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Mr K Seed Headteacher Glebe School Hawes Lane West Wickham Kent BR4 9AE

Dear Mr Seed

Ofsted survey inspection programme – 14-19 reforms

Thank you for your hospitality and co-operation, and that of your staff and students during my visit on 05 March as part of our survey on 14-19 developments in the local area.

The visit provided valuable information which will contribute to our national evaluation and reporting. This report, which will be produced in the summer of 2008, will highlight good practice and identify improvements to be made. Published reports are likely to list the names of the contributing institutions, but individual institutions will not be identified in the main text.

The school contributes to the development of the 14-19 curriculum through:

- courses that are designed to meet the complex needs of its learners
- the advanced stage of its planning for the implementation of the Diploma; the school is already piloting the extended project of the Diploma in Creative and Media Arts
- ensuring that learning promotes both team and individual activities, enterprise and preparation for adulthood
- its outstanding care, guidance and support that ensure very clear progression routes towards individual independence.

If there are any points or aspects of the visit you wish to discuss, please get in touch. As we will be evaluating the survey, you may be contacted in the future to find out your views. I hope you will contribute to this evaluation. Thank you once again.



Yours sincerely

Carolyn Carnaghan Additional Inspector