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To ensure that all parents are aware of the new arrangements concerning parents taking photos during School Productions, the Governing Body of Felmore Primary School have issued the following statement:

Photographs During School Productions

During School Productions we would expect parents to abide by the following rules. We know that most family members would like to have a record of these important events in their child's school life and we are happy for you to take photographs and short videos during performances. However, when taking photographs, we must follow certain rules to ensure the safety of all children in our school:

- Parents are not permitted to take photographs or videos for anything other than their own personal use*
- Do not post images or videos on social networks (Facebook, Instagram, YouTube etc) as these may include children who must not have their image online
- Please zoom in on your own child to minimise the number of other children who are included in your photos and videos
- Please be considerate of other people in the audience: turn off the sound on your camera or phone; only take short videos; do not use large screen devices that may distract others

As you know, parents signed a consent form giving permission for their children to be photographed by the school. We will, as usual, be posting pictures on Twitter and on our blogs as we are aware as a school which children have permission for the website and blogs.

*The Information Commissioner's Office states photographs taken by parents at school productions do not breach the Data Protection Act so long as they are **only for personal use**.

Thank you

