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Dear Parent/Guardian

**PHOTOGRAPHY FOR PUBLICATION BY BARNSELY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

As a school, we and Barnsley Education Services have cause, on many occasions, to celebrate the achievements of children across the borough and will take every opportunity to maximise the impact of these success stories through the use of photographs.

**However, before publishing any photographs involving children, the school and the council must seek your approval, as any photographs selected are likely to appear in council literature, local press and on the BMBC or other appropriate websites for publicity/promotional purposes.**

I am writing to ask for your approval to release any photographs that might include your child, at any stage in his/her school life, to Education Services for promotional purposes. If you give your consent at this stage, it will not be necessary for either the school or Education Services to seek further approval as your child progresses through school. Your signed consent will remain on your child's records, unless, at a later date, you decide that you no longer wish your child's photographs to be released to the press. If this is the case, we will make a record to that effect in your child's file.

Yours sincerely

M Gilmore  
Head Teacher

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**Please return to: Barugh Green School**

**MEDIA CONSENT FORM**

**\*I give/do not give permission for:**

Any photographs including ..... CHILD'S NAME

.....SCHOOL

to be taken and published by Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council.

*I understand the photograph could be featured in documents that are widely distributed throughout the borough and that Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council accepts no liability for any damage, loss, expense, cost or other detriment whatsoever or howsoever caused, which might occur as a result of the Council making use of the photograph.*

**SIGNATURE OF CONSENT** .....

**PARENT/GUARDIAN** ..... **DATE**