

# OLIVER GOLDSMITH PRIMARY SCHOOL

*"Inspiring a love of learning"*

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Dear Families,

Please find alongside this letter a copy of our Ofsted report. As you know, we were inspected on 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2023. We will publish a copy on our school website and it will also be available on the Ofsted website from Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January.

Over the two days of inspection, we had three inspectors on site observing lessons, talking to staff, pupils, parents and governors as well as looking at pupil's books, the parents and staff survey and other key documents prepared by the school. You will have no doubt seen a great deal in the media over recent months related to the work carried out by Ofsted. The latest framework used by Ofsted to inspect schools is far more rigorous than previous frameworks and focuses significantly on the 'Quality of Education' in schools and the curriculum they offer.

We are very pleased with the outcomes of our inspection in that we are **a good school in all areas of the inspection framework and a good school overall.**

In the verbal feedback to leaders and governors, it was lovely to hear the lead inspector making the following comments about our school...

*"This is a happy and friendly school."*

*"It is a united community."*

*"The parent survey and parent feedback were overwhelming very positive."*

As with every inspection, there are areas for us to continue to improve further. The areas in the report were already identified by the school and are part of our school development plan.

We are very proud of our school and the curriculum we have in place. Everyone at OGPS, the school staff team and board of governors are highly committed to providing a high-quality educational experience for our children and this report shows the results of their dedication to the school.

We want to finish by thanking you, parents and families, for the part you play in providing great support for the school. Together in partnership we can help all our children achieve great things. We look forward to continue to 'inspire a love of learning' in all our pupils.

Yours sincerely,  
James Simmons  
Headteacher

Himesh Patel  
Chair of Governors



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