Our School

We are a warm, nurturing and friendly school in Collyhurst, North Manchester. There is much redevelopment currently taking place in the local area and our school is integral to this regeneration. Saviour is a little smaller than the average primary school and there are approximately 220 pupils on roll. This allows us to have a very close, personal relationship with all our pupils and families. Saviour serves an area of high social deprivation, with many of our children amongst the most deprived in the country. Pupil premium funding is extremely high at nearly three quarters of all pupils. Many of our children come from the local area however; our number of minority ethnic groups is more than twice the national average with children coming from all over the world to be part of the Saviour community!

Our Environment

Over the last few years the school has undergone many improvements and modernisations, providing excellent facilities for future generations of Saviour learners. Our existing building was renovated, providing modernised facilities for all our children. We are extremely proud of our new environment which includes numerous intervention spaces, an ECAR area and Calm Spaces for children with additional needs. All classrooms are equipped with up to date Computing equipment and all feature Smart Boards, supporting staff in providing the best possible learning opportunities for our children. We are equally proud of our developing outdoor environment, which stimulates learning opportunities outside of the classroom and facilitates opportunities for groups. We have a huge outdoor space which is used for many activities including our extensive extra-curricular PE opportunities which we provide free of charge to benefit all pupils. We have an exciting Forest School programme and children enjoy varied lunchtime activities.
Our Pupils

Our children come from many different countries, making Saviour a culturally diverse place to be. Difference and diversity are celebrated, with everyone’s unique identity valued and shared throughout the inclusive school community. We believe that children are the heartbeat of our school and, as such, give them opportunities to support us in continuously making Saviour a great place to be. These opportunities come in the form of our thriving school council, reading helpers and sport leaders which put children at the heart of school improvement.

Our Staff

Our school has a large and talented team of staff, with every individual offering something unique for the benefit of our children. Opportunities are provided for training and development, with staff being encouraged and supported to fulfil their own professional ambitions. Roles within school are flexible, allowing individuals' strengths to be best used in a forward thinking and supportive manner. We have many smaller teams of staff working together for school improvement, including a growing pastoral team and various theme teams. We have a speech and language therapist, play therapist SEN TA and other professionals to meet the many needs of our pupils.

Our Projects

Saviour is a proud member of the local community and as such plays a pivotal role in ensuring that the local area continues to thrive. We have a breakfast club providing care from 8.15am each morning. Our other after school clubs provide children with exciting opportunities to participate in activities ranging from crafts to choir. We have a play therapist that supports a number of children with their emotional development. A speech and language therapist works with groups and individuals to enhance communication skills throughout the school. We have a qualified music teacher who works with our pupils each week and also have a very talented and developing choir. We are always keen to take our pupils on trips to increase their direct experiences and make learning more enjoyable and meaningful. We have very close relationships with Saviour church and regularly attend inspirational and entertaining church services!
**Our Achievements**

At our last Ofsted, June 2016, we were judged to be a 'Good' school. We were delighted to achieve this judgement and yet we strive to further improve and develop for the children in our care. Saviour currently holds Healthy Schools status in recognition of our continued work in supporting our children in looking after their health and environment.

**Our Future**

Current changes in education have allowed us to adapt our practice to ensure the best possible outcomes for all members of our school community. Our new assessment system is developing, allowing us to recognise the achievements of pupils, as well as recognising where we can provide extra support for those who have not yet reached their full potential. The new National Curriculum has provided us with the opportunity to immerse children in cross-curricular learning, engaging them in a number of exciting topics brought to life by theme days and out of school visits. To enhance this provision, the governors offer financial support to facilitate trips and visits at a reduced cost for our parents.

As a school, regardless of changes and developments within education, we will continue to strive to provide stability and order for our children, allowing them to learn, blossom and to enjoy being children. Many initiatives and developments have been put in place since the inspection and the improvements are clear for all to see, Saviour is continuing on the journey up. We have a wonderful, friendly school with an amazing ethos.