Ofsted latest from Head of School Improvement Meeting with RSC 08 July 2020

- 'Inadequate' schools to be visited but precise definition still needed. Schools with new URN?? Those awaiting academy conversion/?
- 'Vulnerable' schools also to be visited i.e. RI, Good but.....
- Inspectors wish to work collaboratively with School Leaders
- Challenge but also support to get children back in to education and re-kindle love of learning
- How do schools ensure that they are getting children 'back up to speed' and helping a unique generation?
- What are the barriers, if any, to full return to school?
- Any issues with 'behaviours', those who may have become dis-engaged?
- Focus on health and well-being
- Major emphasis on safeguarding
- Part of gaining a 'national picture' but comparative look across LAs
- No grading
- Brief letter to parents!
- Full inspections back as of 01 January 2020
- Ofsted wants to be part of the 're-building conversation'
- Information gathered used to inform government departments and policy decisions
- One day's notice for visits
- Likely to be two HMI on each visit

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/education-plans-from-september-2020#information-for-maintained-schools-and-academies

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