



Children First Learning Partnership Summer Update 2022



Congratulations to Knypersley First School who were inspected just before Easter 2022. This confirmed the school currently remains outstanding. The report opens with:

‘Learning together, learning for life.’ sums up this school. Leaders ensure that staff and pupils work together in this busy and inclusive school. They want pupils to do their best and achieve well and new approaches to learning are helping to make sure this happens.

A superb result achieved after a number of difficult and disruptive years. Thank you to the staff, children and their families for their hard work. The CFLP is SO proud of you all!



Over the past year we have trained our senior leaders to complete ‘mini inspection deep dives’ . We call these triad visits. During a visit 1 leader hosts and 2 other leaders ‘inspect.’ We have completed EYFS, Maths, English and SEN visits this year of which the standards have been very high. Thank you for the coaching and mentorship of our Headteachers and to our superb senior leadership team across the CFLP. We are very lucky to have you and appreciate all that you do!

Next year we intend to add phonics and early reading to this list!!



SEND PROVISION

This term saw the launch of our new SEN hub to support provision for our pupils.

ADDITIONAL FUNDING

The trust has also created an emergency funding pot to support our schools to fund staffing whilst applications for EHCP plans are being formulated. We feel the bureaucracy of this application process at present does not support our children and staff when they need it most.



This term we have aligned the recording and reporting of behavioural incidents across our schools—this allows the trust to have an oversight of all schools and support as required.



All CFLP parents have been provided with access to our new parent portal via an app— this has been received extremely well! This will allow parents to inform us of changes to personal details, medical needs of our pupils and provide electronic permissions to us. This will reduce workload for our staff and save time for our parents.

Our parents will have live access to their child’s attendance record and we hope to develop further communication via the app over the coming terms. Thank you to our parents for registering and to our office teams for managing this change at such a busy time of the year! In particular Mrs April Edge Clerical Assistant at Reginald Mitchell Primary for leading us through this new project so well!





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We are delighted to welcome the following people to our governance team:

Miss Amy Eccleston

(Knypersley LAB)

Mrs Keelie Mellor

(Knypersley LAB)

Mr Carl Taylor

(Associate LAB

Member Knypersley)

Mr Chris Perkin

(CFLP Director Board)

Mrs Zara Parrish

(Castlechurch LAB)

Mrs Ian Hancock

(Castlechurch LAB)

Our thanks go to Mrs Jean Holdcroft (Chair at Knypersley First) as she leaves us. Her expertise and support have been invaluable and it has been very much appreciated.



INSPIRE EXCELLENCE TOGETHER

Collaboration

Honesty

Inspiration

Leadership

Democracy

Respect

Equality

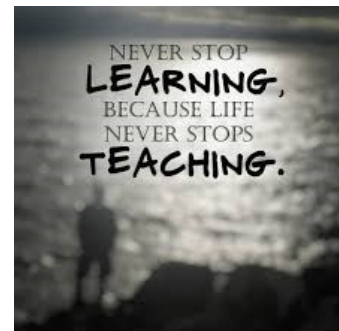
Nurture

Over this term Mrs Rourke, in her role as CEO has completed quality assurance visits to each of the CFLP schools . This includes watching lessons, looking at pupils work, talking to children and to staff. This helps the Trust to target support, signpost others– and to provide the very best support and challenge we can to our school teams.

This term the CFLP has offered a range of training activities to our staff and governance team such as: section 8 ofsted update, level 1 Safeguarding training and welcome to meetings for all of our new local advisory board members and director.

Staff meetings on metacognition and self regulation, early reading and section 8 inspections.

All of our leaders have met to moderate pupils work and assessment judgements. They have also accessed network training from an external provider to ensure we all keep abreast of the changes beyond our own schools. Finally our new early career teachers have attended a leadership development programme led by Mrs Rourke.



We hope you find this information useful in getting to know how our multi academy trust works. If you would like to find out more please visit www.childrenfirstlp.org.uk.

We are overwhelmed by the efforts of our schools to open their doors to normality and welcome you all back to events and celebrations of the work going on across the Trust. What a difference a year makes! We wish you a safe and happy summer break and look forward to working with you all again next term.

Mrs A Rourke CEO of the Children First Learning Partnership.



All classrooms decorated, new blinds in most rooms and carpets in some rooms at Knypersley



New roof at Knypersley First- windows to follow over the summer

CCTV System at Kingsfield First



Classroom refurbishments at Oxhey First



Groundwork completed ready for the installation of an outdoor classroom over the summer at Reginald Mitchell.



Quad refurb with carpark work to be completed over the holidays



Nurture room at Reginald Mitchell

Decorating, carpets, hall curtains and a new year 1/2 outdoor area at Castlechurch

Hall floor refurbished at Knypersley – ready for the next Strictly come Dancing comp!



Look at our

EYFS Outdoor area at Kingsfield. Full staffroom refurbishment currently underway!



Improvements

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