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Dear Gemma,

**Visit on Tuesday, 19 May 2026**

I am writing to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to host my visit this week. I truly appreciate the warm welcome extended to me and the care taken to ensure my time with you was both informative and enjoyable.

I was particularly impressed by your specialist post-16 provision for neurodiverse students, with its clear focus on business, enterprise, and employability. It was evident that a great deal of thought and commitment has gone into developing a provision that not only supports students academically, but also prepares them with the practical skills and confidence needed for their future pathways. The inclusive and supportive environment you have created is commendable, and it was a pleasure to hear about everything you do.

I found our discussions both insightful and inspiring, and I value the opportunity to learn more about your approach and the impact of your work. I look forward to continuing our important conversation and exploring opportunities to build on this further.

Thank you once again for your time and generosity in hosting my visit, and I am very grateful for the lift!

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,



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