



# 10 Things We're Most Proud of About Our School



## Pastoral care

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We understand what a huge step starting at a new school is. For a big school, we are proud to have the community-minded, nurturing environment you'd find at a smaller school, and this nurturing care is continued throughout each child's time with us. We are proud to have a Pastoral Team offering specialist support to those children and families who need it most, both within the classroom and outside of school.



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## SEND support

We have a highly skilled and dedicated Special Educational Needs and Disabilities team who work closely with parents and children to provide excellent provision for those with additional needs. We pride ourselves on our inclusivity and our in-class offer for all.





## 3 Parent/Carer Community

Our community of parents and carers are proud of our school and have great relationships with our staff. We welcome parents and carers in to school whenever we can for things such as Stay & Plays in Nursery and Reception, performances, and to look at books together in their child's classroom for the older yeargroups. We also have a fantastic PTA, who hold regular fundraising events and fairs.



## 4 Enrichment

During their time with us, children will enjoy a wide and exciting range of enrichment opportunities, from school trips both local and further afield, to welcoming workshops and guest speakers in school.



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## Broad curriculum

Our approach is that here at Oswald Road we can have it both ways- a wide and varied curriculum, whilst also achieving strong academic results. We provide adaptive teaching tailored to the range of children's needs to ensure best progress for all.





# 6 Modern, exciting facilities

We have unveiled some amazing outdoor projects over the last few years, including a treehouse, roundabout and complete revamps of our Nursery and Reception playgrounds. We're also really proud of our bright and airy classrooms, which give the school a modern and welcoming feel. We are constantly striving to update our facilities.



## 7 Wraparound Care

Our in-house wraparound care, Owl Club, is the largest school-based provider in Manchester, offering children a range of exciting before and afterschool activities in a nurturing environment. In addition, we also offer a wide range of extra-curricular afterschool clubs, which includes multiple options per day for each yeargroup, plus a school holiday club led by internal school staff members.



## 8 Diversity

We're so proud of the diversity of our school community and the richness this brings to school life for our children.

We regularly welcome parents/carers to come into school to share elements of their culture with the class, particularly at times of significant celebrations and events.





## Our staff

9 Our team is made of highly experienced and nurturing teachers and support staff, and we have a low staff turnover. Despite budgets becoming tighter in the sector, we continue to invest in our staff to ensure the best curriculum offer.



## Our children!

10 The thing we are most proud of as a school has to be our amazing children, and the care and respect they show to each other and our staff. Our school values are threaded throughout everything we do, and this shows in the amazing children we work with. When Ofsted visited, one of the things they noted in their closing remarks was that "the children of Oswald Road don't just learn tolerance... they are tolerance."





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