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Dear Alumnae

## Old Palace prep site

In my recent letter I said I would follow up regarding the Old Palace prep site at Melville Avenue. As you will be aware, the site has been on the market following the extremely difficult decision to close Old Palace school.

Today we completed on the sale to BAPS Swaminarayan Sanstha (BAPS), an international community-based Hindu fellowship affiliated to the United Nations. BAPS is a charity which intends to refurbish and repurpose the facilities for both academic and community use. It has a long-standing commitment to serving local communities and aims to revitalise the site into a thriving hub for education, sports, and social initiatives.

Further details and the full press release are available on our website.

With best wishes

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