LENT RISE COMBINED SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to share the attached report from our recent OFSTED inspection on 25th and 26th February of which we are very proud; **the overall effectiveness of Lent Rise Combined School has been judged as good**. The full report will be published on the OFSTED website on Monday 23rd March 2015.

It has been almost 8 years since the school's last inspection and since then the framework for inspection has changed in many ways and schools are judged against much more robust and rigorous criteria.

The report praises many aspects of school life including the progress and achievement of pupils. "Standards are high by the time pupils leave at age 11. They are well prepared for the next stage in their education."

Thank you to all those parents who submitted feedback to the Inspection team from which they reported that a "very large majority of parents and carers... believe the school makes sure that pupils are well behaved" and the inspectors comment that this is "rightly so". Pupils and staff should all be very proud of this recognition.

Thanks must go to the whole team for their continuing hard work. The Lent Rise School team ethos has created an inclusive culture where "senior leaders are committed to nurturing current staff and teachers of the future so that pupils get the best teaching possible".

The report recognises that "Pupils clearly enjoy school and appreciate how important learning is". This is a fundamental part of our aims and ethos of the school and the vision which we all share.

Please read this report and be assured that we are not complacent and continually seek to improve. We have built a great team over recent years and will always seek to develop to outstanding practise throughout the school so that the school continues to provide the very best education.

Yours faithfully

Mrs J Watson Headteacher Mr I Foster Chair of Governors