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Dear Parents/Carers,

Bank Holiday – Monday 19th September

I am writing to inform you that following confirmation of the state funeral for Queen Elizabeth II on Monday 19th September 2022, this day has now been assigned as a bank holiday. Therefore school and college will be closed.

As advised in my letter on Friday, her death may also trigger memories for your child so please let us know if they need any additional support. If children and young people are upset, online resources can be accessed at Minded (www.minded.org.uk) and Winston's Wish (winstonswish.org). They both provide sources of information to support children and young people to manage death and loss.

School and college will reopen on Tuesday 20th September.

Best Wishes

Vanessa

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