

Margaret Roper Catholic Primary School

Russell Hill Road, Purley, Surrey, CR8 2XP Telephone: 020 8660 0115 Fax: 020 8660 9656 Email: office@margaretroper.croydon.sch.uk

Head Teacher: D. J Mooney

Assistant Head Teachers: C. Garcia, E. Holloway

Monday 5th February 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

OFSTED Section 8 Inspection at Margaret Roper Catholic Primary School - Tuesday 16th January 2018

I am writing to you as Chair of the Governing Body at Margaret Roper to share with you our OFSTED report letter which we have recently received. A copy of the report letter is attached.

I am very pleased to share this report with you as it demonstrates that Margaret Roper is a good and successful school. This is due to the quality of learning and teaching, commitment of our pupils, staff and governors and support of our parents. This report celebrates the success of our school; we should be proud of the outcome.

The report is in a format that may be unfamiliar to you if you have previously read the lengthy reports that OFSTED issued in the past. A section 8 inspection for good schools identifies the strengths of the school and also lines of enquiry that the inspector follows as a result of the school data. As you can see from the report it is a summary that focusses on the main areas OFSTED wished to consider and with a very important emphasis on safeguarding and the progress of pupils in the school.

The outcomes of the inspection identify that Margaret Roper is a successful and well led school which knows clearly its priorities for further improvement. The next steps identify that actions which are currently in place will continue to build on the good progress that pupils are making and I have every confidence that the school will continue to be successful and move forward.

I am pleased also that commentary regarding governance of the school reflects that the governors know the school well and hold the leadership to account for the quality of learning and progress of all children. Our governors work hard to ensure that school development plans are focussed and accurate and make a real impact on outcomes for our children.

Thank you for your support during the inspection. Your commitment to your children and the mission of our school is evident in the report and in all aspects of school life.

Sincerely

Bernard Munn

Chair of Governors