

## **St Aloysius Self Evaluation - September 2017**

### **Overall Effectiveness**

**The overall effectiveness of the schools is outstanding in both schools and in all areas. We have improved rapidly as a result of very strong leadership, significantly improved outcomes, first rate teaching and excellent behaviour.**

- St Aloysius Infant and Nursery School is a very strong school. Our Early Years is now outstanding. Teaching is consistently grade 1 and outcomes have moved to outstanding at the end of Early Years and KS1.
- Our Junior school remains outstanding, it has been throughout last year and despite the upcoming challenges of experienced, talented staff leaving us due to career progression, we are very confident all grades will be grade 1 moving forward.

### **End of year Progress information:**

- Excellent progress is demonstrated in all areas of school life.
- Consistently high standards and achievement for all groups of pupils.
- Consistently high progress measures for all groups identified as disadvantaged.
- All pupils receiving consistently outstanding teaching, it has improved rapidly.
- Exciting curriculum for our pupils and the essential aspects of the learning including grammar, punctuation, spelling and basic rules of number are taught very well.
- Leadership is outstanding with excellent middle leaders driving improvements and ambitious leadership from senior leaders. Forward thinking middle leaders, succession planning is very strong.
- Behaviour - consistently outstanding. The school is a highly cohesive learning community and behaviour inside and outside lessons is excellent. There is a very positive climate of achievement.
- Pupils' spiritual, moral, social and cultural development is outstanding.
- Significantly improved learning environment with exciting developments to further develop our facilities.
- Unique opportunities for our pupils to excel (residential programme for Y4-Y6, musical opportunities from our choirs and dancers, unique sporting success).
- Overall, pupils are very well prepared for the next stage in education.
- The overall effectiveness of St Aloysius is outstanding and has rapidly improved. It is outstanding in all phases of the school.