**[Headteacher’s Name]**
[School Name]
[School Address]
[Postcode]

Dear [Headteacher’s Name],

**Re: Flexi-Schooling Request for Gifted and Talented Dancer**

I am writing to request your consideration for [Student’s Name], to attend vocational dance training at The Hebden School of Dancing as part of a flexi-schooling initiative designed for gifted and talented dancers.

We are delighted to have found an exciting opportunity for [Student’s Name] to further develop their skills and passion for the performing arts. The Day School Vocational Programme runs on Fridays from 9:00am to 3:00pm at state-of-the-art facilities in Peterborough. This comprehensive training day includes core vocational classes in ballet and modern jazz, alongside acrobatic dance, lyrical, contemporary, repertoire and more. Dancers work to take OFQUAL accredited examinations with the International Dance Teachers Association.

[Student’s Name] has already demonstrated dedication and talent, expressing a strong interest in excelling within the performing arts industry and pursuing potential full-time vocational training. However, as you may be aware, opportunities for high-level vocational dance training within Peterborough are limited. This initiative offers a much-needed local solution, allowing promising young dancers to receive high-calibre training without the financial burden associated with private vocational schools and extensive travel.

The Hebden School of Dancing is an Ofsted-registered studio and POST-16 training facility and holds accreditation from the Council for Dance, Drama and Musical Theatre (CDMT) for maintaining the highest standards in safeguarding and training.

We believe that this flexi-schooling arrangement would significantly benefit [Student’s Name]’s holistic development, complementing their academic studies while nurturing their artistic potential. We understand the importance of maintaining a balance between academic and vocational learning and are happy to collaborate with you to ensure this transition supports [Student’s Name]’s educational progress.

We would greatly appreciate the opportunity to discuss this further to support [Student’s Name] in reaching their full potential. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require further details or if a meeting would be beneficial.

Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,