



St Chad's C.E. (C) Primary School Standard Photography and Video Consent Form

This form explains the reasons why and how St Chad's CE Primary School may use images and videos of your child. Please read the form thoroughly and outline your agreement as appropriate and return to school immediately.

The school's full policy- 'Camera and Use of Digital Images and Videos Policy' is available on the school website www.st-chads-newcastle.staffs.sch.uk

Name of Pupil	
Name of Parent/ Carer	
Year Group and Class	

Why do we need your consent?

St Chad's C.E. Primary School requests the consent of parents on an annual basis to use images and videos of their child for a variety of different purposes.

Without your consent, the school will not use images and videos of your child. Similarly, if there are only certain conditions under which you would like images and videos of your child to be used, the school will abide by the conditions you outline in this form.

Why do you we use images and videos of your child?

St Chad's C.E. Primary School uses images and videos of pupils as part of school displays to celebrate school life and pupils' achievements; to promote the school on social media and on the school's website; and for other publicity purposes in printed publications, such as newspapers.

Where the school uses images of individual pupils, the name of the pupil **will not** be disclosed. Where an individual pupil is named in a written publication, a photograph of the pupil **will not** be used to accompany the text.

If, for example, a pupil has won an award and their parent would like their name to be published alongside their image, **separate consent** will be obtained prior to this.

Who else uses images and videos of your child?

It is common that the school is visited by local media and press, who take images or videos of school events, such as sports days. Pupils will appear in these images and

videos, and these may be published in local or national newspapers, or on approved websites.

The following organisations may use images and videos of your children:

- Local newspapers including 'The Sentinel'

Where any organisations other than those above intend to use images or videos of your child, **additional consent** will be sought before any image or video is used.

What are the conditions of use?

- This consent form is valid for the current 2019/2020 academic year.
- It is the responsibility of parents to inform the school, in writing, if consent needs to be withdrawn or amended.
- The school will not use the personal details or full names of any pupil in an image or video, on our website or any other printed publications.
- The school will not include personal emails or postal addresses, telephone or fax numbers on images or videos on our website or any other printed publications.
- The school may use pictures of pupils and teachers that have been drawn by pupils.
- The school may use work created by pupils.
- The school may use group or class images or videos with general labels, e.g. 'sports day'.
- The school will only use images and videos of pupils who are suitably dressed, i.e. it would not be suitable to display an image of a pupil in swimwear.
- The school may take images of your child which are available to purchase annually.
- At public events in school, staff will announce that parents can take photographs and videos but **MUST NOT** place any of the videos or photographs on the internet or social media and must be for personal use only. Breach of this will result in individual parents being prevented from attending any further school events

Providing your consent

- Please read the following conditions thoroughly and provide your consent as appropriate by ticking either 'Yes' or 'No' for each criteria.
- The school will **only** publish images and videos of your child for the conditions that you provide consent for.

I provide consent to:	Yes	No
Photographing and videoing my child for use in school (This includes school displays, presentations to parents, photographs taken on visits, at sports events, in church etc). This includes use of these photographs and videos in school, after the child has left the school.		
Using images of my child on the school website.		
Using videos of my child on the school website.		
In newspapers and magazines (Please be advised when making your decision that newspapers often ask to use children's names in their articles)		
Using images of my child in school marketing material eg school prospectus		
Sharing my child's data with a school-appointed external photography company (Tempest) for official school images. This includes the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Name• Class		

Refreshing your consent

This form is valid for the entire academic year, 2019/2020 - it will be updated on an annual basis. Parents are required to fill in a new form for their child every academic year.

Consent will also be refreshed where any changes to circumstances occur - this can include, but is not limited to, the following:

- Changes to a pupil's circumstances, e.g. safeguarding requirements mean a pupil's image cannot be used

- Changes to parental consent, e.g. amending the provisions for which consent has been provided for

Where you would like to amend the provisions for which consent has been provided, you must submit your request in writing to the headteacher. A new form will be supplied to you to amend your consent accordingly and provide a signature.

Withdrawing your consent

Parents have the right to withdraw their consent at any time. Withdrawing your consent will not affect any images or videos that have been shared prior to withdrawal.

If you would like to withdraw your consent, you must submit your request in writing to the headteacher.

Declaration

I, _____ (name of person with parental responsibility), understand:

- Why my consent is required.
- The reasons why St Chad's C.E. Primary School uses images and videos of my child.
- Which other organisations may use images and videos of my child.
- The conditions under which the school uses images and videos of my child.
- I have provided my consent above as appropriate, and the school will use images and videos of my child in line with my requirements.
- Consent is refreshed on an annual basis and I must re-provide consent if I consent to images and videos of my child being used in other academic years.
- I will be required to re-provide consent where any circumstances change.
- I can amend or withdraw my consent at any time and must do so in writing to the headteacher.

Name of person with parental responsibility:	
Signature:	
Date:	

If you have any questions regarding this form, please do not hesitate to contact the office staff at office@st-chads-newcastle.staffs.sch.uk or [01782 567750](tel:01782567750)