

Dear Parents/carers

I am absolutely delighted and extremely proud to share the following information with you.

Staffordshire County Council's School Improvement and Quality Assurance Team has completed the annual analysis for each school. The purpose of this process is to place schools in one of three categories.

Category 1 - No concern;

Category 2 – Some concern;

Category 3 - High concern.

This letter provides detail of the indicators used this year to inform the categorisation process. In making decisions about our school, the LA has considered the performance indicators available including unvalidated RAISE online reports along with trends over the last three years.

This letter shares with you the current categorisation for our school.

Your school is categorised as:

Category 1 - (no concern)

A number of indicators are used to inform this judgement and these are outlined below.

- published achievement information over time is at least in line with national averages;
- the educational performance data of pupils with particular characteristics is at least in line with national averages;
- proven leadership capacity, including of governors, demonstrated by sustained high standards or a trajectory of rapid improvement;
- other data about the school such as changes in pupil cohort size, attendance and mobility of pupils provide no concern; and / or
- effective safeguarding procedures in place.

This categorisation represents a huge team effort – staff, parents and pupils working together to secure the very best outcomes for our pupils. We are extremely proud to have received the highest outcome for the second year in a row. I would like to thank you for your continued support in ensuring that the school continues to perform at this level.

Full details of the letter and the categorisation process can be found on the school website.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs T Price