

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you may be aware, we recently welcomed Ofsted for an unannounced monitoring visit in May. I am pleased to share that the final report is now available and can be accessed via the Our School section of our website.

We are heartened by the progress recognised in the report and encouraged by the acknowledgement that our plans and actions are *on track*. While we know that there is still more work to do, it is clear that the improvements we are making are beginning to have a positive impact on the experience and safety of our students.

Notably, the report praises our strengthened safeguarding arrangements, our efforts to build positive, trusting relationships with students, and the inclusive opportunities now in place for students to share their views and shape their school. Our work to redesign the curriculum, embed clearer expectations around behaviour, and ensure students are better prepared for life in modern British society were also recognised.

Of particular significance is the recognition of our renewed focus on the *well-being of students*. We believe in every student's potential to become the best version of themselves, and everything we do is rooted in our five core values: Trust, Resilience, Ambition, Community, and Kindness. These values underpin the ethos of our school and guide the way we support and challenge our students each day.

Thank you for your ongoing support, encouragement, and belief in the work we are doing together. It is very much appreciated.

Kind regards,

Rachel Edwards
Headteacher