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Dear Parents/Carers

Last Thursday 10th March, school was inspected by the SIAS (Statutory Inspection of Anglican Schools) inspection team; the SIAS inspection aims to determine, within the context of the school's Christian character the following:

How well does the school through its distinctive Christian character meet the needs of all learners?

- How well do the school's Christian values have an impact on all learners and enable them to flourish as individuals?
- How well does the Christian character support the SMSC (social, moral, spiritual, cultural) development of all learners whether they are Christian, of other faiths or of none?
- How well does the Christian character of the school prepare learners to become responsible citizens?
- How well do Christian values motivate the relationships between all members of the school community?
- How well is the spiritual development of learners enhanced by the school environment?

What is the impact of collective worship on the school community?

- How positive are learners' attitudes to collective worship?
- To what extent do learners and staff derive inspiration, spiritual growth and affirmation from worship?
- How well does collective worship develop learners' understanding of Anglican * traditions and practice?
- How effectively is the importance of worship demonstrated in the life of the school?

How effective are the leadership and management of the school as a church school?

- How well has the school leadership (including governors) engaged with distinctive Christian values in developing their vision for the school?
- How well is this vision understood by all stakeholders?
- How well do leaders and governors ensure that this vision is put into practice by all members of the school community?
- How well are leaders and governors preparing for the future leadership of Church schools?
- How effective is the partnership between the school, the church and the wider community, including the parents?

I am delighted that we had a successful day, and the inspector was really impressed with the work that the children, parents, staff and governors had done to continue to move the school forward over the last three years since the previous inspection. I have attached the report for your information.

Yours faithfully

Miss RJ Newman
Headteacher

Headteacher: Miss RJ Newman
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