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Dear Parents and Carers,

The governors are delighted with the outcome of our recent inspection. For a school to meet all Expected Standards is quite an achievement. The inspectors were also keen to point out several areas of Strong Standards which can be built on going forward.

I'm sure as you read the report you will be pleased to see your children are getting a really rounded education and receive excellent care. It is entirely what they and you deserve. The support of the community came out strongly in discussions with the lead inspector and the governors thank you for that.

The way current reports are written there is no mentions of individual staff but the lead inspector made it very clear that she held Miss Slinger in high regard. This is a wonderful start to the new academic year and recognises the great work done at Dovelands by the whole team.

As governors we look forward to the next part of this exciting journey.

Regards,

Keith Lishman
Chair of Governor

