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OFSTED INSPECTION – 12th-13th February 2019

Dear Parents,

We have now received the final report from OFSTED following our inspection on 13th and 14th February 2019. The full report will be published on the OFSTED website on Tuesday 12th March. However we are allowed to inform parents of the outcome in advance.

The grades that can be awarded are Outstanding (1), Good (2), Requires Improvement (3) or Inadequate (4). Previously the school was judged as 'Good' (2) in January 2013. In this recent inspection, the school was judged overall to be within the category of 'Requires Improvement' (3).

The inspectors found many positive strengths and were satisfied that the school is already making progress towards ensuring high quality teaching and learning for the children of Chesterfield Primary School. They judged that the provision in Early Years is good.

OFSTED said that 'the new Headteacher has made a good start in bringing about positive changes for improvement.'

The inspectors praised the work the school is doing to protect pupils and keep them safe, and that the school's work to promote children's personal development and welfare is good.

Inspectors identified that behaviour, both in lessons and around the school, is good and recognised that children are friendly, polite, welcoming to visitors and have good attitudes to learning.

Whilst we are disappointed with the overall outcome of the inspection following a decline in the Key Stage 2 results last year, we are determined to regain our 'good' status at the earliest opportunity. I and every member of staff will work tirelessly towards improving the outcomes for all of our pupils and I am confident that with the continuing support of the Trust and everyone connected with the school community we will achieve this goal.

To give you an opportunity to discuss the outcomes of the OFSTED report there will be a parents' meeting at school on Thursday 14th March, at 3.10pm.

Yours sincerely

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