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SCHOOL'S OUT GAINS ANOTHER OUTSTANDING OFSTED REPORT



Altrincham's School's Out organisation provides childcare for over 500 local children aged 3-11 before and after school and during school holidays. In a recent routine unannounced Ofsted inspection, the overall effectiveness of School's Out at Heyes Lane Infant School in Timperley was found to be outstanding and exemplary in every area. "Children's learning and development are outstanding," reported the Inspector, "Children's beaming smiles are evidence of their very real enjoyment."

The School's Out group is part of Elmscot Ltd, established in 2001 by two local mums, which also includes the highly regarded and award-winning Timperley nursery schools, Elmscot and Woodlands. School's Out operates at seven local schools: Altrincham Preparatory School, Bollin Primary School, Bowdon C of E School, Cloverlea Primary School, Navigation Primary School, Well Green Primary School and of course at Heyes Lane Infant & Junior Schools.

This is the third setting of the Elmscot group to be awarded Ofsted's elusive 'Outstanding' kitemark, ensuring that families in the Altrincham, Timperley, Bowdon and Hale area have access to the best quality childcare in the UK.

The Ofsted inspector felt School's Out was a relaxed, calm and extremely happy place where children felt fully included and valued. Mrs Royal, Executive Headteacher at Heyes Lane Infant School, thanked School's Out, feeling that the outcome was "a well-deserved outcome for a team and organisation that works very hard to be meticulous in all aspects of welfare, care and education."



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Janette Sherwood, Group Manager for School's Out, was delighted at the outcome. "Our Club Manager at Heyes Lane, Lisa Loftus, and her team stay up to date with best practice, organizing super activities and workshops for the children, making sure that every child feels secure, welcome and happy at School's Out. We work in partnership with our families and schools, with the children and their best interests at the centre of what we do."



Children from the School's Out Club for Heyes Lane Infant and Junior Schools.

We can provide the above in digital format if required.

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School's Out is an award-winning provider of out-of-school childcare for children aged 3-11 years. It is part of the Elm Scot Ltd group of childcare organisations.

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