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Dear Parents/ Carers

Nuffield Early Language Intervention (NELI)

As part of an initiative funded by the Department for Education in response to Covid-19, our school is being offered access to a programme called Nuffield Early Language Intervention (NELI). The programme is designed for Reception pupils and involves providing targeted small group and one-to-one support for children who would benefit from additional support with their language and early literacy skills.

The programme initially involves using a tablet-based assessment called LanguageScreen with all our Reception pupils to help us understand who may benefit most from receiving NELI. LanguageScreen is a short (approx. 10 minutes) and fun activity for children and will give us useful information about children's language skills. We'll use the same assessment again at the end of the school year to understand how children's language skills have progressed.

Please click on the following link or return the slip below to give permission for your child to be assessed with LanguageScreen and to say whether or not you have any objections to your child's data being retained for research purposes by the team behind the LanguageScreen app. If you wish, the data can be deleted after the assessment has taken place so the school can know the outcome of the assessment without the data being retained by the LanguageScreen team for research purposes. The LanguageScreen data Privacy Policy, detailing how data is collected and used, can be accessed on www.languagescreen.com.

Please let me know if you have any further questions, and many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs K White Early Years Leader

Please click on this link **or** complete and return the form to school as soon as possible. Thank you.

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Nuffield Early Language Intervention (NELI) Permission Slip

My child's name is
My child is in class
My child's teacher is
I give permission for my child to be assessed with LanguageScreen Yes/No
I give permission for my child's data to be retained for research purposes by the team behind the LanguageScreen app. Yes/No
Signed (Parent/ Carer with parental permission)