



To all Parents/Carers

10th May 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

SIAMS Final Inspection Report

We would like to share the outcome of an inspection that took place on Thursday 29th February and Friday 1st March 2024 – a statutory inspection of Anglican and Methodist Schools (SIAMS).

We are delighted to inform you that under the new SIAMS framework, Saint Cecilia's was awarded a J1 judgement: 'Through its vision and practice, the school is living up to its foundation as a Church of England School and is enabling pupils and adults to flourish.'

During the two-day inspection, the inspector observed lessons, spoke to pupils, staff, parents, governors, and local clergy to make a judgement about our school. Despite the obvious time constraints, we are delighted the inspector was able to observe school life beyond the taught curriculum and acknowledge the many rich opportunities for pupils to become socially aware and speak up for what is right.

The report acknowledges Saint Cecilia's challenge to all pupils, to live an abundant life, grow in character and achieve academically.

The inspector recognised the expertise of staff and their impact in delivering a curriculum that promotes the academic, creative, and spiritual development of pupils and students.

We are thrilled that so many strengths have been highlighted in significant areas of school life, and as GCSE and A Level outcomes demonstrate, RE is planned effectively and taught well. We will build upon those strengths as we focus on our areas for development. We are already seeking future opportunities for pupils and students to enhance their advocacy for change on a national and global scale and reviewing aspects of our Philosophy, Ethics and Theology Project in the Sixth Form, to ensure it encourages students to learn about other world religions in as much depth as it does Christianity.

We are incredibly proud of the deeply held Christian vision driven by leaders at all levels, and the inclusive nature of our school, which invites all to join in living out that vision, whether they have a faith or not, or are of a different faith.

We would like to thank parents, carers and pupils for the role they played in this process and reassure all that we will never become complacent, as we continue to strive to glorify God through outstanding, enjoyable education.

The final report can be found [here](#). If you have any questions or comments, please email us at info@saintcecilias.london, leaving your name and details.

Kind regards,

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