

Essex County Council

Education – School Effectiveness

County Hall

Chelmsford

Essex CM26WN

By Email Date: 19th September 2019

Mrs Sarah Mitchell Great Chesterford CE Primary Academy

Dear Sarah,

Further to the announcements and congratulations made in the welcome back newsletter early September, we would like to personally congratulate you and your staff on your 2019 summer results.

We were very pleased to see that based on the 2019 provisional data the outcomes for your school are:

- 1) In the top quartile at KS1 in all three measures and, outcomes are above the Essex average for combined reading, writing and maths at KS2*
- 2) In the top quartile at KS2 in all three attainment measures (reading, writing and maths)
- 3) The percentage of children meeting the required level at Phonics at the end of Year 1 is above the national average and your school is in the top quartile for performance for this measure.

We know that achieving high standards and significant improvement with children is very demanding and this is due 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.

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

Yours sincerely

Clare Kershaw

Director of Education

Nicola Woolf

Assistant Director of Education - West

Nicola Wood

*Provisional 2019 outcomes

	Key Stage 1 - % achieving at least the expected standard			Key Stage 2 RWM - % achieving at	Reading	Writing	Maths
	Reading	Writing	Maths	least the expected standard	progress	progress	Progress
*England	75	69	76	65	0	0	0
*Essex	77	71	77	66	-0.4	0.1	-0.3