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Dear Marika,

### **THANK YOU – READING GIRLS SCHOOL VISIT**

I'm writing to thank you for hosting the ministerial visit to Reading Girls School today at such short notice. We really enjoyed our time meeting with you and other members of the school and Trust and in particular of course, the wonderful girls who are such a credit to you.

As somebody who knew the school many years ago, I was really impressed with all that you, your team and the Trust have achieved.

It was great to listen to the students speaking with such pride about their school and how you and the staff have supported them with their learning. I particularly enjoyed the session spent asking the minister questions. The girls were so confident.

I look forward to returning for your Cultural Day which sounded incredible!

Thank you again to you and all at Reading Girls School, and for making us feel so welcome.

Best wishes,  
Kate

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