

**TITLE OF REPORT:** Analysis of School Inspections Spring and Summer Terms 2017

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## Summary

This report details the position of Gateshead schools in relation to Ofsted Inspection findings for the spring and summer terms 2017.

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## Background

In this version of the school inspection framework each school is given an overall **effectiveness grade** based upon four areas;

- effectiveness of leadership and management
- quality of teaching, learning and assessment
- personal development, behaviour and welfare
- outcomes for pupils.

September 2015 saw the introduction of a significantly different approach to school inspection. Essentially, “outstanding” schools are largely exempt, “good” schools receive a one day inspection and “requires improvement” schools a two day inspection.

### Ofsted use the following grading system

- 1 = Outstanding
- 2 = Good
- 3 = Requires Improvement
- 4 = Inadequate

Schools identified as “requires improvement” will usually be re-inspected within two years, and often before. Schools that are judged as requires improvement with a leadership management grade of requires improvement will receive regular monitoring visits from HMI.

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## Outcomes

<b>Primary School</b>	<b>School Type</b>	<b>Previous Inspection</b>	<b>Present Inspection</b>
Bill Quay Primary	Maintained	good	good
Blaydon West Primary	Maintained	good	good
Chopwell Primary	Maintained	good	good
Colegate Primary	Maintained	good	good
Falla Park Primary	Maintained	good	requires improvement
Front Street Primary	Maintained	good	outstanding
Harlow Green Primary	Maintained	good	good
High Spen Primary	Maintained	good	good
Kibblesworth Academy	Academy	requires improvement	good
Rowlands Gill Primary	Maintained	good	requires improvement
St Alban's Catholic Primary	Maintained	good	good
St Augustine's Catholic Primary	Maintained	good	good
St Anne's Catholic Primary	Maintained	requires improvement	good
St Mary's Catholic Primary	Maintained	good	good
Swalwell Primary	Maintained	good	requires improvement
Wardley Primary	Maintained	good	good
Winlaton West Lane Primary	Maintained	requires improvement	good

<b>Special School</b>	<b>School Type</b>	<b>Previous Inspection</b>	<b>Present Inspection</b>
Eslington Special	Maintained	outstanding	outstanding
Furrowfield Special	Maintained	good	good
Gibside Special	Maintained	outstanding	outstanding

<b>Secondary School</b>	<b>School Type</b>	<b>Previous Inspection</b>	<b>Present Inspection</b>
Heworth Grange	Maintained	good	inadequate
Kingsmeadow	Maintained	requires improvement	requires improvement
Lord Lawson of Beamish	Academy	good	requires improvement

**Over the spring and summer terms 23 inspection reports were published:**

### **17 Primary Schools**

- 1 school was judged to be outstanding
- 13 schools were judged to be good
- 3 schools were judged to require improvement
- 4 schools improved on their previous grade.
- 3 schools received a more negative grade.
- 10 schools received the same grade as in the previous inspection

### **3 Special Schools**

- 2 schools were judged to be outstanding
- 1 school was judged to be good
- All schools received the same grade as in the previous inspection

### **3 Secondary Schools**

- 2 schools were judged to require improvement
- 1 school was judged to be inadequate
  
- 2 schools received a more negative grade.
- 1 schools received the same grade as in the previous inspection

### **Recommendations**

OSC is asked to consider the position of schools in relation to ofsted inspections.

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