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Dear Thomas Fairchild families,

I am delighted to inform you that the final Ofsted inspection report from our two-day inspection on the 26th and 27th of September has now been published. You can find the report attached to this email and on our [school website](#). The report will also be accessible shortly via the official [Ofsted report website](#).

The purpose of the two-day inspection was to identify the school's performance in five areas: quality of education; behaviour and attitudes; personal development; leadership and management; and early years. The school's previous overall Ofsted grading from 2020 was 'requires improvement'. I am delighted to inform you that the school has now been graded '**good**' in all areas, except for early years which was graded '**outstanding**'. I encourage you to read the report in full for details about the judgements and to read some of the wonderful comments about the school and our children. If you would like a paper copy of the report, please ask at the school office.

I am delighted that the hard work undertaken by the Thomas Fairchild team has been recognised in this way. Since the beginning of the partnership with New Wave Federation in September 2021, we have been committed to developing all aspects of the school. It was wonderful to read the comments on high standards and expectations, the ambitious curriculum for all learners, the calm and focused environment, and the children's huge pride in their school and their learning.

This is an excellent report, of which we can all be proud. The Ofsted inspection was thorough, robust and professionally rigorous. The leadership team and I were open and transparent around all aspects of school life and had lots of evidence to support the inspection process.

I would like to thank the parents, carers and, of course, our wonderful children who have supported us every step of our journey to continually develop the school and make it the best possible place to learn and thrive. We are so grateful for the warmth, feedback and ongoing support from you all and we look forward to celebrating our new grading with you during our upcoming Winter Fair event.

Kind regards,

Matt Trahair
Headteacher

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