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*Building our Community with Love, Forgiveness and Hope
Growing an Exceptional Learning Community*

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Teaching, Learning & Assessment Workshop

Dear Parents,

As you will no doubt be aware, both from press coverage as well as our latest newsletter, there has been a considerable amount of change regarding the National Curriculum and Assessment, with the final stages having come into force from September 2015.

The team at Cornerstone has been undertaking a range of actions in light of these developments, liaising with other schools and the Local Authority, developing a new approach to measure and track pupils' assessment, adjusting our teaching and planning accordingly and developing a new approach to learning.

We will run a workshop **on Thursday, 4th February 2016 from 7-9pm** in the school Hall, to help you as parents understand how the changes we have made and are continuing to make will affect the teaching and learning in your child's classroom, as well as the way we are assessing and tracking their progress. We hope this will give you sufficient background information to make use of information that will be shared with you at Parents' Evenings and your child's report this year.

There is no need to book a space on the workshop, and we look forward to many of you joining us for this next step in growing an exceptional learning community.

Yours sincerely,

Tim Clarke
Headteacher

"This is a happy school where pupils achieve well in terms of their personal, as well as academic development and are growing up as responsible caring young people." Ofsted 2015