



5<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

I write to you with news of the outcome from our recent Ofsted inspection, which took place on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February and Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020.

We are delighted with the overall judgement of **GOOD** in every category and especially pleased with so many positive comments which included:

- Leaders have acted quickly to improve the quality of education provision at Key Stage 2. Together with a new primary leader, there are now dedicated specialist primary teachers for reading, writing and mathematics
- Leaders have high expectations for pupils' behaviour – the behaviour and attitudes of pupils is good
- All staff want pupils to be successful
- Pupils are encouraged to achieve good examination results and be active citizens
- Leaders have designed a curriculum that is ambitious for all pupils
- Curriculum leaders have designed and planned the curriculum well in all subjects
- Pupils have access to a wide range of extra-curricular activities
- Pupils and staff have positive working relationships.

The inspectors have to make recommendations as part of the report. I was very pleased that Ofsted agreed with our school improvement priorities moving forward.

After our hugely successful GCSE results, including achieving the second highest progress measure in the local authority, I am personally delighted that the inspectors captured the very essence of Etonbury Academy, highlighting the energy and effort that all staff put into the school and the hard work and commitment of the pupils.

As a school community, we are very proud of our school and we will continue to strive to provide the best quality education.

The full report is now available on our website.

Your sincerely,

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