Ofsted At Bewick Bridge



8th and 9th December 2021

Moving from 'RI' to 'Good'

Day 1

- Lead Inspector
 - Reading Deep Dive, including listening to readers
 - Single Central Record audit
 - Safeguarding
 - Computing Deep Dive
 - Observing play and lunch times
- Team Inspector
 - Science Deep Dive
 - Art Deep Dive
 - SMSC/PSHE talk with RE and PSHE leads
 - Meeting with School Council
 - Observing assembly via Google Meet

Day 2 - Agenda is structured based on outcomes of day 1

Lead Inspector

- Lines of enquiries from Day 1 with HT and AHT
- Attendance and Behaviour
- o SEND
- Meeting with LA rep (SIA)
- Meeting with Governors

Team Inspector

- Meeting with Support Staff and Admin Staff
- Greeted parents
- Early Years Curriculum links and Maths
- o Pupil Premium
- PE and extracurricular clubs
- School tour with more children!

Curriculum Deep Dive - Key points to consider

- Systems and processes
- Progression
- Consistency
- Link between EYFS and Year 1
- Depth of the curriculum scrutiny
- Pupil Voice
- Governors
- Work evidence
- Assessment

General considerations

- Contextual safeguarding Ensure your staff understand the safeguarding risks in your school, beyond the national legislations and KCSIE. A quick memo to the staff before the inspection could be helpful!
- Very little mention of COVID!
- Lead the discussions with the inspection team showing clear evidence of how we evaluate our strengths and areas for improvement.
- Data are not looked at, but can be mentioned in discussions.
- If possible, try to predict what pupil, staff and parent may say and devise strategies / answers accordingly.