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Dear Mr. Roybal,

It is with great pleasure that the District 51 Foundation recognizes the outstanding job Grand River Academy has been doing in academic growth. We will be presenting your school with the 2018 Outstanding School for Student Academic Growth Award. We congratulate you on the results of the 2017 Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) PARCC assessments. Your school showed significant growth in English Language Arts.

We applaud your efforts and those of many other teachers and schools who are working hard and getting results. The District 51 Foundation enjoys recognizing excellence in teaching! The mission of our foundation is to raise funds for academic growth and achievement and promote outreach to benefit kids and the community.

The School District 51 Foundation will be placing an ad in The Daily Sentinel honoring your recognition. In addition, you and a guest are cordially invited to attend a recognition of your achievement on Saturday, February 3, 2018 at our D51F White Iced Celebration at the CMU Ballroom. Please join us at 5:30 p.m. for a VIP Dinner. Please RSVP at your earliest convenience to Angela.Christensen@d51schools.org

In addition, we want to honor the hard work teachers at your school are doing. We are offering a discounted rate of \$25 for teachers/staff from our Outstanding Academic Growth Schools to attend the White Iced Celebration. Just go to our website and click on Outstanding Academic Growth Schools and follow the instructions. Please be sure to share this information with your staff.

With sincere congratulations,

Angela Christensen, Ph.D.

Executive Director