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Dear Chair,

I am writing to let you know that on March 24, 2016, we will be announcing the 2016-17 Grants for Student Needs (GSN).

The release will feature a video that details changes to the 2016-17 GSN, which will be available on the Ministry of Education's website.

In addition to that, we will also be distributing to school boards — by posting to the ministry's website — a number of supplemental information pieces, including a memo providing technical details on the 2016–17 GSN, supported with board-by-board projections and a reader-friendly guide to the GSN.

In advance of the release, I would like to recognize the importance of your contribution to next year's GSN. Your constructive feedback and thoughtful insights have greatly informed the process and I am confident you will see your ideas reflected in the 2016-17 GSN. That same spirit of consultation and collaboration is what gives me every confidence that we will realize the common goals set forth in Achieving Excellence.

Thank you for your dedication to Ontario's students — and for your hard work to improve the quality of our publicly funded education system.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liz Sandals". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Liz Sandals,
Minister