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Dear Parents/Carers

You may be aware that we use an online tool called Earwig to track and record children's progress in school through a series of time-based records which include images, documents and video. You can learn more about Earwig here - <https://earwigacademic.com>

These are presented as a timeline for any class, subject or pupil and provides a great opportunity for us to provide parents with a window into the activities that your children are taking part in.

No-one who does not have a login has any access to the Earwig platform and each parent can only see the timelines relating to their own children. However, it is strongly recommended that you do not share these images on social media, especially if they contain images of other children in the background.

If you wish to view your child's timeline then please register at <https://earwig.uk.com> and the school will open up an account for you.

Yours sincerely

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