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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to attach the Ofsted report for our school following the inspection last month. The inspectors have determined that the education we provide for our children and the outcomes they attain are **outstanding in all aspects**. We are incredibly proud of this judgement. This is no mean feat given the numerous changes to the inspection framework since our previous inspection in 2011. The report will be published on the Ofsted website on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

I should like to thank the entire staff team and the governing body for their tireless dedication over the last five years which has culminated in this fantastic judgement. I am very privileged to work with such an inspiring group of professionals. I should also like thank you, as parents and carers, for your valued support. We are very grateful for all that you do to work with us as a school to support our children and appreciative of your overwhelmingly positive responses on 'Parentview', which are noted in the report.

As a school, we converted to Academy Status in April 2014 and our membership of the Diocese of Gloucester Academies Trust has offered support and challenged us in our journey to outstanding. I should like to thank the Trust for their contribution to this outcome.

However, as a school with high expectations of everyone in our community, we will not stand still; it is very much business as usual as we strive to provide the best possible outcomes for all of the children in our care. We will address the issue highlighted by the inspectors, ensuring that pupils edit their work carefully for spelling mistakes, and applying their knowledge consistently.

If you have any questions regarding the report, do please come and talk to Mrs Johnson or me.

With my sincere thanks for all of your continued support.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Helen Springett'.

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