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Christ is the centre of our school community where we live, love and learn together.

Wednesday 1st December 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian(s)

EYFS & Key Stage 1 Nativity Performance 2021

The Nativity performance is always a very special, eagerly anticipated event in school, especially for our Reception children who have not long joined us. Staff and children work extremely hard to learn their lines, stage positions and songs in the run up to Christmas and are always so excited to perform for their families.

Recent headlines, a new variant and changes to guidance relating to Covid-19 has forced us think carefully about mitigating the risk of to our staff, pupils, parents and wider community.

With this in mind, it is with great sadness to notify you that we will not be able to welcome parents to watch this years' Nativity performance in person. The risk to everyone's health and Christmas break is not one we are willing to take lightly.

The Nativity performance will be recorded. Parents will receive a keepsake booklet containing the story of the Nativity, images of the children during their performance and QR codes that link to videos of each scene in order. This was the way in which the Nativity and our carol services was presented last year and means you will always have access to those videos of your children.

As the booklet will be going to all parents of Reception and Key Stage 1 children, we must ask you to consent to your child appearing in the video. **If you do NOT give consent for your child to appear in the video performance, please email enquiry@sttommor.bham.sch.uk stating your child's name and class no later than Sunday 5th December 2021.**

Thank you for your patience and continued support,

K Madia
Principal


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