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Dear Parents of Badgers and Foxes classes,

We are excited to announce that, whilst many events are sadly being cancelled this year, our nativity is still happening! We are going to perform a traditional Christmas story along with lots of singing and dancing. Due to Covid-19, we will unfortunately not be able to welcome families in to the church to watch our usual performance. There will be a live performance for children in Otters and Owls, and our playgroup children, with appropriate social-distancing measures in place. The performance will also be filmed professionally, for parents. We will share the footage via a secure link on an appropriate online platform - more details to follow.

In order to film your child, we will require your written permission. Please complete and return the permission slip below by Friday 27th November 2020. Please note that, if you do not wish your child to be filmed, they will not be able to take part in the live performance (although of course we will involve them in all other parts of the process).

Sadly, due to Covid, we are unable to have parent volunteers working with us this year.

A few details for your information:

- Costumes: You will receive a note specifying the costume your child needs to wear and this should be in school by Friday 4th December ready for our dress rehearsal. This should be brought in inside a labelled bag with your child's name and class. Costumes will remain in school to minimise risk of virus contamination
- Lines: Please ensure you practice any lines with your child to help them feel confident on the stage.
- Donations: We would greatly appreciate a voluntary contribution of £3 to meet some of the costs of engaging a member of the community, to be paid via Parent Pay

We look forward to sharing this Christmas treat with you and thank you for your continued support.

Miss Kibble and Mrs Saddington

I give/do not give (*delete as applicable*) my permission for (child's name) to be filmed for the Christmas Nativity and for this film to be shared via a secure online platform available only to members of our school community.

Signed:Date

Relationship to child:.....

