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Dear Parents/Guardians

Smart Watches in School

We have recently been informed that smart watches can record and the newer versions of smart watches for children can take photographs. This obviously has caused us some concern with regards to breaches of confidentiality which might be caused quite innocently by children recording voices around them, breaching our school Privacy Notices (GDPR) with regards to permissions given to take photographs and safeguarding of children's images as well as children recording or taking pictures of others without their permission. With this in mind we are asking children not to wear smart watches to school.

The children can as always wear a standard watch to school if they choose to do so and continue to wear their fitness trackers, as long as they take personal responsibility for their device and that the fitness tracker is not attached to a smart watch.

Mrs Brewer has spoken to all the children in Year 4 about this.

Yours sincerely

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