



10 October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to inform you that Ashford C of E Primary School has been awarded a 'good' judgement by Ofsted in the inspection which took place in September.

The inspection team recognised the progress we have made as a school in recent years and it is wonderful to see this reflected in our report.

We would like to draw your attention to these particular feedback points:

**"Pupils are proud to be a part of this happy and inclusive school."**

**"Pupils behave very well and respect their peers and adults. Lessons are calm and purposeful."**

**"The school actively promotes personal development and well-being."**

**"Pupils value difference and they celebrate diversity."**

**"Since the last inspection, the school has put in place a well-planned and ambitious curriculum across every subject."**

**"Parents speak positively about the changes that have happened across the school and feel part of a cohesive school community."**

We also wanted to thank everyone who completed Ofsted's Parent View survey as this is such valuable feedback for us as a school. The inspection report notes that **"strong relationships exist between the school, pupils and their families."** This is something we are really proud of and we will continue to work on strengthening these relationships further.

As a school we will be reviewing all of the feedback we received over the course of the inspection and this will be reflected in the review of our school development plan.

We are sure that you will join us in congratulating everyone who works in our school and thanking them for all of their hard work. We would also like to thank you for all of the support that you continue to give to the school and say a huge well done to all of our children who are always wonderful examples of being the best that you can be.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us via the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Phil Wells  
Chair of Governing Body

Lesley Bailey  
Headteacher