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Dear Parents and Carers

As we are fast approaching the end of a successful and happy year I am aware of how busy we all are. We have lots of exciting events, both in and out of school and I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of our Safeguarding and E-Safety Policy.

All schools **have** to seek parental consent for media permission e.g. website, prospectus and newspapers. Parents or carers may have good reason why their children's photos should not be shared and **all** schools must adhere to this.

I understand that you may wish to share special events with friends and families, but I would like to ask you to consider the rights of other parents who do not want their children's photos to be published on social media sites such as Facebook or Twitter for good reasons. The best approach would be, to only share photos of children with the parents and carers you have consulted with, who are in agreement.

I appreciate that this is an emotive subject and we all have our own opinions on this matter, however I am sure as a caring, tight knit community we can respect each other's wishes. Our policy follows guidelines set out by Leicestershire County Councils' Safeguarding team who work tirelessly to ensure all children have a safe and happy childhood.

With kind regards

Mrs Marie Waring
Headteacher