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Dear Parents and Carers

Yesterday we heard the incredibly sad news that Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, had passed away at Balmoral in the late afternoon.

On behalf of our all in our trust; schools, children staff, governance and communities, we have sent our formal condolences to the Royal Family and our thoughts and prayers are very much with the King and the other members of the family at this very sad and difficult time.

Queen Elizabeth has been an inspirational figure and a source of great stability for our country. Her strong moral leadership and service to the people of the United Kingdom throughout the many years of her long reign has shaped the very nature of our country.

Moreover, she has always shown a deep interest and real delight in young people, especially when meeting them and hearing of their lives, successes, and achievements. The many special aspects of her character are and will continue to be an example and an inspiration to young people.

Her Majesty was held in high regard by all; she will be sorely missed by all of us in the United Kingdom and by very many people all around the world.

I know many of us will continue to share wonderful memories of a very special person over the coming days and weeks and The Learning Alliance will observe appropriate national commemoration and mourning for Her Majesty.

Later, the trust and its schools will mark appropriately aspects and characteristics of the Queen, her service and her long reign in more permanent ways.

In the meantime, all at The Learning Alliance will continue to be thankful for the service to the nation of Queen Elizabeth and will continue to hold our new King and the royal family in our thoughts and prayers.



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