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Dear Ms Pyke

I have been advised by the Government that you have significantly increased your recent KS2 results which were published just before Christmas.

The improvement from 40% of students achieving the expected standard in reading, writing and mathematics in 2017 to 70% 2018 is brilliant, particularly given the reforms to KS2 tests. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you and all the teachers at Grendon Primary School.

I am really interested to understand this achievement and would very much like to know how you have accomplished it at such a difficult time for schools.

I know you are under huge pressures and these results are a testament to your high standards, ambition and dedication. Please congratulate your staff and children on my behalf and let me wish you all the best for the coming year.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steve M. Lake".

Member of Parliament for Birmingham Selly Oak