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Gretton Primary School Ofsted Inspection—January 2020

Dear Parents,

As you are aware, Gretton Primary School was inspected by Ofsted on 28th/29th January 2020. This was a section 8 inspection, carried out to confirm whether the school remained "Good", as previously judged in 2016. Detailed grades are not given in a section 8 inspection and a brief report is provided.

We are very pleased to inform you that the inspection confirmed that all our previous judgements remain in place. Leadership and Management—Outstanding Personal Development and Behaviour—Outstanding Early Years—Outstanding Quality of Teaching—Good Outcomes—Good

We were thrilled with the many positive comments, as shown below, made by the Lead Inspector during her verbal feedback to the senior leadership team, our Chair of Governors and Trust representatives:

- ♦ Gretton remains a good school a "very strong good".
- The children are articulate, confident and polite.
- The leadership is very strong across all areas.
- The Leadership is not complacent—it is focused and driven
- Children are safe and well cared for.
- There are very high expectations of children's behaviour; pupil conduct and personal development is excellent.
- ♦ The curriculum is developing very well with many great enrichment opportunities which staff work hard to provide.
- ♦ There is a real sense of inclusion for disadvantaged pupils and those with special educational needs.

Whilst there is only one identified area for improvement we are not complacent and will strive to address this rigorously.

You will also see a letter attached from Nick Gibb (former Minister for Education) congratulating the school on our outstanding Key Stage 2 maths results last year.

I am sure you will join me in congratulating our wonderful staff and amazing children on the hard work and dedication which has been acknowledged by both Ofsted and The Department for Education.

Yours sincerely,

J. MacDovald

Jane Macdonald – Principal Tim Eaton – Chair of Governors











