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Dear Parents and Carers,

Tapestry – Online Learning Journeys

We are very pleased to announce our online learning journeys are ready for you to access. As part of the admission packs, before your child started school, you provided us with your permission to create an individual 'learning journey' for your child through a piece of educational software called 'Tapestry'. Along with your permission, we asked for an email address to which we will send you a **time-sensitive** link to set up an account enabling you to access your child's learning journey via the secure Tapestry website and mobile app (please note each parent only has access to their own child's Learning Journey). By logging on with a secure username and password you will be able to view your children's observations, photographs and even videos from their time in Reception.

At Coleham Primary School we believe partnership with parents is of paramount importance, therefore in addition to viewing our contributions, we strongly encourage you to add to your child's learning journal by uploading photos and comments about your child and their achievements at home. Typical uploads from parents in the past include events such as, a child riding their bike for the first time or sharing a new interest or hobby. It's also a wonderful opportunity to share with us how a child replicates some of the skills they have learnt in school, such as them reading a new book or demonstrating a new maths skill. We do genuinely love hearing about the things children learn at home, and Tapestry is an excellent platform to do.

Whilst Tapestry is a communication platform between home and school, we do discourage using it to share messages such as, home time arrangements or general messages for the teacher. In this instance, we would recommend emailing your child's class teacher or contacting the school office.

For information on how to setup your child's Tapestry account, we have attached some further guidance with this letter.

Finally, please do check your email addresses frequently to find the time-sensitive link to setup your account.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Harris

Early Years Foundation Stage Leader