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Dear Mrs Dimelow

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Social Responsibility and Community Cohesion

Thank you for your hospitality and co-operation during our recent visit. We are particularly grateful to you and all your staff for the hard work involved in preparing for the visit and for giving up your time during the visit to meet us. Please pass on our thanks to all those concerned, including your pupils.

The visit provided much useful evidence for the further development of community cohesion. We noted, in particular:

- The excellent relationships across a large network of professionals, and the high level of commitment of staff which helps the service to identify and meet the diverse needs of families and children.
- An excellent range of specialisms amongst the staff which promotes an exemplary, inclusive environment and positive outcomes for children across the services.
- Schools, nurseries and outreach workers involved in the Children's centre network work exceptionally hard to listen to parents and to deliver appropriate and relevant services within the locality that are based in accessible settings.

One point has been identified for your consideration

- To continue to develop the data system used to evaluate the service, to ensure it accurately demonstrates its success.

The published survey report will list the names of the contributing institutions in an appendix. Should we wish to cite specific aspects of the good practice observed on this visit in the form of a detailed case study, we will contact you first. We will notify

you of the date of publication of the survey report when it is confirmed and provide you with details of any other arrangements to disseminate the survey's findings.

Yours sincerely

Monica Hargreaves
Inspector