

# Nisai Virtual Academy Ltd

Independent specialist college

## Inspection dates

14–16 November 2017

Overall effectiveness		Good
Effectiveness of leadership and management	<b>Good</b>	Provision for students with high needs <b>Good</b>
Quality of teaching, learning and assessment	<b>Good</b>	
Personal development, behaviour and welfare	<b>Good</b>	
Outcomes for students	<b>Good</b>	

## Not previously inspected

## Summary of key findings

### This is a good provider

- Leaders and managers have successfully achieved their vision to provide online learning to students who otherwise would be unable to participate in education.
- Senior leaders have very effectively created a culture in which they and staff have high aspirations for their students.
- Leaders and managers provide a safe and supportive learning environment in which students, who have previously been unable to attend school, are able to take qualifications and improve their life chances.
- Managers and teachers have developed highly individualised programmes to meet the needs of students with complex reasons for finding it difficult to learn in conventional classrooms.
- Teachers, who are highly skilled and experienced, provide a calm and positive learning environment for students.
- Teachers, using online learning strategies, help students to become less anxious about their studies, and to take responsibility for their own learning.
- Leaders and managers do not share their insights into the strengths and weaknesses of the organisation well enough to ensure that all managers understand the improvements that they need to make.
- Students' attendance and punctuality require improvement.