

# Photography and Images of Children

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Throughout the school year there may be occasions when students will be photographed or filmed for example when taking part in school visits, drama and musical performances, sporting activities, prize evenings. Some photographs will be used for displays around the building and in our school brochures. They may also be used in lessons to enhance learning or to evaluate performance. As a Creative Media Arts School, we welcome these opportunities and hope that you do too. Photography or filming will only take place with the permission and supervision of a teacher.

Occasionally, there may be other circumstances, falling outside the normal day to day activities of the school, in which pictures of children are requested. The school recognises that in such circumstances specific consent from a Parent or Guardian will be required before any photography or filming of children is permitted. This rule will also be followed should the news/media wish to publicise some of the school's activities. Again permission for this will be sought separately. On these occasions students will only be named if there is a particular reason to do so (e.g. they have won a prize). Home addresses will never be given out.

## To Opt Out

We believe that celebration and positive publicity benefits all involved with the school and hope that you concur with this. However, **if you do not wish your child to be photographed or filmed** please inform the Data Manager by emailing [jsjewell@bealhighschool.co.uk](mailto:jsjewell@bealhighschool.co.uk) or telephoning 020 8418 2641.

You may withdraw consent at any time.