



Ark Evelyn Grace Academy

14th June 2017

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

Re: Ark Evelyn Grace Academy Ofsted Inspection 2017 outcome

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Following our recent Ofsted Inspection, which took place on 16th May 2017, I am pleased to inform you that Ofsted has confirmed that the academy continues to provide good standards of practice and leadership. Ofsted have officially graded the academy as 'Good' in all categories.

This is a wonderful testament of the consistent hard work and commitment of our students, staff and you the parents; all working together to ensure the successful day to day practices of the academy is effective in providing your child with a good education.

A copy of the full report is enclosed. Some of the key quotes highlighted in this year's report include:

"The Leadership team have a clear moral purpose to ensure that pupils develop strong personal and social skills as well as high academic aspirations."

"The school's efforts to raise the quality of teaching have had a positive impact on pupils' learning...Pupils have very positive attitudes to learning"

"Pupil's behaviour is exceptionally strong and has a positive impact on their social skills, personal development and learning...They are polite and orderly around the academy and were a credit to the school..."

As you can see we have maintained and have made effective efforts to improve in all areas to ensure your child is given the best opportunity to be successful at our academy.

We still have some areas that need attention; for example, ensuring continued efforts are being pushed within key stage 3 to make sure there is more rapid progress across all subjects; and also that our sixth form students make more consistent progress academically as a whole. These areas are currently being addressed, and we will continue to do so, for the rest of the year.

In summary, we have made great strides of improvement. The hard work shown by all has truly paid off. It is my aim to ensure this standard of quality learning and leadership continues to excel so that as an academy, we can ensure our students continue to enjoy and experience outstanding opportunities to be successful.

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If you would like to read the full Ofsted report, please visit our school website on www.evelyngraceacademy.org/ofsted-and-performance-data

Yours sincerely

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Enc: Inspection outcome letter from Ofsted