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Dear Parents/Carer

I just thought that I would try to put you in the picture regarding the latest from Ofsted. The last few weeks have been a roller coaster of emotion for everyone linked to our school community but as most of you are aware, on Friday, Ofsted took the extremely unusual step of declaring the report incomplete. The course of action used to be known as “a flawed inspection” but has recently changed.

Declaring the inspection incomplete means that Ofsted will be sending a new team into school within the next three weeks. **We have just had the call and Ofsted will be back in school tomorrow (Tues 24th)**. They will base their investigation on the findings of the original report - assess the evidence - and then decide whether the judgements are accurate or if they need to be changed.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the school to get the report that it deserves and we need to ensure that Ofsted hears the positive messages about life at Scargill. Please take the opportunity to complete PARENT VIEW on: <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/> if you have not already done so.

A number of people have asked me when the final report will be published. The honest answer is that I simply don't know. I would imagine that this will be several weeks after the date of the re-inspection.

I would like to finish by saying thank you for the letters, emails and cards offering support for the school despite Ofsted's initial findings. Your support means a lot!

Please be assured that I will keep you informed of any new information or updates.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Poole
Headteacher