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ALLEYN COURT
PREPARATORY SCHOOL



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'Mastery of learning is achieved through open-ended and challenging tasks set by teachers.' Teachers are the heart of the school and drive excellence in academic learning through an enthusiastic, professional and highly experienced approach.

'Pupils flourish, empowered by teacher's flexible and sympathetic attention to pupil's individual needs.' Mutual trust and respect lie at the heart of effective teacher/pupil relationships. Trust is what enables our teachers to challenge children to achieve the seemingly impossible. *'Strong relationships build an atmosphere of mutual trust in classrooms, which promotes pupils' willingness to try new ideas.'* Our small class sizes are enhanced by outstanding Learning Support Assistants working alongside Class Teachers making the ratios exceptional and the focus on learning unsurpassed.

*'Pupil's exhibit **higher-order thinking skills** as a result of teachers' open questioning and aspirational expectations.'* Outstanding class teaching forms the foundation of children's educational experience up to Yr3 with Computing, Drama, Art, Music, Sport, Gymnastics and French being subject specialist taught. This is added to in Yr4 with specialist Maths and English teaching and enhanced further in Yrs 5/6 with subject specialist teaching in all subjects. This ensures children are very well prepared for the demands of selective and non-selective state and independent secondary education.

*'Pupils are highly articulate, **developing excellent writing skills** from and early age.'*

*'Children in the EYFS develop their use of vocabulary and understanding of language as a result of **aurally and visually rich teaching***

Our Nursery is simply the best start in education a child can possibly get.





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'My daughter started at AC in Year 4, and settled in immediately. She has loved it and we all wish we had started her earlier. The impact on her self-confidence and education has been unbelievable. We can't thank the school enough.'



*'Children in the EYFS become increasingly independent in managing their personal needs, which **enhances their self-esteem and self-confidence.**'*

Alleyn Court Pre-Prep starts with a Montessori-based pedagogy using hands-on learning and a thoughtfully prepared environment, building strong, independent, caring children through real experiences and high expectations. Children are happier, kinder and calmer when they know they can control their environment appropriately.

'Pupils have an excellent appreciation of diversity and cultural plurality.' Alleyn Court reflects the wonderful diversity to be found in the most successful professional and entrepreneurial families in our area. *'Pupils develop a strong insight into cultural experiences and **exhibit a deep understanding of inclusion.**'*



*"Pupils value the school's 'Three Cs' – **Curiosity, Courage and Compassion***

as being motivational guiding factors in their daily lives.'

Assemblies celebrate the accomplishments of children in all aspects of their education and are an enjoyable collective recognition of individual and group successes.



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‘Supported by the school’s strong core values, pupils develop a strong sense of spiritual understanding and proactively demonstrate that they are keen to be kind and supportive of others.’



***Pupil’s behaviour is excellent,** and they exhibit respect, politeness and consideration for others.’*

***‘Pupils delight in helping others** whenever possible.’*

High expectations from all staff encourage children to behave towards each other extremely well, learning compassion and tolerance as well as self-respect. As such, learning behaviours and social behaviours are excellent.

*Alleyn Court School is a **truly magical place** where experienced and dedicated staff know children well enough to challenge them, nurture them and ensure they thrive.*

***Space to breathe and space to grow!** We are a school famed for our superb thirteen-acre site, our outstanding sporting provision and for being the most academic primary-aged school in Southend.*

The school hosts over **75 clubs and activities**. These run for all children in Nursery and upwards, before and after school as well as at each break. These opportunities dramatically extend children’s experiences and skill levels and teach them to explore new challenges. Children learn to open new doors without fear of the unknown, to deliberately put themselves into new situations where they will discover more about themselves and the wider world.



Life is the most wonderful adventure!

Imagine where a start at Alleyn Court could take your child.

If you would like to see more stories from the school website, social media and to read the full report please scan the link below.

To arrange a tour and to meet Mr Snow, our Headmaster, please email; registrar@alleyn-court.co.uk

