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Dear Miss Tapper,

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It gives me great pleasure to congratulate you on the excellent GCSE performance of your pupils in 2012.

There are many ways to assess school performance. On this occasion we have looked at the performance of pupils in five GCSEs: English and mathematics, and the pupil's three best other GCSEs.

Your results show that you are amongst the 100 top performing schools in terms of the progress that your pupils on free school meals make between Key Stage 2 results, and their GCSEs in English and Maths. As you may know, I personally place particular importance on the role that schools can play in supporting social mobility by ensuring that all pupils, whatever their background, are successful. Your school is exceptionally effective in educating pupils on free school meals, and I commend you for everything that you are doing in this area.

I would like to congratulate your staff, governors and pupils for their hard work and success and thank you for your leadership in continuing the drive towards high standards of educational achievement.

Yours sincerely

David Laws MP