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Ofsted Inspection – 19th and 20th March 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to share details of the recent Ofsted inspection, which took place at Kensington Aldridge Academy on 19th and 20th March 2024. I am delighted to announce that after two rigorous days of inspection, the team concluded that **KAA continues to be an outstanding school**.

The inspection team were incredibly impressed by what they saw, noting that “pupils receive an exceptional education” at KAA, and that “the school has fostered a strong community that is welcoming and warm”. The report acknowledges that “pupils flourish because the school has high academic ambitions for all pupils, including those with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND).” They also commented that “pupils feel safe and are respectful in this diverse community.”

As the Chair of Trustees, I was incredibly proud of all students and staff and it is wonderful to see that the school has continued to provide an outstanding education over the six years since our first full inspection in 2017. This is our first Ofsted inspection under Anna Jordan’s leadership as Principal, and the report tells us that the stability of leadership Anna has provided allowed KAA to go from strength to strength this academic year. I’m incredibly grateful for the way that Anna has led the school across her first two terms. As such, I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the Board of Trustees, to announce Anna’s permanent appointment into the role of Principal at KAA. I know that students, parents and staff alike will welcome this news, and join me in warmly congratulating her.

The Section 8 report is available to download from the school website at kaa.org.uk/the-academy/ofsted. If you require a hard copy, please ask at the school reception and they can provide a printed copy of the report.

I’ll close by thanking parents and carers for their ongoing support, without which, none of this would be possible. I now look forward to working with staff, students, parents, and trustees on the next steps in our journey at KAA, and continuing to provide an exceptional education for our community.

Best wishes,



Paul Fletcher
Chair of Trustees