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Dear Pardeep and Bim,

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On behalf of everyone here at the Anne Frank Trust, thank you so much for co-sponsoring our Creative Writing Awards. Your generous donation of £6,000 is greatly appreciated,

Thanks to your support with these special awards, in this time of lock-down, when people are separated from each other, we are able to inspire young people to write a poem, story, essay or article inspired by Anne Frank which shows how vital it is that we all live together with kindness, respect and equality. Especially as the situation unfolds in America.

We also really appreciate your support at this very difficult time as we all face uncertainties posed by this current pandemic. Our work to challenge all forms of prejudice and discrimination is especially relevant now. In February, two teenagers were arrested for racially aggravated assault, which included shouting, "I don't want your coronavirus in my country" at their victim, a student from Singapore who was left with broken bones as a result of their attack. Our message to young people, as we create online resources to stay in touch, is please 'do not let separation lead to discrimination'.

I look forward to seeing you both at future Anne Frank Trust events, once we return to normal working practices, but in the meantime, I hope you and your loved ones stay safe and well and please do not hesitate to contact me on 07383 557976 or by email Lara@annefrank.org.uk if you want to talk.

With warmest wishes,

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