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Dear Scott,

What a pleasure working with you on the Golda Och Academy Lower School expansion and renovation! The final (or almost final) exceeds our expectations and is nothing short of spectacular. Everybody entering who has seen the "before" is amazed at the change. I cannot thank you enough for your part in this effort.

I can only imagine how challenging it was not only to renovate and retrofit the entire extant building while adding a significant portion – but to do so while the building was being occupied as a school. Yet, despite the constraints we put on you in order that construction not negatively affect the operations of the school, we opened on time with a completed project.

The professionalism and expertise that you exhibited throughout was always reassuring to me and the GOA staff, and your willingness to stop and explain technical things to us was comforting. You always seemed to be everywhere at the same time and doing everything at once and I appreciate your watchful eye on all aspects of the project. I always felt that we were in good hands with you on site.

On a personal level, I was always impressed that no matter how many balls were in the air at once, how stressful a situation we were encountering, you always responded with a calm demeanor and a smile on your face. You always took our concerns and suggestions seriously and made us feel that we were valued clients. I appreciate having had the opportunity to work with and learn from you.

Many thanks Scott, for the significant role you played in our project. It never would have happened without you.

Sincerely,

Joyce Raynor, PhD
Head of School

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