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Dear Families,

I would like to welcome you back to a brand new term and wish you all a very Happy New Year. I hope you had a peaceful and restful Christmas and that you are now ready for the new term.

In my last letter before Christmas I made you aware that we had an Ofsted monitoring inspection visit on the 12th of December and that I would inform you of the outcomes in due course.

I can now tell you that the report has been published on the Ofsted website and I am extremely pleased with the findings made by the inspector. The inspector has confirmed that the interim executive board and senior leaders are taking effective action to tackle the areas requiring improvement at the last inspection. I can also confirm that the inspector commented that since September the quality of education that the pupils are receiving has improved 'quickly and dramatically'. He also commented that all staff and pupils that he spoke to were 'unanimous in their views that the school has improved dramatically this term'. The inspector has reported that one pupil described the school as 'unrecognisable'.

I am sure you will along with me, be very pleased with the outcome of this inspection and I attach a copy of the report for you to read in full should you wish to.

Once again I would like to wish you a very Happy New year and if you have any further questions please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely

Paul Woods
Executive Head teacher

