



ACCOMPLISH

MULTI ACADEMY TRUST

# ACCOMPLISHING GREAT THINGS TOGETHER

## WHAT A YEAR! WHAT ACCOMPLISHMENTS!

What a great first year for Accomplish MAT. We are absolutely in awe of the amazing effort and achievements of our children and our whole staff team. Since inception, with Stanley Grove joining Jerry Clay Academy on 1st October, the trust has continued to grow from strength to strength. Townville Academy joined on 1st June and it has been a delight to welcome them into our family too.

Accomplish MAT lives by its values of care, empowerment and celebrating uniqueness. We have seen this displayed across our schools so much this year by both staff and children. I know you will enjoy seeing examples of this throughout this bulletin.

We are proud that we are driving towards our vision of educating and inspiring generations of children through a network of exceptional schools that are recognised at local, regional and national level as being the absolute benchmark in teaching and learning & for providing the best quality, creative & holistic education for all.

Townville Academy joined the trust  
on 1st June 2024





Our accomplishments to date epitomize our emphasis on developing fully-rounded individuals who are prepared for now and their future.

I wish to personally thank you all for your support of your child this year. We are passionate about partnerships and we wish to strengthen our focus on this in the new academic year too.

Wishing you all a lovely summer holiday.

We look forward to working with all in 2024-25.

With warm regards,

**Mrs. T Swinburne OBE**  
CEO, Accomplish MAT



**Stanley Grove joined the trust  
on 1st October 2023**



**Jerry Clay Academy again achieved an  
'Outstanding' Ofsted review in November 2023**

**Wishing staff who are leaving our trust the very best.**

We would like to thank staff members who will be leaving our trust this week for their dedication and hard work. It is always sad to lose dedicated members; however, we wish them lots of luck for their future.

**We look forward to welcoming new members into our teams.**

We look ahead to welcoming some fabulous talent into our teams in the new academic year and know that you will all look forward to meeting them too.

## Accomplishments in 2023-24

JCA  
achieved  
Outstanding in  
Ofsted for the  
second time.

Achieving 95% for  
children in the  
Phonics  
Screening  
check

Our children across the trust  
are ready for secondary  
school, as evidenced  
in the standards  
achieved  
across the  
trust

Achieving  
89% for  
Writing at the  
end of Year 6

Interschool  
competitions  
are increasing,  
with our first ever  
Accomplish Diamond  
Dash & Geography Bee.

The amount of external trips and  
experiences has increased.  
We believe that these  
experiences enhance the  
knowledge and  
magic of primary  
education.

We have had more Junior Leaders across  
our schools than ever before.  
These vital roles all contribute to the  
developing confidence of our  
children. Their roles will  
leave a legacy for other  
children to take  
over these  
roles.

Achieving  
89% for  
Maths at the  
end of Year 6

Sporting  
tournaments  
have increased  
across the trust, as  
we believe this not only  
develops confidence, pride  
and ambition to be the best  
they can be.

Achieving an average  
of 92% for  
Reading at the  
end of  
Year 6

We  
are proud  
of the Arts  
and our quest to  
increase musical  
instrument lessons is  
happening across the trust.

JCA  
achieved  
the platinum  
Arts Mark for  
their dedication to  
the Arts. Placed as only  
a few schools in the country  
to hold this.



# Jerry Clay Accomplishments



## 1. Our 'Small Things Make a Big Difference' Theme Week has already begun to make a difference in the local community....

We were all so proud of the children's work during our Theme Week and some of the learning that took place was spectacular! Throughout the week, we spoke with our children about how we could make an impact on our local community but also make small changes that could help the world to be a better place.



Year 1 had the idea of introducing more recycling bins to the local area as they had recently seen an increase of litter on the paths around school! As part of the week, they wrote letters to the local council to request this and, because of this, there is now a new recycling bin in Wrenthorpe Park.



**Artsmark  
Platinum Award**  
Awarded by Arts  
Council England

We were so proud of the feedback that we received including the opening quote:

***'Can we come and play at your school, please? We were impressed by your strong commitment to the transformative power of the arts, which is making a difference to teaching and learning across the school and in other local settings.'***

## 2. We were awarded Arts Mark Platinum as well as the Platinum School Games Mark...

We were over the moon to achieve Arts Mark Platinum earlier this year! It was testament to the hard work that has gone into developing the Arts at JCA.

In addition to this, after a number of years achieving the Gold School Games Mark, we achieved Platinum! Our case study showed the purposeful work that we do with inclusion at JCA – well done to everyone involved in achieving this!

## Jerry Clay Accomplishments



### 3. We achieved 'Outstanding' in our Ofsted inspection...

Our whole school community were delighted to achieve Outstanding in our October Ofsted inspection! We see it every day, but it was fantastic to be able to 'show off' our school! As always, our children shone!

We were equally delighted with the feedback and some of the quotes that captured our values and ethos!



*'There is zero complacency for what children can achieve in this remarkable school.'*



### 4. Some of our children represented Wakefield at the West Yorkshire Cross Country Event...

Whilst we have attended a number of tournaments and sporting events this year, we were so proud that a number of our children were given the opportunity to represent Wakefield at the West Yorkshire Cross Country Event! After a number of prior rounds, the children qualified for the event, some as a team and some as individuals. They performed admirably and represented the school (and Wakefield) so well!



# Jerry Clay Accomplishments



## 5. Our Creative Arts Gallery was our best yet!

Whilst our Creative Arts Gallery is always one of the most popular events in the year, this year was something else!

Based on our theme of 'Reflections' our children surpassed expectations to create an Art Gallery that the best artists in the world would be proud of. An important part of the week was to allow our children the freedom to express their perception of themselves and this was clear to see in the work from Reception right the way through to Year 6.

Everyone who attended the gallery was so impressed and we love that we can still display the work throughout school!



# SGA Accomplishments



## 1. Joining Accomplish

We have had a wonderful year with great support from our Trust leader Mrs Swinburne and the Accomplish team. October 1st was the highlight of the year, when we converted to an Academy and joined with JCA in Accomplish Trust.

The day was truly wonderful and our children understood the significance of the very special event. Our Junior Leaders did us proud as we welcomed our guests and special visitor Tom Palmer, to officially open Stanley Grove Academy.

It was a day we will treasure.

## 2. Junior Leaders

Our Junior leaders have made us all incredibly proud. We have worked with Junior Leaders from JCA and made new friends and really felt the support in this relationship.

I meet with my Junior Leaders every week for a professional meeting, where the pupils have real insight into what they want to do to make the school the best it can be and how they can play a significant part in this. It has been a joy to see them develop in confidence and to play in key role in supporting other pupils in their junior leadership role.

I know this experience will give them advantages going into the next stage of their schooling and adult life and I look forward to the seeing the legacy they leave behind and the impact they will continue to have on others.

*Here they are working with staff to identify and recognise excellent attitudes to learning during one of our assemblies and working with JCA Junior Leaders.*





## SGA Accomplishments



### 3. Know our Religion

Our Junior RE leaders designed and led a 'Know our Religion' day. This was a brand new event which they wanted to hold to ensure that all children feel part of our Stanley Grove family and to help to continue to foster understanding and respect for everyone in our school and society.

They inspired the rest of the year 6 pupils who were keen to be involved in the day. They worked in their own time to research religions; they practised and gave feedback to each other, set up tables with resources and artefacts, invited guest speakers to the event and held food tasting sessions. They held the day in the hall with every child in school coming to visit them and they were excellent at adjusting their presentation style to meet the age and needs of the children. I cannot tell you how incredibly proud I was of them. They really made a difference and allowed our children to feel fully represented and respected. Amazing pupils.

### 4. Stanley Planet Savers

We have a group of pupils who share our passion for our planet and how doing a small thing will make a big difference. They stay after school every week to create displays, organise events, look at how we can be more sustainable and deliver assemblies to share their passion and commitment. I continue to be impressed with them and know that with children like this, our planet will be in safe hands. They organised an event where children brought in clothes and did a clothes swap to reduce waste, they have told us about how to look after insects and their importance, they have held competitions to get other children involved in their work.

We were also proud to receive the LEAF award in recognition of our work on food, farming and the environment. As a school, this remains something of a passion of ours and I look forward to what they will deliver next year and how they will continue to challenge us as school leaders to keep doing more for our planet. Inspirational.







## 5. Our curriculum and school experience.

I remain so proud of the hard working staff we have here at Stanley Grove Academy.

As I walk around the academy, I see the amazing experiences the children experience every day. There is the continued commitment to every child being a life long reader, children enjoying our outdoor lessons and experiences, high quality visitors to support their learning, music specialist working across the school, visits and residential, high quality lessons, access to sports specialists and competitions and support and guidance from a caring team.

Our children continue to thrive here and it remains a highlight to see this in action every day. We are very lucky to be in an academy and Trust that makes decisions with children at the very heart of everything we do.





# Townville Accomplishments



## 1. Joining Accomplish Multi Academy Trust

We are immensely proud to have become part of Accomplish Multi Academy Trust. Together, we strive to create an even better learning environment for every child in our school.

Our high aspirations for each Townville child's potential align perfectly with Accomplish's vision. This marks the beginning of something truly special for Townville, our community, and every young learner.



## 2. Growing as a reading school.

This year we have grown as a Reading school. We believe that learning to read is a fundamental right for every child; not only is it an amazing skill but it really is the gateway to the world. By enabling our children to read we provide them with endless opportunities. Whether it allows them to escape into magical worlds or find out more about the world around them, supporting them to get through the reading gateway must be a priority for every child.

This year we hosted our most successful reading breakfast to date; it was wonderful to welcome so many parents and carers to celebrate the magic of books with their children. We are also incredibly proud to have achieved the highest Phonics Screening Results in the school's history - an incredible accomplishment for our children, parents, and staff.



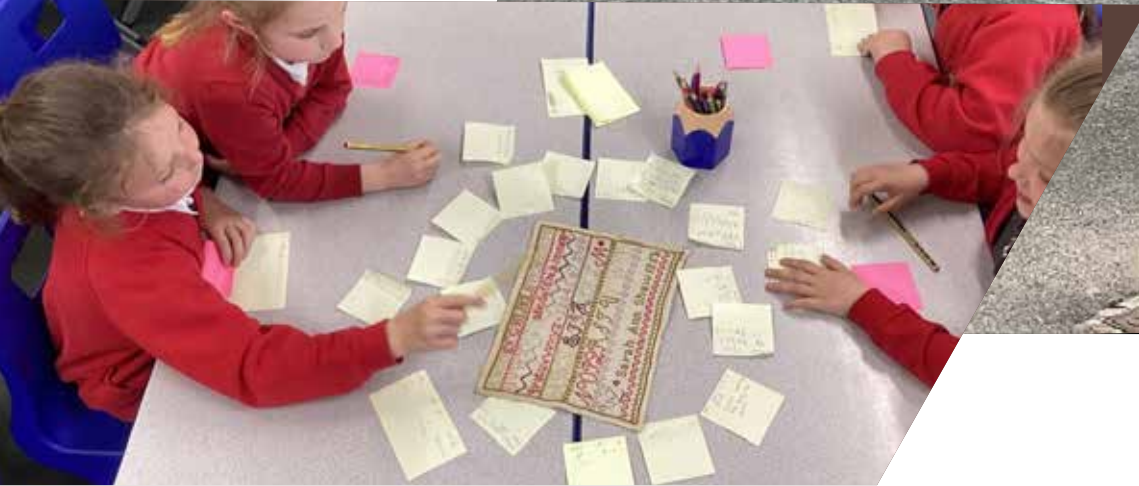


# Townville Accomplishments



## 3. At Townville we are ACE.

In September, we launched our new learning goals. ACE stands for Aspiration, Collaboration and Exploration. For us, these goals bring together our vision for every Townville child.



Through **Aspiration** we seek to help every child develop and set their goals. Whether our aspirations are big or small, short or long term; setting and holding a goal provides something to work towards and an opportunity for growth and personal development.

Through **Collaboration** we highlight the importance of developing strong oracy, communication, and social skills so that we can learn from each other, with each other and for our futures.

Through **Exploration** we seek to provide all our children with the tools they need to explore our world and beyond. As geographers we develop our understanding of the world and travel. As scientists we explore through questioning and investigation. As Historians we explore how the past has shaped our lives now.

It is also a multi-purposed acronym because all our pupils really are ACE too!



## Townville Accomplishments



### 4. Public speaking and performance

This year we have added to the number of opportunities our children have to speak and perform to our parents, school, and wider community. In addition to successful productions from all year groups, we had a wonderful concert performance by our violin group in church, a tremendous celebration of dance in our intra-school dance competition and many individual and group readings and assemblies. It is wonderful to see our children's confidence, skill and articulation develop as they learn and grow throughout their infant years.



### 5. Race to Paris Sponsored run.

Each year we complete a whole school sponsored run which raises funds for our school and a chosen charity.

This year we ran for a charity close to our hearts: Forget Me Not Childrens Hospice: Wakefield who supported one of our families through an extremely difficult time.

This year, our sports week became 'Olympics Week' and we challenged ourselves to run the 464 miles from Castleford to Paris.

Of course, our superb children and staff absolutely aced this challenge running a huge 358 miles on Day 1 of the challenge alone.

We are pleased to reveal that we have raised a huge £1794.50 which is shared equally between school and Forget Me Not Childrens Hospice: Wakefield.

