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Dear Mrs Hepworth-Lavery

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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:

- Children are exceptionally well behaved, are proud of their school, feel valued as individuals and are secure in their learning environment.
- Staff work well as a team and make good use of the curriculum and enrichment activities to develop children's knowledge, skills and respect for each other.
- The school has an understanding of issues within the local community and works with parents to ensure that their diverse range of needs is met.
- The school may wish to consider providing more opportunities to celebrate children's first language and develop global links to further promote social and community cohesion.

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

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