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Dear Parent/Guardian

## Maiden Erlegh Chiltern Edge is officially "Good"!

I am delighted to be able to share with you the finalised Ofsted report following the visit in May. As you will see, they recognised our school's amazing transformation and have awarded a judgement of **GOOD** in all areas. This is fantastic progress for our school, moving up a full two categories. You will also see from the report that we have been given only one 'Area for Improvement' which is very telling in terms of our journey towards Outstanding. Indeed, we were very close to Outstanding in three of the four categories and with a little more time operating outside of Covid conditions we may have achieved it.

I am so proud of the students and staff team we have here at MECE, and I hope you will also take pride in the knowledge that your child attends such a great school! Some highlights from the report are as follows:

"There is a calm and purposeful learning environment across the school... (students) work hard to match their teachers' expectations"

"Pupils feel very safe at this school. They are tolerant and accepting of others."

"The curriculum intent is ambitious and challenging... and is well organised"

"Teachers use strong subject knowledge to enthuse pupils and deepen their knowledge".

*"The school's reading programme is successful in raising aspirations and encouraging a love of reading".* 

"The welfare, well-being and safety of all pupils is a high priority".

Please do take some time to read the report as it shows just what a GREAT school we are! <u>Ofsted School report</u>

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

A. Harter

Andy Hartley Headteacher