

LIVINGSTONE

PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The governors are pleased that the school has maintained its status as being judged a good school by OFSTED.

We are delighted that the Inspector could so easily identify some of the major strengths of the school including the caring atmosphere where everybody is valued; the comprehensive approach to safeguarding our pupils; the way teachers work to engage pupils in learning through the curriculum and; the consistent approach to phonics and the strong results this delivers in terms of learning. We would like to note that the Inspector highlighted how well the school approaches the needs of children with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND) and that these children are given an equality of education that enables them to engage fully in school life and do as well as other pupils in school. This is significant achievement, particularly in light of the recent OFSTED report into SEND provision at the borough level.

The requirements of the inspection process and the curriculum itself have changed significantly since the last inspection and the governing board feel satisfied that the points noted by the inspector as requiring attention will be solved as the curriculum develops and as pupils and staff get back to classroom learning and recovery from the disruption caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.

As chair of the Governing Body, I am happy to consider the views of parents and carers regarding the report and should you wish to get in touch with me please inform the school office.

Regards,

Jemma Simpson

Chair of the Governing Body

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