



St. Mary's Catholic Primary

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'Loved and Inspired by Mary

We shine and learn as a family of God'

31st October 2023

RE INSPECTION - THURSDAY 2nd NOVEMBER 2023

Dear Parent and Carers,

I have been informed today our school is due to have an inspection undertaken by the Catholic Schools Inspectorate this Thursday 2nd November 2023.

Our Lead Inspector will be Mrs. J Hampson and the Assistant Inspector Mrs. J Barnes.

As you will appreciate we are very passionate about our Faith and Ethos and have worked hard to prepare knowing we were in the Inspection window. The formal letter is shared below along with details of how to share your views. I would be so grateful if you would be willing to do so as it genuinely is a partnership between home and school and your views are valuable.

I will work hard with the Pupils, Staff and Governors to ensure the outcome of the Inspection is a true reflection of the special place St. Mary's school is.

Thank you in anticipation for your ongoing support. Please could you complete the questionnaire by 12 noon on Thursday 2nd November 2023.

Notice of Inspection

The inspection is both a diocesan and a statutory responsibility.

In the organisation of the Church, the bishop is the 'first teacher' in the diocese with responsibility for the formation and education of his people, with particular responsibilities in schools. The inspectors working for the Inspectorate act on his behalf to fulfil this responsibility.

The purpose of inspection is to report to and advise the bishop on the quality of the Catholic life and mission of the school, of religious education and of collective worship. Of course, it also stands to inform parents and the wider Catholic community.

Inspectors will observe learning and acts of worship, talk to staff and pupils, analyses data, and discuss emerging issues with the school's leadership. The inspection culminates in a written report that will be sent to you.

The view of Parents/ Carers is very important, and we shall be sharing with the inspectors any evidence we have of parents' views of the school. The inspectors would also like to hear directly from you. We appreciate that we have not given you very much time, but it would be helpful if you could complete the questionnaire, which can be accessed using the link below

We will also share this link via our See Saw App and put this link on our Website.

If you wish for this link to be emailed directly please contact us at school and we will happily share this.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ShareFormPage.aspx?id=SSQzRY2fT0OpJmB_Xy63KARXYGCWSuFNusGynRfWkvxUM01aVVdETFNZOEILUUNXUVpCUIFJNUg0Qi4u&sharetoken=HEC3Szo72I30d0MkDVuB

Responses to the questionnaire go directly to the inspectors, are anonymous and individual responses cannot be identified.

Thank you for taking the time to complete the questionnaire. We look forward to sharing the outcomes of the inspection when the report has been received.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. A. M. Brogden
Head Teacher