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Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Our school community, along with the rest of the nation, have been greatly saddened by the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September.

The Queen has been a constant in our lives, epitomising the values of duty, service and devotion to this country and the Commonwealth. She was an era-defining head of state, a role she carried out with conviction, dignity and grace.

We have held special assemblies and lessons for pupils to reflect on the life and service of the Queen. Our Year 6 pupils have also written letters of condolences on behalf of the school, which we have sent to the Royal Family.

The official date of the State Funeral has been set for Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September, which will be a Bank Holiday. The Department of Education has advised that schools should close on that day as a mark of respect, therefore, I am writing to inform you that Vicarage Nursery and Primary School will be closed next Monday.

The year group parent meetings for Years 1 and 3 will now take place on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 9:00am.

Kind regards,

Ms S Khan  
Head Teacher

