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Ms Keri Edge Head Teacher Hallsville Primary School

Dear Keri and Chris

RE: Congratulations on your school attendance

I am writing to thank you and to congratulate you on reaching attendance levels above 97% during the past week. We note a recorded daily attendance of 98.09% on 5 October, 2021. It is marvellous and truly humbling how hard you have been working with your pupils and their parents or carers to return them safely to school for the new school year and autumn term.

The return to school period has clearly been enormously successful for your school, and I want you to know that I personally appreciate all that you have done to maintain parent and carer confidence in your school throughout the pandemic, and in safely returning so many children back to school in September, where they engage with their learning and thrive.

Thank you for your ongoing commitment and dedication to children and young people in Newham to support them to reach their potential. Do please keep me posted on your continued success.

Yours sincerely

Anita Stewart I Director of Education, Inclusion & Achievement

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