

St Mary's RC Primary School

Summary for Parents



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How did we do last year?

In 2023/24 we:

- ✓ Appointed Literacy, Numeracy and HWB leads to enhance learning across school.
- ✓ All children can identify their Trusted Adult ✓ and will request to speak to them as and when required. ✓
- Pupil understanding of wellbeing indicators increased using wellbeing characters, leading to more accurate daily and termly self-reporting.
- All staff have completed introductory training modules for MAPA.
- SCERTS has been used to inform IEP targets for the ASD resource and those with ASD within the mainstream.
- ✓ P1-3 developed consistency of practice and pedagogy through Read Write Inc.
- Maths programme has a daily focus on the application of transferrable skills such as problem solving and working with peers.
- All teachers use digital technology to support the structure of learning and engage children in the learning process.
- Full time Family Support Practitioner employed, providing targeted support to individuals and families.
- All learners participated in high quality skills based outdoor learning sessions with visiting specialists.
- School edible garden area created, promoting sustainable education.

What are we going to do this year?

In 2024/25 we will:

- ✓ Further embed wellbeing characters and introduce daily tracking of self-reporting.
- Work towards achieving the silver 'Rights Respecting School Award'.
- ✓ Promote resilience through Assemblies and the Pope Francis Faith Award.
- Increase opportunities to further develop and embed digital learning skills at school and home.
- Revisit curriculum rationales and reestablish curriculum events for parents.
- ✓ Focus on raising attainment in literacy and numeracy with staff leads continuing roles.
- ✓ Further develop agile learning approaches to meet learners' needs.
- ✓ Focus on developing listening and talking skills in line with WL priorities.
- ✓ Begin new Family Link Worker post.
- ✓ Increase learning for sustainability and outdoor learning opportunities.
- Further embed the 'Leader in Me' programme.
- Increase exposure to STEAM learning opportunities for staff and pupils, e.g.
 Digital Schools Award and Young STEM Leaders
- Develop play and creativity at all stages.
- ✓ Further enhance 1+2 French & Spanish learning experiences.
- ✓ Work closely with WL PEF Team in planning to ensure equity for all learners.









Standards & Quality Summary for Parents 2023/24

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In 2023/24 we:

- ✓ Introduced wellbeing characters throughout daily life of the nursery.
- ✓ Embedded 'Mood Monsters' to support learners in identifying emotions.
- Created indoor and outdoor nurturing spaces.
- Enhanced parental engagement through online Learners Journals.
- ✓ Planned using the WL Progression Pathways, linked to Learners Journals.
- Refreshed our Curriculum Rationale and Vision, Values and Aims with an input from all stakeholders.
- ✓ Audited and enhanced all areas to further improve play and learning experiences.
- ✓ Appointed staff leadership roles to focus on areas of improvement.
- ✓ Embedded the Word Boost programme.
- ✓ Re-introduced the 'Big Bed Time Read' and PEEP for further family engagement.
- ✓ Used trackers to identify gaps and provide appropriate interventions.
- ✓ Appointed a new Excellence & Equity Lead to focus on targeted interventions.
- Ensured appropriate support plans were in place.
- ✓ Further developed partnerships with agencies.
- ✓ Increased STEM opportunities.

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In 2024/25 we will:

- Fully embed the wellbeing characters through stickers, floorbooks and learners journals.
- ✓ Track self-reporting against the wellbeing characters.
- ✓ Make clear links to Rights of the Child throughout all nursery life.
- ✓ Enhance staff practice through behaviour and communication training.
- Ensure further continuity with school through leadership roles.
- Build a numeracy-rich environment for play.
- ✓ Embed Teaching Children to Listen within the nursery routine.
- ✓ Work to ensure equity for all through staff training and Equity & Excellence Lead.
- Provide STEAM, creativity and agile learning opportunities through play.
- ✓ Further embed pupil voice.
- Provide further opportunities for children to engage in the world of work and take on leadership roles.
- ✓ Embed Forest Kindergarten and enhance our outdoor provision.
- Re-establish community links.
- Provide further quality engagement opportunities for families.
- Continue to extend digital approaches.

Polbeth Nursery



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Quality Indicators for ELC setting	School	VSE
1.3 Leadership of change	Good	Very Good
2.3 Learning, teaching and assessment	Very Good	Very Good
3.1 Ensuring wellbeing, equality and inclusion	Very Good	Very Good
3.2 Securing children's progress	Good	Very Good





