



Wednesday 17th July 2024

Re: Ofsted Report

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am delighted to share with you the final report from our recent Ofsted inspection. As you will see, Pathfinder C of E Primary School is a **'GOOD'** school.

The outcome of this inspection is a recognition of the amazing achievements of our whole school community, particularly over the past year. As highlighted within the report, the school has undergone **'significant change'** and we have come such a long way in a short space of time.

A few key highlights from the report include:

'Pupils are happy and safe...'

'Staff are positive role models'

'Expectations for what pupils can achieve has risen considerably...'

'Classrooms are...positive places to learn'

'Pupils with special educational needs are supported well'

'Pupils show high levels of conduct and good manners'

You will note from the report that, although our 'Overall effectiveness' is 'Good', and we are rated 'Good' for four out of the five key areas, we still have some work to do to ensure that our Early Years provision is in line with the rest of the school. The report accurately identifies that as a school we have taken decisive action this year to identify the improvements needed. As you will be aware, Mrs Diaper has been appointed as the Assistant Headteacher for EYFS, and work has already begun to ensure that the provision and curriculum are in place to successfully meet the needs of all pupils in the Early Years.

We hope that you are as pleased to receive this news as we are to share it with you and look forward to working together to take the school from strength to strength.

Kind regards,

Claire Eskelson
Headteacher

