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Dear Parents/Carers,

**Happy New Year!** We hope you all had a fantastic Christmas! It's great to be back at school and to catch up with all the children who have returned with great determination and enthusiasm.

#### OFSTED Report – November 2018

Please find enclosed a copy of the latest Ofsted report following the inspection in November.

It is very pleasing to read such positive things about our school and we are very happy with the conclusions the inspector came to after spending time with us.

There are many comments that we could pick out to highlight that we are very proud to read, but we do not wish to repeat what is written in the report – the words speak for themselves. However we would like to comment on what the inspector said really stood out for her and that is the ethos and atmosphere within the school. This is nothing that can be manufactured or prepared for when the inspectors call – it is something that takes years to develop and will only be in place when all members of our community are pulling in the same direction with the same expectations. Prior to the inspection the children received no special preparation – they were merely told to do what they always do because that makes us proud. We are pleased to say they did, and we were!

We feel great satisfaction as we head into a New Year that we are doing everything we can to develop as a school so we can support and guide the most important people – your children – and this has been recognised in such a positive report. We would like to thank all parents/carers who support our work so well because without that partnership children would not flourish as they do.

Thanks, as always, for your support.

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Dave Smith – Headteacher

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Grant Walker'.

Grant Walker - Chair of Governors



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