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Dear Parents/Carers,

We wanted to write to thank you all very much for your fantastic support since we notified you on Tuesday that we were being inspected by OFSTED (Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills). Thank you for the overwhelmingly positive responses to the parent survey; thank you to everyone who wished us good luck and thank you also to all the parents and carers who spoke to the inspectors in the playground yesterday morning. We all feel very privileged to be part of such a wonderful and supportive community.

We would like to say another huge thank you to all of your children; they truly are the heart of the school. The inspection team spent a lot of time talking with groups of children across the school and they could clearly see how caring, cooperative, curious and confident they all are.

Following the inspection on Wednesday and Thursday this week, the lead OFSTED inspector will now write a report to share details of the inspection and the judgements they have made. We are expecting to receive the report in around 30 working days and this will then be shared with you.

We wish you a restful and enjoyable half term break and we look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Monday 20th February.

Best wishes,

Nicola Hayles and Jennie Reed
Co-Headteachers

