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Dear Parent / Carer

We are writing to you regarding our recent visit by Her Majesty's Inspector on the 21st September. This was a follow up visit following our Inspection in April to see what changes have happened since the inspection.

We were pleased that he made the following comments:

"Senior leaders and governors are taking effective action to tackle the areas requiring improvement identified at the recent section 5 inspection in order for the school to become a good school."

"You and your deputy headteacher make for a strong team. Together, you have shown a resolute will in wanting pupils and staff to be the best they can be. Although disappointed with the inspection outcomes, they did not come as a shock. You know your school well and have not shied away from tackling underperformance."

"Since the inspection, you have not wasted time and have made a number of improvements, especially in relation to improving pupils' behaviour."

"Teachers feel empowered and share a real team spirit."

"Older pupils said that teaching is more interesting and 'has more energy about it'."

This should reassure you that our school is moving in the right direction. We have since re-evaluated our action plans and have looked at further ways of improving our school. The letter is on our school website for you to read in full and if you wish to have a paper copy please collect one from the school office or ring for us to send one with your child.

If you wish to discuss this further or ask any questions please contact school to make an appointment. As you know we are committed to working in partnership with you to provide your child with the best possible education.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Bartholomew
Head Teacher

