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Dear Jennie

Alex Tear, our Diocesan Director of Education, has forwarded your latest Ofsted Report to me and I am writing to congratulate you and your team on this achievement. I know there is a lot of work goes into an inspection and the pressure on the day is immense. Please pass on my admiration and appreciation to the whole of your school community. The diocese is proud to be associated with you, and grateful for your investment in nurturing and shaping young lives in our values of wisdom, hope, community and dignity.

I particularly note the comment the Ofsted inspector has made about children feeling safe and well cared for in school, and can see that a lot of work has been done in Reception to develop a very strong curriculum. You and your senior leaders have clearly embraced the recommendations from your previous inspection and this has led to much improved safeguarding in your school. I know that this has been a very challenging 12 months for you and the staff and wanted to recognise your commitment to the school and the children in your care.

May you continue to have God's blessing in your valuable ministry as a Headteacher.

Yours sincerely



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