To: Mrs Helen Johnson
The Birkenhead Park School
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25 November 2016

From:

Dear Mrs Johnson

After having a lovely evening at the presentation on Thursday 24 November, I felt I should write to you.

When I was first told that was coming to your school I was very apprehensive. has been used to schools with pupils of anything up to 100 and I thought coming to a school, where there were hundreds of pupils would be extremely daunting and quite stressful for him. I assumed that he would be just a number and he would be lost in the system. How wrong could I have been. The teachers and the class room assistants etc have been amazing and have helped mould into the person he is today. For that I am truly greatful.

I have to give extra special thanks to:
, who constantly pushed to do his best by "nagging him" and drumming information into him again and again until it stuck. Who told him he could when he thought he couldn't. She gave him the confidence to try his best.
, who genuinely loved This person guided through school helping him with all aspects of his education. She had a lot of time and patience for first holiday without me to China was a wonderful experience for him. I knew he was in safe hands with who said "I will look after him as if he were my own" and I truly believe she did.
, helped for his first 2 years. She protected him when he first started school and always had his best interests at heart. was deeply upset when he was told would no longer be his helper. helped so much with the transition from a small school to a large school and dealing with every day life. And I do recall, she made exceptional scones with one day after school!
These people are a credit to your school. I feel they have all gone many steps further than their job expects them to.

I could see on the evening just how much was thought of and when he was put forward by for an award I could have cried. Both and I left your school on Wednesday night on a high and with smiles on our faces. response when I asked him if he was proud of himself was, "Yes I am, a bit.... No a lot!". The plaque will take pride of place on our mantel piece.

As discussed with , can you please pass a copy of this letter onto the school governors as I want them to know what your school has achieved.

it has been a pleasure to know you all.

Yours Faithfully

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