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Tapestry survey asks early years workforce about their wellbeing, engagement with families and AI

The annual survey, in its sixth year, is keen to hear from as many early years educators as possible.

Tapestry, the childhood education platform and management system, has launched its [annual survey](#) and is keen to hear from as many early years educators as possible. This year, the survey is focused on three themes: parental engagement, staff wellbeing and artificial intelligence (AI).

Engaging parents and carers is a continual priority for settings and the survey asks questions about their approaches, particularly with families who experience barriers to engagement. It also delves into how communications with families have evolved since the pandemic, and asks whether settings provide play ideas and resources for parents and carers to use at home.

Given the government's commitment to growing early years provision, the survey asks respondents about how they feel about working in the early years. Topics about what respondents enjoy most, what they find hardest, and overall how they feel about their role, are all tackled in the survey.

AI is already impacting many sectors in both positive, and not so positive ways, and the survey asks educators about their use of AI and whether they have any concerns about the use of AI in the early years.

Dr Helen Edwards, co-founder of Tapestry, said: *"I am particularly interested to hear how settings are working with families. As a former teacher and nursery owner I know it can be a challenge to develop the right strategies to support all your families to feel able to engage. It will also be interesting to compare previous survey findings and explore how parental engagement has evolved since the pandemic."*

The survey is open until 30th May 2025 and can be accessed here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TF5B5LQ>

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About Tapestry

Tapestry is the original, and leading, childhood education platform, providing an online learning journal and management system for early years settings and primary schools. It helps educators to celebrate children and engage families in mainstream and SEND provision. Tapestry keeps parents and carers in touch with how their child is doing, enables educators to build a picture of each child's development and interests, and provides the tools for the daily running of a setting.

Tapestry is used in more than 40 countries, and supports over 14,000 schools and settings - more than any other platform. It was launched in 2012 by the edtech company Foundation Stage Forum and is based in Lewes, UK.

Tapestry is the brainchild of husband and wife team, technologist Steve Edwards and educator Dr Helen Edwards. Both regularly write and speak about education and technology, and they continue to support initiatives like the APPG for Childcare and Early Education.

Tapestry has been shortlisted for the Bett Awards and TeachPrimary Awards and most recently was ranked number 3 in Business Cloud's EdTech 50.

For more information visit: <https://tapestry.info>