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Dear Parent/Carer

In September 2025, a team of inspectors from Education Scotland visited Trinity Primary School. During our visit, we talked to parents/carers and children and worked closely with the headteacher and staff.

The inspection team found the following strengths in the school's work.

- Staff across the school are ambitious and have high aspirations for themselves and children. Together, they work very effectively to provide high-quality learning and teaching across the school. All children experience creative and engaging learning experiences of a consistently high standard.
- Children thrive in a nurturing, inclusive and calm learning environment. Staff ensure children's wellbeing and rights are at the heart of the school's work. Children feel valued, are very proud of their school and strive to realise the school's vision of 'going above and beyond in all that we do'.
- Teachers plan high quality outdoor learning for all children. They use the unique 'secret garden' very effectively to engage and motivate children. Children develop important life skills as they explore, ask questions and connect with the natural world in fun and meaningful ways.
- Led effectively by the headteacher, staff have a very clear understanding of the needs of all children and families. They work very well together to provide an inclusive learning environment with effective support for children. Children who require additional support make very good progress in their learning.

The following areas for improvement were identified and discussed with the headteacher and a representative from The City of Edinburgh Council.

- Continue to provide high quality, motivating and challenging learning experiences to ensure all children continue to achieve the best possible outcomes.

We gathered evidence to enable us to evaluate the school's work using quality indicators from [How good is our school? \(4th edition\)](#). Quality indicators help schools, local authorities and inspectors to judge what is working well and what needs to be improved. Following the inspection of each school, the Scottish Government gathers details of our evaluations to keep track of how well Scottish schools are doing.

Here are Education Scotland's evaluations for Trinity Primary School

Quality indicators	Evaluation
Learning, teaching and assessment	very good
Raising attainment and achievement	very good
Descriptions of the evaluations are available from: How good is our school? (4th edition), Appendix 3: The six-point scale	

A more detailed document called Summarised Inspection Findings (SIF) will be available on the Education Scotland website at:

[Trinity Primary School | Inspection Report | Education Scotland](#)

What happens next?

We are confident that the school has the capacity to continue to improve and so we will make no more visits in connection with this inspection. The City of Edinburgh Council will inform parents/carers about the school's progress as part of its arrangements for reporting on the quality of its schools.

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