

13<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Dear Parents

On behalf of The Bishop of Winchester Academy we express our deepest sympathies for the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. Her commitment to Great Britain and the Commonwealth is unprecedented and her service unparalleled and I am sure you will join us in thanking her for her service to our country.

The academy will observe the mourning period whilst continuing to support all the children and staff in our care. Unless advised otherwise all activities that have already been scheduled will continue as planned.

We will observe the national bank holiday scheduled for Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2022 for Queen Elizabeth's funeral, which means we will be closed for that day, otherwise we will continue as normal.

On Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September we will take some time during Period 5 to commemorate the Life of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

If you, or any of your children need any support due to the passing of Queen Elizabeth II, please do not hesitate to let us know so we can support you as best as possible.

As you may be aware the academy will be holding the annual Open Evening next Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September. In order to facilitate this the academy will be closing at 1.30pm. Students will be able have the lunch menu at break time (11.00-11.30pm) before their final 2 lessons for the day.

Whilst writing I would also like to advise you of our inset days for this academic year:

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2023

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2023

You will be able to find full details of term dates on our website.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes



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