

DOTHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear parent/carer,

In order to support our children's well-being and mental health I am planning some group work to support children who have been bereaved. These sessions will be activity based and we will be thinking about memories of the person they have lost, considering emotions, support networks in place for them and so on. We have some lovely resources in school to support our work in this area.

There are lots of children who I know have lost people close to them recently but I'm sure there are more who I don't know about. If you would like your child to attend a group please have a chat with them and see whether they are ready, we all grieve on different timescales and they might not be ready to share yet. If that's the case they may be ready next time we ask and that is absolutely fine. If they do express a desire to be included please either send me an email at Karen.sturmey3@taw.org.uk or send a note into school to let me know. Some brief detail about who has died and their relationship to your child would be helpful too. Once the groups start we will be asking for photographs of the person who died so that we can use them in activities, these will be photocopied and returned as quickly as possible.

Kind regards,

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