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Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: CHANGES TO OUR IMAGE CONSENT PROCEDURE FOR SIXTH FORM STUDENTS

As part of updated guidance from the John Taylor Multi-Academy Trust, we are introducing a new image and video consent process across our school and wider Trust.

The new system provides greater choice and flexibility, allowing individuals to decide exactly where images and videos may be used, including on our website, social media channels, newsletters and in the local press.

As students in Years 12 and 13 are considered young adults, they are able to make their own decisions regarding image and video consent. This week, we will therefore ask all Sixth Form students to complete a Microsoft Form to record their preferences and ensure our records are accurate and up to date.

Whilst the decision ultimately rests with the student, we strongly encourage them to discuss their preferences with you before submitting their response. We believe this provides a valuable opportunity for families to consider together how images and videos may be used to celebrate students' achievements and experiences.

For transparency, and so that you are aware of the information being shared with students, please click here to view the letter that has been sent to all Sixth Form students, which includes further details of the new process and instructions for completing the consent form.

This letter is intended to ensure that parents and carers are aware of this change and the process being followed. Should your child wish to update their preferences in the future, they will be able to do so at any time.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Ms N Mason
Headteacher