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It is with deep sorrow that we acknowledge the passing of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II.

Queen Elizabeth has been a reassuring constant throughout our lives, ascending to the throne on 6 February 1952, making her the longest-reigning monarch in British history. Over the past 70 years, Her Majesty has been dedicated to the service of our country and the Commonwealth, demonstrating an enormous sense of duty and commitment.

Our thoughts are very much with the Royal Family at this time, as the country comes together to pay tribute and remember Queen Elizabeth II.

Dear Parent / Guardian,

It is with deep sadness that our first newsletter of the new school year is written in tribute to Queen Elizabeth II. In form time this morning, our daily collective worship reflects the mood of the nation as we absorb the news overnight of the passing of our long-serving Monarch. Schools now await direction from the Department for Education on measures which should be taken during the period of mourning into which we have entered. Currently, schools have been asked to remain open. We

have already taken our own decision to mark the historic event by erecting a commemorative display to Her Majesty in our foyer.

The centre piece of the display will be a book of condolence, which we invite staff and pupils to sign.

Parents are most welcome to come into school to sign the book if they would like to.

We will write to inform you when the display is completed. Below, is a link to a detailed obituary for Queen Elizabeth which I invite you to click on if your family would like to reflect on the life of a much-loved Monarch who has been part of all of our lives for all of our lives.

[Obituary: Queen Elizabeth II - BBC News](#)

Yours sincerely,



Mr C Horrocks
Headteacher