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## 1 Supplementary Figure Legends

- 2 Supplementary figure 1. The protein levels of Atg5 were depleted by siRNA. Western blot analysis
- 3 and quantification of Atg5 were shown in Caco-2 (A-B) and HT-29 (C-D) cells, β-Actin served as
- 4 an internal control. Data are expressed as mean $\pm$ SD. \*\* p < 0.01 versus Control group.

