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Dear Parents/Carers

I am very pleased to be able to share with you the extremely positive report published by Ofsted following our recent inspection which took place on 25th June 2019.

This report is now available on our school website and will be published on the Ofsted website from 10th July 2019.

We are delighted to confirm that the school has once again been graded as 'Good', a benchmark that is very high under the current Ofsted framework and a judgement which was made following a detailed and rigorous inspection.

I do hope that parents and carers take the time to read the inspection report in full as it is very detailed and highlights the excellent quality of education that we provide for our pupils, the commitment of our staff and the high regard in which the school and its pupils are held by parents, the school community and the Local Authority.

Here are just a few quotes taken from the report which we feel truly reflect the achievements and ethos of Greenbank Primary School.

'Pupils are at the heart of everything'

'pupils get the best possible start to their education'

outcomes in the Early years and Key stage 1 are a real strength of the school'.

Staff 'have access to regular, high quality training in a wide range of subjects to keep their teaching skills fresh and up to date'

Parents are 'resounding in their praise'

'Parents of pupils with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND) are particularly appreciative of the high levels of support and care afforded to their children.'

'Friendly, well-behaved and polite pupils are a credit to the school'

'There is an exciting range of trips and out-of-school clubs to broaden their experiences and enhance their life skills'.

Governors 'have a clear understanding of the school's strengths'

The Local Authority 'uses the school as an exemplar of good practice'

'Pupils feel safe'

'Disadvantaged pupils at your school flourish socially, academically and emotionally'.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the children, staff, parents and governors, not only for your participation in the inspection, but most of all for your on-going support in making Greenbank the truly wonderful school it is in which to work and learn.

I look forward to working with you in the next academic year as we seek to strengthen and further improve the education and experiences we offer to our children.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Wrigley
Headteacher