



TAPESTRY

ONLINE LEARNING JOURNAL



We hope that you find Tapestry a helpful link between home and school. We are keen to ensure you are informed about what your child is learning in school.

In order to maintain a safe and successful launch of Tapestry across our school, we wanted to highlight some key intentions around its use.

What will Tapestry be used for?

In EYFS, Tapestry is used more frequently for daily updates on learning and to support transition into our school. As children are learning through play, there will be more occasions to share practical learning between home and school.

In Year 1, Tapestry is used to share practical learning or key information. It is also used to share phonics information and for quick messages between family and school around learning, settling or celebrating success. Staff will share a minimum of three updates per week.

From Year 2-Year 6, staff will share a minimum of three updates per week linked to learning in Literacy, Maths and the Wider Curriculum. It is also a chance for families to share home learning and celebrate success.

For 1:1 SEN children, Tapestry is a daily journal, used to communicate about learning, targets and key events. Tapestry is also used to assess children on their individual learning paths.

Key information about the use of Tapestry

Tapestry is a platform to **celebrate success** in learning.



Tapestry can be used to **send quick messages** to the teachers. Teachers will respond with a thumbs up to acknowledge receipt.

Tapestry is **not to be used if you have a complaint or worry** about your child's learning. In this instance, you should use this [contact us page](#)

If you respond to a group observation (containing more than one child), other families can see your response and this is not a private platform.

If you want to send a **private message**, you must start a **new observation**.

Some messages will be sent using a 'memo'. You will get the same notification on the app but the message will prohibit responses e.g. whole school letters, information sharing.

Teachers will only respond within their working hours (8:30-4pm) and within two working days.



If you have any **urgent messages for school**, these must go to the school office using info@swanwick.derbysire.sch.uk or by telephoning 01773602268.

We have acted on parental feedback and hope you find Tapestry useful!