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Dear lan

## Closing the Attainment Gap for Pupil Premium Pupils

As you will be aware, one of the key priorities for Cumbria is to improve outcomes for our disadvantaged pupils so that they are better prepared for their next phase of education and can succeed in the future. As a school with ten or more disadvantaged pupils in your Year 6 cohort, you make a particular contribution to our results.

The initial data analysis on gaps has picked out your school for congratulations because the attainment gap for 4+RWM has closed from last year and is smaller than in 2013. We would like to thank you for your focus and success in this area.

If you have particular strategies and resources that worked and that you are happy to share, please would you forward them to Steph Ward at <a href="mailto:Stephanie.ward@cumbria.gov.uk">Stephanie.ward@cumbria.gov.uk</a> so that we can include them on the CASL website.

Yours sincerely

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