

Thursday 18th July 2024,

Dear Spalding Parish Parents and Carers,

I know by now you will have had the chance to read the school's Ofsted report, as well as the many wonderful articles in the papers and social media, to say that the school provides 'an exceptional and memorable school experience for each and every pupil' and we could not be more delighted for the school, staff, children, parents and community.

The school's grading of Outstanding in nearly all areas truly reflects the work the school does to provide the very best for the children and families it serves. These gradings are rarely given by Ofsted as the criteria for reaching this standard is very high and so this makes this report even more special.

The report speaks for itself in identifying so many of the truly exceptional things the school does for the children. The children have to be commended as they are a joy each and every day and this embedded culture at the school was seen by the inspectors.

The Leadership of the school is rightly graded as Outstanding. Their total dedication and unrelenting ambition for your children shone through and our thanks must go to Mrs Mulley, Mrs Hill, Miss Hardy and Miss Bird in particular, but also to the subject and phase leaders also.

The teachers' level of skill and knowledge was clear to see during the inspection. The brilliant start the youngest learners have to the embedded knowledge of the oldest children was clearly seen and rightly praised.

You will know that the school is part of LAAT, and as a Trust, we are so very proud to have been able to support the school since it joined the Trust in 2019. The report acknowledged this partnership and the way in which we 'unite' to provide the best for the children at the school.

Education is a challenging but rewarding vocation, and although Mrs Mulley and her team are already thinking ahead to next year, I would ask that you take a few moments to say a thankyou to your child's teacher and the school's leaders as this will mean a great deal as they go into a very well deserved Summer break.

Thankyou to you all for your continued support of this wonderful school.

Kind regards

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