



Learning together for life

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OFSTED INSPECTION REPORT

Dear parents and carers,

I am pleased to let you know that, following Ofsted's inspection of the school on 20 September, I am now in a position to be able to share their report with you.

I am delighted to tell you that Ofsted has found that the school continues to be **good**.

If you would like to read the full report, it is now available to download from the "school inspections" section of the school website. I would however like to draw your attention to just a few of the key findings by quoting directly from the report:

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Staff provide a caring and supportive environment for Kirkby on Bain pupils.

The school is at the forefront of developing a rich curriculum.

The school provides a broad and balanced curriculum which effectively supports both the pupils' academic learning as well as their spiritual, moral, social and cultural development.

Pupils respond positively to their learning as teachers provide activities that are engaging and enjoyable.

Supportive and nurturing relationships between pupils and staff enrich pupils' experience of school.

Teachers use creative and innovative approaches to capture pupils' interest and stimulate their imagination.

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It is extremely pleasing to have had so many of the things that we value recognised by Ofsted in this way. There's certainly lots to celebrate in the report but we will also work hard to address the next steps for the school that have been identified.

The incentive for the staff here at Kirkby on Bain to succeed and the reason for their commitment and tireless hard work is to do the very best for your children; to ensure that they achieve their potential both academically and socially.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you, the parents and carers, for your continued support. We look forward to continuing to work in partnership with you this academic year and into the future.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Morley
Headteacher