



WATTON AT STONE PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: changes to data protection law

You may be aware that from 25th May, the rules around data protection are changing. The 'General Data Protection Regulation' (GDPR) will change how we can use your personal data and keep it safe, and will also strengthen your rights over your own data.

The point of this is to make sure sensitive or private information about yourselves and your children stays safe. Whilst it is similar to the current Data Protection Act in many ways, there are a few differences, so we need to make some changes at the school to ensure we remain compliant.

We are updating our privacy notices which will be found in the policy section of the school website. As part of our work to comply with the GDPR, we are also re-seeking consent for using photographs and recordings of your child on our website, internal displays or other school materials/other consent request. On the reverse of this letter you will find a form that we would appreciate you filling in and returning to the school office by the 4th June.

We take data protection very seriously at Watton at Stone School. In line with GDPR requirements, Colin Cox – School Governor, will be our Data Protection Officer to oversee our approach to data management and protection.

To learn more about the General Data Protection Regulation, please visit the Information Commissioner's Office website on <http://ico.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely

Zoe Hussain

Headteacher

At Watton at Stone Primary & Nursery School a love of learning
and the raising of standards are our main priorities.
We believe in developing confident, considerate and responsible citizens.





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Photo Consent Form

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

At Watton at Stone Primary and Nursery School we sometimes take photographs of your children. We use these photos on our website, display boards around the school and on our monitor in the Reception area.

We would like your consent to take photos of your child and use them in the ways described above. If you are not happy for us to do this, that's no problem – we will accommodate your preferences.

Please tick the relevant box(es) below and return this form to the office.

I am happy for the school to take photographs of my child.

I am happy for photos of my child to be used on the school website.

I am happy for photos of my child to be used in internal displays.

I am happy for photos of my child to be used on school social media.

I am **NOT** happy for the school to take or use photos of my child.

If you change your mind at any time, you can let us know by emailing admin@wattonatstone.herts.sch.uk, calling the school on 01920 830233 or by visiting the school office.

If you have any other questions, please do get in touch.

Why we are asking for your consent again?

You may be aware that there are new data protection rules coming in from 25th May. To ensure we are meeting the new requirements, we need to re-seek your consent to take and use photos of your children. We really value using photos of children, to be able to showcase what children do in school and show what life at our school is like to others, so we would appreciate you taking the time to give consent again.

Parent/Carers Signature: _____

Date: _____