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Dear Parents/Carers

As we have entered a new framework in Early Years' education, we have carefully considered and reflected on how we observe our children within our learning through play opportunities.

Here at Broadstone First, we strongly adhere to doing what is right for the child and ensuring we make calculated decisions before changing our practice.

Previously, much teacher time was spent taking photos and writing up evidence of children's achievements.

Whereas, now the government has acknowledged that there are better ways of impacting children's progress.

Therefore, at Broadstone First School, we have developed a robust, systematic monitoring system that enables us to assess your child's learning and identify their next steps.

To give the children the best learning experience, we will no longer use Tapestry, enabling us to have a more focused and rich interaction with each child as they develop their understanding.

We believe this to be a really positive move, and puts the children at the centre of everything we do

Parent interaction is very important to us, and we really want to share the incredible learning which takes place. Our next step is to think of ways in which we can involve you at home in your child's learning whilst maintaining our belief of putting the children's needs above all else. In the meantime, if you wish to get in contact with us, or find out more about what your child is learning in school, please do either catch us on the door in the mornings or send us an email.

Best wishes

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