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Dear Parents,

RE is a subject which broadens the children's knowledge and enables them to have an understanding, respect and tolerance for different cultures, which is particularly important in our society. The subject also helps children to think about the big questions of life and look at how different religions answer them.

Our topic this term is called Journey of Life, where the children explore life milestones, both religious and non-religious. We have already covered celebrations and rituals for a new baby and from next week we will discuss weddings and marriage. After half term we will then go on to look at the different rituals and beliefs about death and the afterlife, including ideas about heaven and reincarnation. We will approach the subject sensitively and be respectful of all the different views.

We are writing to inform you about this topic so you can support your child at home, as they may ask you some questions about what we have covered in class.

If you would like to find out about the lessons in more detail, then you are very welcome to come in and talk to us about it

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Nicola Turner

