

Gifford - Key Facts



- ✓ Large Primary School with 932 pupils (including Nursery).
- ✓ 120 place Nursery (60 in morning, 60 in afternoon).
- ✓ We are often full with a waiting list.
- ✓ 51 teaching staff from a total of 124 staff.

Site

- ✓ Extensive grounds adjoining large parkland.
- ✓ 12 year old building with huge new extension, 3 halls, music room and library.
- ✓ Easily accessible, 5 mins from A40.

School Context

- ✓ **September 2008** - School inspected and largely due to Year 6 Key Stage 2 SAT results was placed in a "Notice to Improve" Ofsted category.
- ✓ **October 2009** - Ofsted return! This time school gets good in nearly all categories.
- ✓ **January 2010** - School representatives invited to No. 10 Downing Street as one of the 80 most improved schools primary and secondary schools in the country.
- ✓ **July 2009 - present** - Excellent SATs results not only maintained but improved.
- ✓ **December 2014 & December 2015** - school was in top 100 best performing schools in country.
- ✓ We were graded as '**Outstanding**' in all 4 categories by Ofsted in May 2013.
- ✓ Gifford designated as a '**National Support School**' in March 2014, supporting other schools.

We continue to improve and want members of staff who are keen to do well professionally and make a difference for our pupils. Our large staff result in excellent professional development opportunities and this is vital in helping you to develop and helping the school to improve.