

## Highlights from our OfSTED 2019 Inspection Letter:

**“One parent captured the views of many others when describing the school staff as ‘a fabulous team of dedicated, caring and talented individuals who ensure that all children are safe, happy and thriving’. This is clearly the case.”**

“Teachers provide opportunities for real-life problem-solving, both in mathematics lessons and across the curriculum. Pupils make good progress during their time at Mossgate and are well prepared for the next stage in their education.”

“Pupils with SEND make good progress from their starting points and they – and their families – have a high calibre of support. As an inclusive school, you work tirelessly to reduce any barriers to learning that pupils may have.”

“There is a strong emphasis on reading for pleasure to extend reading beyond the school’s structured reading scheme.”



“Teachers plan activities across year groups that bring learning to life for pupils. Pupils who spoke to me said that teachers make their learning fun.”

“You and your staff provide exceptional care and support for pupils and their families.”

“It is clear to see how well teachers and teaching assistants adapt activities to ensure that pupils are motivated and stretched in their learning.”

“Pupils are very proud of their school and take pride in their work too. They know what they need to do to improve their work and enjoy celebrating their achievements in assemblies.”

“Teachers and teaching assistants ask questions which make pupils think hard about their work.”

“Leaders are swift in providing bespoke support when pupils fall behind with their work. Parents appreciate the support provided by staff and external agencies, which parents described as ‘beneficial to children’s mental health’.”

“The respect that pupils have for each other and the positive relationships fostered within the school contribute to the good progress that pupils make in a range of subjects.”

“It was clear to see from the football, computer and recorder clubs that after-school activities are well attended and enjoyed by pupils.”

Staff “work well with a range of external agencies to secure expertise to support pupils’ welfare, as and when necessary.”

**‘Working together to achieve success.’**