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## **Dear Colleagues**

Further to the announcements and congratulations made in the welcome back newsletter earlier this week I would like to personally congratulate you and your staff on your 2017 summer results.

I was very pleased to see that based on the 2017 provisional data the outcomes for your school have improved in KS2 attainment since last year and are showing a positive average score progress in all 3 areas and are above the Essex average\*

We know that achieving high standards and significant improvement with children is very demanding and this is in part to the hard work of your staff. This in turn, has further embedded the depth and breadth of excellence shown in the Primary School sector in Essex.

I would like to wish you all the best in your work for the new school year and look forward to seeing you at the LA headteacher meetings.

Yours sincerely

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