

2nd March 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to share the report from Ofsted following their monitoring visit to The King's last month. This visit was the first routine inspection since the Covid-19 pandemic and took place because the school received a judgement of requires improvement at its previous full inspection in December 2018. A copy of the report is available at <https://www.kingswolverhampton.co.uk/ofsted>

The report affirms that leaders and those responsible for governance are taking effective action in order for the school to become a good school. The HMI Inspector, Mr Tustian, reports that "leaders have continued to make the improvements needed" and that "leaders' creativity and energy have ensured the improvement has not stalled."

During the day, the inspector had various meetings with leaders, governors, staff and pupils to discuss the actions taken since the last inspection. Our pupils told the inspector they are proud to be part of The King's with one pupil commenting "everyone works well as a team".

The report recognises the significant transformation at The King's and acknowledges that the school is continuing on its journey to becoming a beacon of excellence in Wolverhampton. There will be opportunity at next week's parent forum on Thursday 10th March from 5.30pm to 6.30pm to share more details about the report, the current priorities for the school and also time to hear from you and answer any questions you may have. Please do email my PA, Mrs Gauld-Crichton (l.gauld-crichton@kingswolverhampton.co.uk) if you are able to attend in person or would prefer to be sent a TEAMS invite.

Yours faithfully,



Joy Langley
Interim Principal