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Dear parent/carer

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Please find attached the final report from the Ofsted inspection that took place on the 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> of October 2017.

**I would urge you to read the whole report because the headlines do not give you the overall picture.**

The report highlights a number of areas for **praise**: early years, pastoral care, safeguarding, pupils' behaviour and our partnership with parents.

The areas we need to quickly improve are in reading and writing, especially handwriting and spelling. We were already aware we needed to improve in the areas the report highlighted and had begun to make improvements. As many parents are aware in the past we have struggled to recruit teachers but this year I feel we have a strong teaching staff who are able to make the much needed improvements.

How can you help your child at home:

- Read with them or ask them questions about what they are reading
- Make sure they complete their homework – it is given out every week, so if your child says they haven't got any you need to speak to their teacher!
- Communicate with the class teacher by signing up to the class Dojo system
- Practise their spelling and multiplication tables (Did you know that by the end of year 4 all children should be able to quickly recall multiplication facts?)
- **MAKE SURE THEY COME TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY**

An overall grading of 'requires improvement' means we will be re-inspected within 2 years. We may also receive a monitoring inspection before the next full inspection; this could be within the next 12 to 24 months. We look forward to this because we are confident we can make the necessary improvements.

Yours sincerely

Susan Convery  
Headteacher