

## **St Patrick's RC Primary School judged as Good following Ofsted Inspection**

Local Governors and the Board of the St Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Academy Trust are delighted with the inspection report for St Patrick's RC Primary school following its latest Ofsted Inspection. The school was judged to be Good overall, but also had Early Years provision and Behaviour and Attitudes judged as Outstanding. The Inspection report noted that:

- The school places no barriers on what pupils can achieve.
- Pupils' behaviour and attitudes to learning are exemplary and they arrive each day happy to begin learning.
- Parents and carers are overwhelmingly positive about the impact that the school has on their children.
- Children in the early years make exceptional progress from their starting points.
- Subject leaders share their expert subject knowledge with other staff. This means that staff are able to design learning activities that engage and interest pupils.
- The school prioritises pupils' wider development.

Headteacher Kathryn Bishop said of the inspection outcome;

"We are delighted that inspectors supported our own view of the strength of provision here at St Patrick's. I am pleased that there was a recognition of the sense of joy in the school and that our children are confident, well cared for and feel valued by every member of staff. St Patrick's is a special place, and we are proud of what we achieve together."

Trust CEO Chris Foley went on to say;

"Once again Inspectors have a Trust school that delivers exemplary provision for our youngest children. Mrs Bishop has done a wonderful job of changing the school for the better whilst also recognising its legacies within its local community. We are certain this school will continue to move from strength to strength over the coming years. The Trust Board and I would like to thank every member of staff at the school for the work they do each day to make lives better."