

## Monksmoor Park CE Primary School

Headteacher: Mrs Katie Towers

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our ongoing commitment to continued professional development for all staff in school, we will be introducing the use of video in classroom.

The practice of videoing lessons has been used for some years throughout Primary and Secondary schools as it is an invaluable way for teachers to view teaching and learning from a different perspective.

Traditional lesson observations require an additional adult in the classroom which can impact on the behaviours and actions of both children and staff. However, video will capture a more natural picture. Staff can then watch together and discuss ways to improve teaching and learning.

We will utilise a small camera which will be placed in the corner of the room. All video captured will be saved on an SD card (not in a cloud) and will be deleted once viewed.

The process will be discussed with the children and we will share with them the purpose of the video – to find the best ways to help them learn. We have always told the children in our school that adults are learners too and this is another way to help them to be the best teachers they can be.

We aim to begin within the next few weeks. If you would like to discuss this further, or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Stewart or myself.

Yours sincerely,

Katie Towers Headteacher







