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Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to let you know that the Section 5 Ofsted report is now available on our website for you to read or download. As you will see, the school continues to be judged as requires improvement in all areas and the Ofsted team completely agreed with my own self-evaluation of the school at this point. I am though delighted that Ofsted recognised the many positive and improving areas of the school. In particular, they were clear that there is now an “aspirational vision” for the school and “rapid” action has taken place to improve student progress in the last two terms. Please be reassured that I, and all my team of staff here, are fully aware of the areas that need to be improved within the school and we have a detailed improvement plan in place to bring about significant and sustainable progress in the key areas identified by Ofsted.

I have the highest expectations for the students at Woodlands and am absolutely determined to ensure that in the future outcomes for students who leave us in Year 11 improve significantly.

I appreciate that you may have questions that you’d like to raise with me following this report. Please feel free to contact my PA, Nikki Purse to arrange a meeting, either on the phone or in person.

Thank you so much for your continued support of the school.

Yours sincerely

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