



The Hon Alan Tudge MP

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Dear Ms Blombery

Thank you for your letter of 20 December 2020 regarding my appointment as the Minister for Education and Youth.

It is a great honour to serve the Australian people as a Minister in the Morrison Government and I thank the Prime Minister for asking me to serve as the Minister for Education and Youth.

I would like to take this opportunity to commend the sustained efforts of Graduate Women-NSW (GW-NSW) in empowering women through education and note the particular issues you have taken the time to raise.

I am looking forward to the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead and will work to ensure that every Australian, no matter where they live, has access to a world-class education.

In particular, I intend to work to improve early learning, schooling and student educational outcomes through access to quality child care, support, parent engagement and quality teaching and learning outcomes. I also intend to boost both economic development and employment opportunities through the provision of quality higher education, international education and innovative research. Alongside support for the university sector, the Government supports a range of vocational education and training initiatives to ensure all Australians can access skills they need to succeed in their careers.

I look forward to future opportunities to work with GW-NSW to achieve these objectives.

Thank you again for your letter.

Yours sincerely

Alan Tudge

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