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Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee

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Dear Mrs Eken,



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We recently held a meeting of Councillors in which we looked at a selection of Ofsted reports, one of which was for Benchill Primary School. I am writing to let you know the purpose of the meeting and the views of the Councillors regarding the results of your most recent inspection.

Manchester City Council has a Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee. This is a group of Councillors representing wards across Manchester which meets to make recommendations on how the Council and its partners can support the delivery of better outcomes for the city's children and young people.

A Subgroup of this Committee meet regularly to consider Ofsted Inspection Reports across a range of settings. In respect of schools, the Subgroup highlight trends and themes in different areas of the city and looks to identify models of good practice that could be shared.

We were very pleased to see that in the inspection that took place your school was awarded a rating of "Good". We feel you should be proud of this achievement and hope that you continue to build on this.

I would like to convey the Committee's full support to you, the governing body, staff, parents and pupils on this excellent report and working with the City Council to maintain high standards. Please feel free to contact me at any time should you wish to discuss this further.

Yours sincerely,

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