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Mrs Lisa Thompson North Cadbury Church of England Primary School Cary Road North Cadbury, Yeovil, Somerset BA22 7DE

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Dear Lisa,

I wanted to write to let you know how pleased I was to see your school improve from Inadequate to Good in all areas in your latest Ofsted report, following the inspection that took place on 19th September 2023. This is a fantastic achievement.

It was good to see from the inspection report how effectively you and your staff, with the support of Preston Primary Academy Trust, are responding to and addressing the areas for improvement identified at the last inspection. You must be encouraged to see your hard work and commitment reflected in the inspectors' comments. It is good to read that you and your leadership team are beginning to secure necessary improvements to ensure your pupils' success at the school. I was particularly pleased to read about how older pupils look after younger pupils and adapt their playground games so younger pupils can join in. It was also great to see that the school provides an extensive range of experiences that change termly to suit a wide range of interests, from trips to Cardiff and London to learning soft archery or the flute.

I look forward to seeing North Cadbury Church of England Primary School continue to develop and thrive in the future. If there is any help or guidance that I can provide at any point, please do not hesitate to get in touch, via the email address below, or with my Delivery Team Leader for Somerset- Freya Dodd (Freya.Dodd@education.gov.uk).

I am copying this letter to Bernie Green, and Mike Kerrigan, CEO and Chair respectively of Preston Primary Academy Trust.

Yours sincerely, Hannah Woodhouse Regional Director

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