted that the hard work undertaken by our school staff has been recognised, as it states; **'teachers having extensive subject expertise'** and provide **'a well-considered and ambitious curriculum**'.

Finally and most importantly, I would like to thank the children for being exceptional ambassadors for our school; Mrs Glynn and the staff for their hard work and dedication; the parents and carers who provided feedback to the inspectors; and the Governing Body for their continued support and guidance.

If you have any concerns about anything in the report please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Glynn. Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Anne-Marie Nugnes Chair of Governors (on behalf of the Full Governing Body)







