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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: OFSTED UPDATE

As I know you are aware, OFSTED carried out a two day 'Section 5' Inspection last Thursday and Friday.

The Inspection was rigorous, challenging and extremely helpful in confirming our areas of strength and our areas of development and we have already begun acting upon the latter.

We had 228 responses to the parental survey, which was pleasing and was commented upon by the Lead Inspector as one of the highest that she had seen.

Communication is clearly an issue for a number of you and I would absolutely agree with this. Coincidentally, we have just this week, agreed a contract with a provider that will help us build our own Enfield Grammar School App. This will soon be available from the App Store via your mobile phone. We hope this will improve the speed at which we can communicate with you and will help when sending reminders for events, etc. It has the capacity to do a great deal more, so I look forward to getting your feedback on the App once it goes live. This should be within the next few weeks, but we will let you know when it does.

The split site issues of movement came up in a number of responses. This is a difficult one for us to rectify, but we are considering some options that might help. Should you have any suggestions or ideas which could help with this ongoing problem, please contact the School via email at office@enfieldgrammar.org and these emails will be forwarded on to me.

The OFSTED outcomes are confidential at the moment, but I was very impressed by the insights and the professionalism of the OFSTED team and as a school, we were very pleased with the final judgements.

Once the report has been made public I will send an electronic copy home for you all to read.

Thank you once again for your support.

Yours sincerely

C Lamb
Headteacher

