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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very pleased to announce that we use Tapestry as our online learning journal provider.

Tapestry introduction

Ecclesfield Primary School ensures that all children attending the Early Years Foundation Stage have a personal online Learning Journey which records photos, observations and comments. This is to build up a record of each child's achievements during their time with us. It will also show children's developmental progress throughout their time in the EYFS.

Tapestry allows you to login with a secure username and password so that you can view all your children's observations, photographs and videos. You can like and comment on observations that we add for your child, and it's also possible for you to add your own observations. Your comments and own observations will allow us to find out about which activities your child really enjoyed and the learning they get up to at home.

Tapestry access and permission

In order for us to give you access to your child's journal, we need your permission to share your name and email address with the system.

You will only have access to your child's journal, and this cannot be seen by other parents. However, children in the class will sometimes be photographed with others as they work together; these photos will appear blurred in the children's journals. Once the Learning Journal is set up, we ask that you do not share photos or videos from your child's book on social media or through other online platforms.

If you give your permission, we will set you up with your own individual account using your email address that you gave to school on the admission form. This account will be directly linked to your child's account, which means you will only be able to see observations that include your child.













You will then be able to login with your email address and password to either the browser version of Tapestry (tapestryjournal.com) or to the app. Tapestry has apps for iOS, Android and Amazon Fire devices. If you choose to use the app, after you login initially, you can use a 4-digit PIN to quickly log back in.

Tapestry securely stores all the data we input to our account on their servers. If you want to find out more information about how Tapestry keeps our data safe and secure, you just need to go to <u>Security | Tapestry.</u>

If you would like to proceed, please complete the ParentPay entitled "Tapestry Permission" by 11.59pm on Friday 28th November 2025. Once this has been received, we will then provide you with details about how to access and use your Tapestry account.

We do hope you enjoy using Tapestry, further information can be found in our Tapestry policy and on their website https://support.tapestry.info/parents-carers/. As always, please do let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support,

The Foundation Stage Team











