



# Oaklands Infant and Junior Schools



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Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Her Majesty's Funeral – Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2022**

Following the sad news concerning Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II which was announced towards the end of last week, there was a further announcement over the weekend regarding her State funeral which will now be on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September.

The Department of Education has this week informed all schools and colleges to close as a mark of respect, as that date will now be declared a bank holiday. We will therefore be closed on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September and will re-open as normal on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September.

Both schools have held special assemblies to commemorate our Queen's life and achievements as a monarch who reigned for the longest time ever known, achieving a unique 70 years! Our children will have remembered our Platinum Jubilee celebrations towards the end of last year celebrating her reign and the book that was given to every child about her life as a keepsake for such a wonderful achievement.

Yours faithfully,

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