## COOMBE HILL INFANTS' SCHOOL

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## Learn together, grow together

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## Please do not share Christmas photographs and videos

At this lovely time of year when your child is taking part in their Christmas performances, we understand as parents, the need to share these precious moments.

As a school we also have a duty to protect all of the children in our care.

Social media is a part of our everyday life and as parents we love to talk and share information about our own child. However we must remain mindful of other children, as their parents may not have given permission for their child's image to be shared.

May I take this opportunity to remind you of the "Parent Consent Form" that all parents are asked to complete and sign, when your child joins the school.

It is your responsibility to refrain from sharing the videos and any photographs that we send you and that appear in my weekly newsletter and/or information about other children on social media.

We have a number of children in the school that cannot have their images shared for legal reasons or to help keep them safe in their new environment.

Our overriding priority is to ensure that our lovely festive events do not lead, either directly or indirectly, to anything that may potentially endanger the safety of the children at our school.

We thank you for your understanding and appreciate your cooperation.

Yours sincerely

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Janet Berry

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Safeguarding is Everyone's Responsibility

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