



Our Ref: LTM/kmd/QEfuneral

13 September 2022

Dear Parent / Carer,

Re: School Closure – Monday 19th September 2022

Following the announcement from Buckingham Palace of the death of our sovereign, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, a period of National Mourning has started and will continue until the end of the State Funeral. This is a period for reflection in response to the death of the Sovereign; in school we will be coming together to celebrate her life and give thanks for all she gave to so many.

The official date of the State Funeral is Monday, 19th September 2022; as I am sure you know, this day will be a bank holiday, therefore school will be closed for both students and staff as a mark of respect.

Throughout this week, there will be activities taking place in a number of lessons following current events, alongside an assembly scheduled on Friday which will bring our whole school community together. Can I praise students for the respectful response they have given to the sad news over recent days, alongside staff who continue to give support while managing the impact of the news.

School will re-open on Tuesday, 20th September with all normal arrangements for the start of the school day in place.

Thank you as always for your support at this very sad time.

Yours faithfully

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Headteacher

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