

## Partnership Vision for Education - Pledge

We want every child in Central Bedfordshire to enjoy their childhood and have the best possible start in life. We want every child to do well in education, make friends and build strong relationships with their family. As young adults, we want every young person to have the knowledge, skills and qualifications that will give them the best chance of success, so that they are prepared to take their full place in society as a healthy, happy, contributing and confident citizen.

While we have seen improvement in Ofsted outcomes and some educational outcomes, improvement has not been rapid enough and we need to work together with determination and ambition to drive up educational outcomes, improve progress and narrow the gap between outcomes for all pupils and outcomes for the most vulnerable.

The changes we need cannot happen unless we all, public services, schools, parents, local business and communities, work together.

We are asking all partners to work together with us to do all they can to create the best chance of success for all our children and young people.

We already have some outstanding school leaders and teachers who are providing excellent school to school support. We will work even harder with schools to identify, celebrate, promote and share best practice and support them to assist each other to accelerate improvement.

## Call to action

Please commit to playing your part in this educational improvement journey by signing up to delivering this Vision, and identifying actions within your school improvement/development plan or your service/organisation's strategic plan that will support this.

We would welcome a copy of your plan so that we can learn from and share best practice across the Council area. Please send to helen.redding@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk

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