

MEDIA CONSENT – PUPIL

NOTE: This form should be completed by parent/carer for children aged 11 or under and by the child if aged 12 or over

1. Use of photographs and videos

During a student's time at the school, we gather information which we use for various purposes. A Privacy Notice has been provided to you in relation to the use of this information, which is available on the Trust website: www.tmet.uk

As part of school life, we sometimes take photographs or videos (which may include audio, such as a pupil's voice) to celebrate learning and achievements, share news with families, record important events and promote the school and Trust. Consent is required for the Trust and school to use photographs and videos for these purposes.

2. TMET approach to images on public facing platforms

From January 2026, TMET schools stopped using full facial images of pupils on school and Trust public facing platforms (e.g. public websites, social media or prospectuses) to safeguard from AI advances.

Please note that even where full faces are not shown, a pupil may still be identifiable.

Identifiable images may still be shared with families through closed, internal systems (e.g. Class Dojo) where appropriate.

3. Safety and storage

We take very seriously the issue of potential misuse of photographs and videos of our pupils, and have the following measures in place:

- Only images of children in appropriate dress will be recorded and shared.
- Staff are not allowed to take photographs or videos of pupils on their personal devices.
- Photographs and videos will be stored safely.

4. Not giving consent

You can choose not to give your consent. However, without consent we will not be able to use your child's image to celebrate their life at the school. You do not have to provide reasons for not giving your consent, but you are welcome to share additional information should you wish, so that we understand any concerns that you have and can take appropriate steps where possible.

5. Withdrawing consent

You may change or withdraw consent at any time by contacting the school office.

Withdrawal of consent will apply to the future use of photographs or videos and will not affect materials already in circulation.

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6. Confirmation of consent

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In order to celebrate my/my child’s achievements, to report on significant events and to promote the school/Trust, I am happy for the school/Trust to use:

- Photographs and videos of me/my child

These may include the child’s name, class and year group.

I understand these may be featured in the following ways:

- *Trust or school newsletters*
- *Trust or school presentations and celebration events*
- *Displays within the school or Trust office (which may also be seen by visitors)*
- *Trust or school social media accounts*
- *Trust or school websites or other publications*

Please tick one option:

I **give consent** for photographs and/or videos of me/my child to be captured and/or used for the purposes listed above.

I **do not give consent** for the school/Trust to capture or use me/my child’s image.

Student’s Name	
Student’s date of birth	
Parent/Carer signature (or student signature if aged 12 or over)	
Date	

If you need help understanding this form, please contact the school office.