

# All Saints CofE (Aided) Primary School

Norreys Avenue, Wokingham, Berkshire RG40 1UX

## Inspection dates

21–22 September 2016

## Overall effectiveness

**Good**

Effectiveness of leadership and management

**Good**

Quality of teaching, learning and assessment

**Good**

Personal development, behaviour and welfare

**Good**

Outcomes for pupils

**Good**

Early years provision

**Outstanding**

Overall effectiveness at previous inspection

Requires improvement

## Summary of key findings for parents and pupils

### This is a good school

- The headteacher, leaders and governors have raised expectations of pupils' learning and behaviour across the school.
- Substantially improved teaching, learning and assessment mean that pupils in all year groups make faster progress in reading, writing and mathematics than at the time of the previous inspection.
- Rising achievement means that pupils at the end of Reception Year, Year 2 and Year 6 are better prepared for the next stage of their education than for many years in the school's history.
- Strong relationships and mutual respect characterise this happy, hard-working school.
- Pupils are safe and well behaved. They like school and all it has to offer.
- Parents are extremely positive about the school's work.
- There are variations in the teaching of spelling during key stage 2. This hampers pupils' progress in writing.
- Leaders do not use information about pupils' progress and attendance as fully as they could to check improvements and plan developments.
- The early years leader has secured remarkable improvements in the quality of teaching and in children's progress since the previous inspection.
- Children in early years are excited about school and clearly have a wonderful time while they learn. They make exceptionally rapid and sustained progress during early years.
- Governance has improved considerably since the previous inspection. Governors hold leaders robustly to account for pupils' achievement. They share the headteacher's high expectations for all pupils and staff and are exceedingly proud of the school.
- The school's motto, 'Pride in the Badge', runs throughout all aspects of school life. It is reflected most strongly in every pupil's pride in their achievements and in their determination to do well, regardless of background or ability.
- Some disadvantaged pupils and pupils who have special educational needs and/or disabilities continue to attend less well than other pupils.

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