

# Raynville Academy

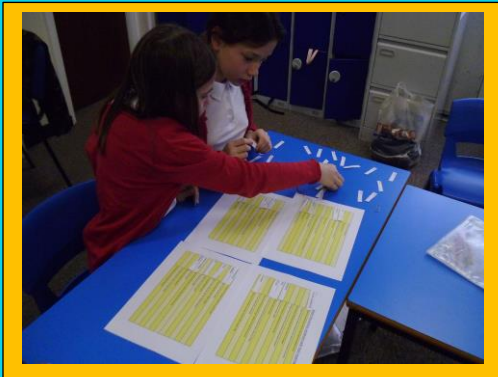


The future is in our hands




## Overview

Local Authority Area	Leeds
Address	Cross Aston Grove, Bramley, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS13 2TQ
Pupil numbers	490 (including Nursery)
Staff numbers	58
Leadership numbers	6 members
Feeder secondary schools	Leeds West Academy Crawshaw Academy Dixons Unity Academy Pudsey Grammar School The Farnley Academy Abbey Grange C of E Academy Co-Operative Academy Priesthorpe



## 10 Facts about Raynville Academy

Leadership	Our senior leadership team comprises of Andrew Midgley, Principal, Jane Hopwood, Vice Principal and Gina Balsdon, Vice Principal. Between us we have over 30 years of experience in a variety of settings. We have experience of improving schools in different situations.	
Governance	We have 6 governors with skills in the areas of education, Ofsted, IT, Cyber security and organising events promoting opportunities for females.	
School vision & values	We want Raynville to be a happy, nurturing and exciting place to be. We believe that our pupils deserve to learn within a rich, inclusive and safe environment. We have high expectations for all, offering an inspiring curriculum, making sure children receive the support and challenge they need.	
Ofsted / SEF grade	Ofsted grade from December 2017 was Good. Our SEF is Good.	
School uniform	White polo shirt, red cardigan / jumper grey or black trousers / skirt / pinafore dress or a red and white checked dress	
Strengths	Our pastoral offer to vulnerable families is a key strength. Our attainment has been on an upwards trajectory. The behaviour of our children is excellent both in school and when out in the community.	
Views of stakeholders	"I've seen nothing but good changes to the school since we started so thank you" (new KS1 parent). We had our final meeting of trust headteachers yesterday and I spent an hour talking about curriculum and the wonderful things happening at Raynville (Kerri McArdle - The BEACH TSA)	
Community involvement	Our children have enjoyed working with the Bramley Elderly Action and taking part in walking football. We engage well with other local schools. We visit local Leeds facilities for learning, sports and activities like the Brownlee Brothers Triathlon	
Projects & initiatives involved in	Through the Erasmus project, we have an annual trip to Ireland for many of our children who have never flown before! We are working with the Research School and Leeds Museums with our History and Geography curriculum and love learning about Bramley and Leeds.	
Contribution to trust activities	Our principal is the Director for Leadership and Governance for the Trust. He has provided support and guidance to other leaders and been deployed into other academies when they have been seeking a new principal. Our EYFS leader is a reading leader with the English Hub Our year 2 teacher is working with ECT teachers	