

Progress at Adeyfield School

I am delighted to write and tell you that following a recent visit to our school from a person highly experienced in supporting school improvement there was much that he observed indicating very clearly how much progress is being made on a daily basis to Adeyfield, very firmly establishing it as the great school we all know it can be.

- This is what was seen:
 - Learning walks
 - Interviews with senior and middle leaders
 - Work scans

- These were areas of strength:
 - Students demonstrate positive attitudes to learning
 - Staff demonstrate positive attitudes to the school and are here for the students, not themselves
 - Evidence of a shift upwards in expectations
 - Openness of coming into lessons and very positive impact of open door

- We are already working on areas identified:
 - Teaching towards the top more evident
 - Raising aspiration for all - a sense of pride in achievement is paramount
 - Monitoring interventions, extra-curricular provision and participation

What was particularly affirming were the differences he had reported from the last visit and that we are on a pathway to success.