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Mrs Cumberpatch  
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Dear Mrs Cumberpatch

**Re: Key Stage 2 Results**

I am writing to congratulate you and your staff and pupils in the fantastic improvements and increase in the proportion of pupils achieving the expected standard in reading, writing and mathematics from last year.

Thanks to the hard work of teachers and pupils at schools in my Constituency, the national average has increased to 65% this year. This year's results are the fourth since the DofE introduced more rigorous assessments to align with the new national curriculum in 2016, which has brought England's primary education in line with the best in the world.

Each year, more children are meeting the high expectations it sets.

Once again well done to all those staff, volunteers and pupils at Abbey Gates Primary School.

Warm Regards

Yours sincerely

The Rt Hon Mark Spencer  
Member of Parliament for Sherwood

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