

27th November 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Ofsted Inspection Update

As I am sure you are aware, Lightcliffe Academy was inspected at the beginning of this month, and some of you will be wondering about the outcome. At the moment we have not had a copy of the report back from Ofsted, either as a draft for checking or the final version to go on our website. This is not unusual because, after an inspection has taken place, there is a rigorous quality assurance process undertaken by Ofsted to check the findings of the inspectors and to ensure a fair report.

Unfortunately, I cannot give a timescale for how long this process will take – it happens totally independently of the academy, and in some cases can take several weeks. As soon as we are in a position to give you more information, I will contact you again.

Yours sincerely



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