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Dear Deborah,

I am delighted to confirm that your school has achieved the NACE Challenge Award.

It was an absolute pleasure to visit Gamesley Primary School once again. The whole school commitment to address the needs of More Able learners and provide challenge for all, was strongly reflected by your wonderful pupils and dedicated staff. All this is underpinned by your drive and strategic approach, clear vision, the highest expectations, and a breadth of ambitious, rich opportunities – both within and beyond the classroom - delivered by expert and creative staff and supported by ongoing, high quality staff development.

I have attached a summary of the areas which have been identified as particular strengths in the school, as well as some areas of development for your action plan.

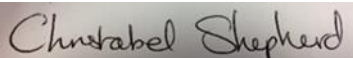
The school will be eligible for reaccreditation in November 2027. I hope that - in the meantime - NACE and Gamesley Primary will continue to work closely together to further develop and share more widely your approach to challenge provision.

Please pass on my sincere thanks to the staff and pupils for their openness, helpful and insightful contributions and very warm welcome, and to Lydia in particular for her impressive preparation, organisation of the day and relentless drive and commitment in leading challenge and More Able provision at Gamesley.

Many congratulations to everyone involved, and I hope that this award will provide further external recognition of your school's commitment to achieve the best for every child.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely,



NACE Assessor

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