

Dear Parents/carers,

February 2020

I am pleased to announce that Warbstow Primary Academy continues to be a **'Good'** school as judged by our recent Ofsted inspection on the 4th February 2020.

Some of the key positive comments made by the inspectors were, **'by the end of Year 6 most pupils now achieve well in comparison to other schools nationally'**.

It was also highlighted that the school has a, **'friendly and supportive environment'** and that older pupils, **'show a strong understanding of how they can structure writing'**. Safeguarding arrangements are, **'effective'** and pupils show, **'good manners and know the three Golden Rules expected of them'**.

In addition, it was seen that, **'leaders aim to generate an excitement about reading...pupils share a poem a day and consider words of wisdom'**.

The need to further develop our curriculum and the rationale behind its sequencing was mentioned as an area for future improvement. We welcome this input from Ofsted and are well on the way to making the appropriate steps for our continued success.

Thank you all for filling in the questionnaires for the inspectors, an overwhelming positive feedback was recorded.

Well done everybody.

Best regards

Mr Stuart Ellis