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Use of mobile phones in the school building

Dear Parent/Carer,

We have recently been looking at and updating all of our safeguarding policies and procedures, one of which is the use of mobile phones in school. These are always prohibited by staff around the children and through recent concerns that have been raised, the decision has been made for this to be the case for all parents/carers in school too, due to safeguarding concerns.

As I am sure you will all agree, the safeguarding of all children at Wesley is a high priority and to ensure that every child is happy and safe in school. Therefore, it will not be permitted to use your phone when within the school building and not to take any photos of the children during performances or assemblies. You will have the opportunity to have individual photos of your children following any activity in school, however we ask that this does not take place during so that we can ensure that other children are not involved in your personal photos and thus reduces any safeguarding concerns that we have.

I appreciate it is a lovely moment to have on camera, however the most important part to your child is that you were present and enjoyed the experience with them. I do hope you understand the need for this decision and ultimately it will keep all our children safer in school.

I thank you for your continued support,

Mr R Jones
Headteacher

