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Dear Jo and Bethan,

We have recently received a copy of the report from the Ofsted inspection carried out at St. Andrew's CofE Primary School.

We are glad that the pupils are proud and enjoy the diversity in their school, with particular focus on nurturing pupils and their individual interests; reflected in their continued achievement. Furthermore, we note that leaders have thoughtfully adapted and redesigned subjects within the curriculum, allowing for a continuity of knowledge and further stability in preparation for Secondary Education and the future. Your team have developed an inspiring curriculum and by the end of key stage 2, pupils achieve outcomes that are above national averages.

With staff skilled in teaching phonics, accompanied by sensitivity, this has encouraged pupils to strengthen knowledge and key skills. It is good to see that method further assist pupils reading skills with the development of greater fluidity and increased confidence, and that the pupils reflect this in their recognised love of books. This is reinforced with leaders and staff "looking beyond the school gates".

We have noted that staff are extremely ambitious for pupils, and that provisions, for those who are disadvantaged or who have special educational needs and/or disabilities, are being continually improved, so that a meaningful learning opportunity can be had by all. Furthermore, we recognise that with strong leadership there has been a strengthening and recognition of pupils with special needs or disabilities; And, working in partnership with SEND will allow even further progression.

Importantly, it is good to see that you are meticulous with regards your safeguarding measures, and we recognise this as being effective and that pupils are taught how to stay safe online, and with personal information.

We enjoyed reading the report and wish you continued success in the future.

Yours Sincerely,

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