

'High standards – through a caring community'

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

## St. John's CE Primary School OFSTED Inspection

As you will know we were subject to a one-day, section 8 inspection by OFSTED on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2018. Please find included a copy of the final report which is also now available on the schools website (<u>www.st-johns.stockport.sch.uk</u>). In addition, the report will soon be accessible on the OFSTED website <u>www.ofsted.gov.uk</u>.

The included 'Ofsted school Inspections: A Guide For Parents' explains:

The purpose of a short inspection is to determine whether the school continues to provide a good or better standard of education and whether safeguarding is effective.

If there is sufficient evidence of strong practice and improved performance of a good school, and it is reasonable to believe that the school may be judged outstanding if it received a full two-day inspection, the school will receive a report, in the form of a letter, setting out its strengths and areas of marked improvement and informing the school that its next inspection will be a full two-day inspection, to take place within one to two years.

We are extremely pleased with the overall outcome of the inspection that recognises the hard work and commitment that the teachers, teaching assistants, support staff, governors, parents and most importantly the children put in to make St. John's the community school it is.

The inspector commented on how impressive the number and nature of the Parent View responses was. We therefore would like to thank you for the highly positive feedback, your on going support and reassure you that we will continue to strive to develop and improve the school and feel confident that St. John's will continue to go from strength to strength.

Should you wish to discuss any aspect of the report please don't hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely

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