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5<sup>th</sup> December 2019

Dear Parents/carers,

AWW,

**Re: Ofsted Inspection Report (12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> November 2019)**

I would like to offer parents a summary of our school Ofsted report following our recent inspection of Al-Ashraf Secondary School for Girls. **The school has been rated overall as good (MA)**. We are extremely pleased with these findings and feel that they reflect our school extremely well.

The school met all the independent school standards and we were judged to have performed well in all key areas:

**OVERALL EFFECTIVENESS: GOOD**

**QUALITY OF EDUCATION: GOOD**

**BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDES: GOOD**

**PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT: GOOD**

**LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT: GOOD**

During the inspection, the inspectors acknowledged and supported the many improvements made since our last inspection. We were delighted with this, especially with their acknowledgement of the positive impact these are having on pupils' achievement and the quality of education we are able to offer.

The inspectors agreed with our record of self-evaluation and our school development priorities which we have been working on throughout this academic year.

Our students were also praised for their respectful conduct and how this contributes to their academic success. (MA) Our pupils have been fantastic representatives of the school and we are exceptionally proud of their maturity, attitude to learning and behaviour.

Thank you also to those parents who filled out the Ofsted parent view questionnaire. We were very pleased to read that parents feel the school has a strong partnership with them and makes the necessary checks to keep pupils safe.

JK and thank you to those of you who came and spoke to the inspectors about our school. Everyone's support was and is very much appreciated.

We still have a lot of work to do to improve our school further, but for the moment we can take satisfaction from our fabulous achievements and acknowledge that we have a great team here at Al-Ashraf Secondary School for Girls, from our pupils, parents, governors, SLT and the excellent staff who all work exceptionally hard and deserve this fantastic report.

The full report can be found on the school website: <http://al-ashraf.org.uk/secondary/ofsted.php> or a hardcopy can be requested from the school office.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everybody for their continued support, especially the community who continue to support the school during our Ramadhan fundraising.

J.K & WWW

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