

Building the bridge to success together



Friday 19th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am pleased to attach the report from our recent Ofsted inspection at the Junior School that took place on 21st and 22nd November 2023. I am delighted to share that Ofsted have judged All Saints' CE Junior Academy as **GOOD** in all areas. We are extremely proud of this positive outcome which reflects the progress the school has made since the last inspection. It is a testament to the care and commitment of our staff, the support of our parents and carers, and of course, a celebration of our wonderful children.

The Ofsted report recognised that children at All Saints' *'are very well behaved in lessons. They are attentive and enjoy learning. They are polite, cheerful and respectful towards teachers and visitors.'* The report highlights that *'pupils have good relationships with teachers'* and comments that the children, *'enjoy learning'*. The inspectors considered the quality of education that we as a school provide, stating that the curriculum is *'ambitious and inclusive'* and recognised *'the high ambitions that leaders hold for all pupils.'*

The priorities included within our School Development Plan were agreed by the inspectors and we will endeavour to improve in those areas identified in the report and from our own evaluation. We are excited to continue on our journey as a school to continually improve the education and experiences we provide for the children, and the role we play in our wider community. All Saints' is a special place where we *'build the bridge of success together'* through the fundamental principles of our Christian values and showing respect and care to each other. I am especially pleased that the inspectors managed to capture this and have highlighted within our report *'the strong sense of family at this school. Pupils display the Christian values they have been taught.'*

Finally, and most importantly, I would like to thank all our children for being exceptional ambassadors for our school; the staff for their hard work and dedication; the parents and carers who either spoke with inspectors or provided feedback online; the Governors for their continued guidance and Ebor Academy Trust for their support throughout.

The full report is attached within this email and is also available on our school website. It will shortly be published on the Ofsted website.

Kind regards

Miss L. Jackson

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'L. Jackson'.

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