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Dear Parents

We are delighted to tell you that the school's most recent Ofsted inspection report has been released today and Ormesby Village Junior School is now a 'Good' school in all categories. This result reflects the relentless determination of all the staff and governors at the school to raise standards, while ensuring that the school's caring and inclusive ethos is not compromised. The inspectors state that:-

- Leaders have established a school community united by a caring ethos in which pupils, regardless of their backgrounds or abilities, make good progress.
- Teachers ensure that pupils work hard and concentrate on their learning.
- The teaching of reading is good.
- The quality of teaching and learning in most subjects is good.
- Pupils treat each other and staff with care and live up to the expectations of leaders and teachers.
- Pupils with social and emotional difficulties are well supported and make good progress.
- Pupils' overall attendance has risen and is in line with the national average.
- Most pupils' achievement is good and some is even better.
- Staff are vigilant and act effectively to ensure that pupils are safe from harm.

We accept that we still need to improve the quality of leadership, teaching, learning and assessment in some other subjects apart from English and Maths and these have already been identified in the school's improvement and development plan.

The full report can be viewed on the school's website and a paper copy will be supplied on request to the school office. We will continue to build on the significant improvements we have already made to all aspects of the school's provision. Inspectors frequently told us how delightful your children are, how well-behaved, how hard-working and how aspirational for their futures. Our continued efforts will be to ensure we equip them for that future! We thank you for sending your children to Ormesby Village Junior School and for the support you give to us in so many ways.

Yours sincerely

L. J. Bates

Lucy Bates

Headteacher