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Ofsted Report

Dear Parent/Carer,

We have now received the final report from OFSTED following our inspection on 11th and 12th February 2020 and I am pleased to distribute this to you.

This inspection was carried out under the new, more stringent OFSTED Framework for Inspections, this has only been in place since September 2019. The school has been given a grade for '**Overall Effectiveness**' as well as grades for 5 areas:

- **Quality of Education**
- **Behaviour and Attitudes**
- **Personal development**
- **Leadership and Management**
- **Early Years Education**

The grades that can be awarded are Outstanding (1), Good (2), Requires Improvement (3) or Inadequate (4).

I am delighted that we have achieved our grade for overall effectiveness as 'Good' (Grade 2) under this new, more rigorous framework.

Even though the new reports are significantly shorter than previous reports, please take time to read this as it sets out where we currently are as a school.

It clearly reflects the huge amount of work that has taken place in the last 2 years to move the school forwards. The report recognises the rapid progress we have made in a short space of time and the positive impact that this has had on our children.

I would like to thank everyone for their support. The improvements that have taken place have only happened because of the full support of the parents and the Governing Body, the dedication and commitment of the staff and most importantly, the hard work of the children. I am incredibly proud of the outcome of this inspection and honoured to represent our school community.

We should also recognise that this is the next stepping-stone on our school's journey. We will continue to strive forwards and further improve the outcomes. This is an exciting time for the school and I look forward to continuing our success in the coming years.

Once again, thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mr G. Jones
Headteacher