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Dear parents/carers

## Re: The death of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II

As an Academy community we express our deepest sympathies for the passing of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II. Her dedication to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and to her other realms and territories is unparalleled, and we thank her for her service.

Our Academy will observe the mourning period but continue to support our students, families, and staff. As a mark of respect, we are flying our flags at half mast and have amended our social media profiles. Further, in line with protocol, we will minimise our external communications – including our social media output.

Unless otherwise informed, please assume any activities and events we have scheduled will continue as planned. The Academy will be open as normal as we await further details regarding Her Majesty's funeral. I will provide a further update on any operational changes once this information is in the public domain.

We will keep students informed of the latest news, recognise Her Majesty's death and celebrate her life through our coaching and assembly programmes.

Please contact us if you believe your child may need additional support as a result of these events.

Yours sincerely

Ged Rae Principal