

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

**Re: Our recent Ofsted inspection**

You may be aware that we worked with a team of inspectors on 30<sup>th</sup>/31<sup>st</sup> January, who undertook a graded inspection of Airedale Academy. They fed back their findings to us at the end of that period and, although they agreed with our self-evaluation that the Academy requires improvement, they also saw many positives.

The Academy already had in place a Raising Achievement Plan which plans out the improvement journey that we are working collaboratively on, and which was praised by the inspection team. I can assure you that we will continue to work hard to ensure Airedale Academy makes the necessary improvements and as always, appreciate your full support in helping us to do that.

The report will be available on both our website and Ofsted's, from Monday 18th March.

Can I thank all of you that responded to the questionnaire that they provided.

Yours faithfully,



Mr D Neal  
Principal

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