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The person dealing with this matter is Sarah Morgan

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Dear Diane,

No formal designation monitoring inspection of Welling School

We are writing to extend our thanks and congratulations to you and your staff following the recent monitoring visit to review behaviour at Welling School. We are pleased that the HMI recognised the fact that;

Leaders and managers have taken effective action to maintain the high standards of behaviour and attitudes identified at the school's previous inspection.

The findings confirm our view of the school, which is that you, your staff and governors seek to ensure your students feel valued and make a positive contribution to the school community. As an inclusive school, you welcome students with a range of needs and at times barriers to learning, but you always strive to meet their needs and prepare them for next steps into work, further education or training.

It was interesting to read that you have made behaviour for learning a priority. The focus described in the HMI letter is positive and further demonstrates your determination to ensure your students develop as well-educated and well-rounded citizens;

A revised behaviour for learning policy, including launching the 'Welling Ways' of collaboration, communication, organisation, resilience, leadership and creativity, was launched at the beginning of the school year.

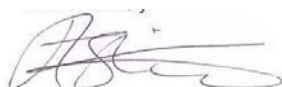
If we can support you with the areas for improvement, please do make contact with Jo Lakey. We really do appreciate the hard work that you and the staff will have put in to achieve this result. Please do pass on our best wishes to everyone. We hope to be able to visit the school soon and we have asked Sarah Morgan to contact you to find a mutually convenient time.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely



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Director of Children's
Services



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