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Dear Parent/ Carer

I am writing to inform you of the outcome of our second monitoring visit from Her Majesty's Inspector (HMI) which took place on Friday 24 October 2014. The inspector's letter has been attached and will also be posted on the school website.

The monitoring visit was extremely positive and HMI recognised the 'effective action' taken by the senior leaders and governors to tackle the areas requiring improvement as identified in the Ofsted inspection of December 2013.

Changes in leadership (at both senior and middle leadership levels) and intensive training programmes are both now impacting on standards.

HMI visited many classrooms and looked at many student books. The Inspector noted the marked improvement in the quality of assessment and feedback both in student books and in the dialogue witnessed in the classroom. The Inspector commented on the good attitudes to learning from all year groups.

I am very proud of the students and staff at The Buckingham School. They continue to embrace all aspects of school improvement to ensure that every child has the opportunity to learn and progress. However, I recognise that we have further work to do and we will not be complacent in our efforts to improve all aspects of our school.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Miss A Wells
Headteacher

