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Dear Mrs Bliss,

We are writing to congratulate you and the school on the result of your Ofsted inspection which was published recently. To have maintained the overall 'Good' judgement is a very notable achievement.

We thoroughly enjoyed reading the report. It is evident that since you started as headteacher in 2015 you have strengthened the leadership roles at the school and as a result you and your team have maintained a good quality of education since the last inspection. The school's Christian ethos instils a respect for values such as forgiveness and trust. Pupils are well mannered and considerate of each other, they have very good attitudes to learning and clearly enjoy their time at school. Parents also agree that their child is happy and feels safe at school. It is also pleasing to read that safeguarding is effective at Newdigate Infant as pupils say they feel safe and that bullying is very rare.

Please pass our congratulations to your staff, governors, pupils and parents for their efforts in achieving this important judgement for the school.

Yours sincerely

Handwritten signature of David Hodge CBE.

David Hodge CBE  
Leader of the Council

Handwritten signature of Mary Lewis.

Mary Lewis  
Cabinet Member Education

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