



# Grasmere Primary School

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Dear parents and carers,

As I am sure many of you are aware, the funeral of Queen Elizabeth II will be held on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September. This has now been confirmed as a Bank Holiday, and so school will be closed on that day.

One of our children spoke very eloquently in assembly on Friday about the Queen, and how sad she was about the event of her death. It was a very special moment for all the children and staff in the hall at that point. As a school we are putting together a book of condolences, so if any families would like to add to that, please prepare something on paper, and we will add it to the book.

Equally, if you think your child might need a little extra support around this period of mourning, please do let your child's class teacher know.

We have also been advised to postpone other events during this mourning period. We will therefore be postponing our International Evening which was scheduled for Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September at 3.30pm. Pembe and Burcu will be rescheduling, so please look out for a message from them about a new date, and how to get involved.

Thank you everyone.

Best wishes,

Neela



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