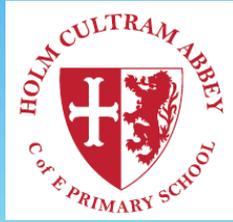
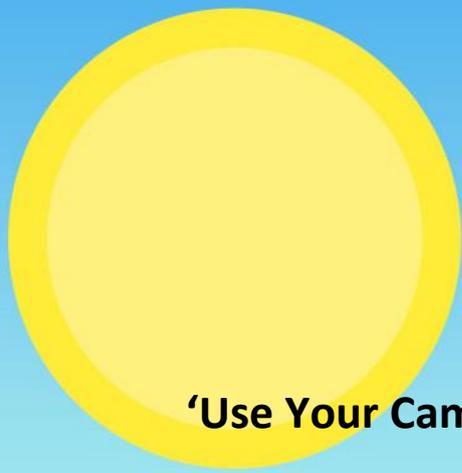


FAO; Parents/Carers

Use of photography or video recording of school activities

As stated in our behaviour policy and home school agreement, please remember:

- ◆ Parents and carers can use photographs and videos taken at a school event for their own personal use only. Such photos and videos must not be sold and must not be put on Social Media websites (e.g. Facebook etc.) or on any other websites unless all faces and identifiable features are obscured.
 - ◆ Photographs and video recording may only take place in the designated areas - please see a member of staff for details.
 - ◆ If you are using a video camera, please do not obscure other people's view.
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'Use Your Camera and Video Courteously'

A guide for parents who wish to use photography and/or video a school event

Generally photographs and videos for school and family use are a source of innocent pleasure and pride, which can make children, young people and their families feel good about themselves. By following some simple guidelines we can proceed safely and with regard to the law.

- Remember that parents/carers and others, attend school events at the invitation of the head and governors.
- The Head teacher and governors are responsible for deciding if photography and videoing of school performances is permitted.
- The Head teacher and governors are responsible for deciding on the conditions that will apply so that children are kept safe and that the performance is not disrupted and children and staff not distracted.
- Parents and carers can use photographs and videos taken at a school event for their own personal use only. As stated in our behaviour policy and home school agreement, such photos and videos must not be sold and must not be put on Social Media websites (e.g. Facebook etc.) or on any other websites/internet. To do so would likely break Data Protection legislation.
- Parents and carers must follow guidance from staff as to when photography and videoing is permitted and where to stand in order to minimise disruption to the activity.
- Parents and carers must not photograph or video children changing for performances or events.
- If you are accompanied or represented by people that school staff do not recognise they may need to check who they are, if they are using a camera or video recorder.
- Remember that for images taken on mobiles phones the same rules apply as for other photography, you should recognise that any pictures taken are for personal use only and must not be shared without the permission of the parents/guardians of the children in the photograph.

