



Consent form for taking and using photos and storing names through online educational websites

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Dear Parents & Carers

At St Mary Queen of Martyrs VC Academy we sometimes take photographs of pupils. We use these photos on the school’s website, internal communications, promotional material, displays around school, authorised social media channels such as Twitter and media events. We may also make video recordings for educational use.

We would like your consent to take photos of your child, and use them in the ways described above. If you’re not happy for us to do this, that’s no problem – we will accommodate your preferences. In addition to this we would like to ask your permission to store your child’s name on education subscription based websites such as SeeSaw, Timestable Rockstars and The Spelling Shed. These websites will be used regularly in school and enhance learning.

Please tick the relevant box(es) below and return this form to school.

- I am happy for the school to take photographs of my child.
- I am happy for photos of my child to be used on the school website.
- I am happy for photos of my child to be used in the school newsletter.
- I am happy for photos of my child to be used in the school prospectus.
- I am happy for photos of my child to be used in internal displays.
- I am happy for photos of my child to be used in external media e.g. Local or Diocese newspaper press release
- I am happy for photos of my child to be used in the school’s Twitter account
- I am happy for my child’s name to be used on school subscription educational websites

If you change your mind at any time, you can let us know by contacting the school office. If you have any other questions, please get in touch.

Why are we asking for your consent again?

You may be aware that there are new data protection rules. To ensure we are meeting the new requirements, we need to re-see your consent to take and use photos of your child. We really value using photos of pupils, to be able to showcase what pupils do in school and show what life at our school is like to others, so we would appreciate you taking the time to give consent again. We also value the use of web based resources in aiding learning.

Child’s name: _____

Year Group: _____

Parent or Carer’s signature: _____

Date: _____