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Dear Parents

"Mostly outstanding" with just two foundation subjects (French and Art) where the depth of progress across the school was described as "Strongly Good".

We are pleased to announce that the Ofsted report for our recent inspection has now been finalised.

As you are aware we had a full two day inspection as opposed to a lighter version that many schools have. Therefore all areas across the school were inspected.

We are delighted with the outcome where all areas were judged to be outstanding except just two foundation subjects, French and Art, where the progress across the school was described as strongly good. The hard work of all our staff is reflected in this outcome.

French and Art are areas that were seriously affected by school absence/remote learning, due to COVID. Plans are already in place to further develop these areas to the exceptional level of the rest of the curriculum.

The overall judgement has to be "Good" with this new Ofsted framework as the two subject areas are linked to the themes, Curriculum and Subject Leadership, which influences the Leadership and Management and the Quality of Education judgements.

The previous Ofsted framework, where we were judged as outstanding overall, had a 'best fit' criteria, a less rigorous model, whereas as this new version requires ALL areas to be judged as outstanding to be awarded outstanding overall.

I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you and congratulations to our school community who showcased our school extremely well. Reading, writing, maths, behaviour across the school, leadership, governance, SEN, the extra offer we provide beyond the national curriculum and provision for the Early years were all judged to be outstanding.

Clavering Primary School is a very special place with so many strengths. We are pleased that this has been recognised by Ofsted alongside all the great work and considerable improvements we have made over the years since the last inspection.

Yours sincerely

Ray Gooding Chair of Governors Ros Allsop Headteacher















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