



Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, I would like to thank you for your emails. As a school we are proud of relationship with our parents and carers and we always welcome your honest feedback.

We too are very disappointed that we are unable to invite you to attend the Nativities. This is a decision that has been taken out of our hands so we share your frustration. We did contact you regarding the possibility of recording the performances, however this was just an initial fact-finding exercise to see if this was feasible before looking into gaining permission for recording and posting online. Unfortunately, the number of permissions not granted would not make it viable to record with those children missing.

We fully appreciate the effort that children and staff put into preparing the Nativities. We value the support that you give in helping the children learn their lines and songs as well as making costumes. We would hate for this to go to waste so the children will be performing on stage for other classes to watch.

The planned singing for parents and carers was our way to try and share at least something from the Nativity. We understand that isn't the same as seeing the children perform on stage but in the circumstances, it is the best that we can provide.

We hope that you can see the difficult situation we are in. Our aim is for the children to enjoy the time up to Christmas as much as possible. We hope that by inviting you to see the children to sing, this will help to make a difficult situation as magical as possible.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr M Cohen
Assistant Head Teacher