



15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers and Students,

## RE: OFSTED REPORT

I writing to inform you the Ofsted report generated by our two-day inspection last term is now published on the Ofsted website and available for viewing.

I am very pleased with the inspection team's evaluation of Highcliffe School. Their report recognises the stimulating and engaging curriculum across Year 7 to 13; alongside the high quality in teaching, pastoral care and personal development, available to students here. The developmental points are rooted in areas of existing strength. They build on the very successful interventions for the weakest readers already in place and our current whole-school strategy to promote reading.

You can read the full report by following this link [50228323 \(ofsted.gov.uk\)](https://www.ofsted.gov.uk/inspections/50228323)

Thank you to parents for your support during the inspection, especially those who got in touch with goodwill messages. And a huge well done to staff and students for your superb conduct over the entire two days – you all really shone. I am very proud of you.

Yours sincerely,



**Patrick Earnshaw**  
Headteacher