

Your reference
Our reference
Date 20 January 2021



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Children and Family Services
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Dear Mrs Snee

Re: Stoke-on-Trent Dyslexia Friendly Schools Level 1

Thank you for submitting your file for consideration for the award of Dyslexia Friendly Schools Level 1 status. The file has been checked and we are delighted to say that we are happy with the evidence submitted and so can award you with the Dyslexia Friendly Schools Level 1 status. We felt that the file met all the criteria for being a dyslexia friendly school and we were also confident that it showed whole school dyslexia friendly, teaching approaches. The file was well organised and there was evidence of valuable contributions from the whole school, i.e. governors, leadership, staff, parents and pupils in this process. Charlotte Parton is to be commended for her leadership of this and the dyslexia initiatives promoted in school.

The comprehensive portfolio of evidence moderated showed particular areas of strength in dyslexia friendly practice which included:

- the variety of methods used to enable pupils to learn
- the robust system of assessment and record keeping for pupils with literacy difficulties
- teachers, pupils and parents having positive views on dyslexia and pupils feeling well supported
- clear evidence from policies and practice of the inclusive ethos within the school

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We recognise the work undertaken, and with the evidence currently available, are pleased to award Stoke on Trent Dyslexia Friendly Schools Level 1 – congratulations. This accreditation is valid for 3 years after which time you will be required to provide further evidence of continued staff development and dyslexia friendly practice.

Your certificate will be sent to you separately.

Yours sincerely

Glenys Gill

David Weaver



Glenys Gill and David Weaver
Dyslexia Friendly Schools moderators

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