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Dear Parents/Carers

Chamber Choir

I hope your child has told you that they are part of this year's Chamber Choir. I have been so impressed with how the choir have started. As you can imagine, we have very little idea of what performances may happen this year and we are sure that those that do will be very different to previous years. Please be assured we are keeping a close eye on national guidance and adapting our music in school to keep all of our school community safe.

Choir Video

We are anticipating that most, if not all performances this year, will be virtual and so we are seeking your permission to film the children to put on our website or share with selected trusted partners for educational or competition purposes. Where this is the case, we will ensure that appropriate child protection procedures of these partners are in place.

I occasionally hear about opportunities for the choir to take part in local and national competitions. In order to do this, we are asked to send a clip of the children performing. At some point during the year I will film the choir ready for this.

We will create a video of the children singing which can then sit on our school website. It will show as a YouTube link but will be on a school account that cannot be accessed from YouTube. Any uploaded clips would not contain children's names.

If you do **not** wish your child to be filmed, we will do everything we can to allow them to take part off-camera.

Visit to St. Nicholas Church

We have been asked by Reverend Marion to record some songs for the church Christmas services. We have checked guidance and have planned to visit St. Nicholas on Thursday 3rd December to do this. This will be done in school time and we will send a reminder before the event. If guidance changes before the visit, we will adapt our plans accordingly.

Yours sincerely

Miss S Goldsmith

Chamber Choir

Please complete and return to Miss Goldsmith

Childs Name:	Class:
I give permission for my child to be filmed for the school website and this Internet link to be used to showcase the choir.	for
<u>or</u>	
I ask that my child is not seen on any recordings made.	
I give permission for my child to walk to St. Nicholas on Thursday 3 rd December in school time.	
Signed (Parent):	Date: