

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: **Thrive consent form**

At our setting we have been using Thrive-Online® to screen children in their class or work group. The results help us to plan our social and emotional curriculum. We adapt what we teach to best meet the needs that are indicated.

We also use Thrive-Online to assess and develop action plans for individual children. This ensures that the adults working with them understand their individual needs and are able to meet these most effectively. We would like to assess and develop an individual action plan for your child. In order to do so we require your consent.

Please read the statement below and sign to signify your agreement.

I have read the information above and have had the individual assessment process explained to me. By signing this form I agree that:

- A Thrive assessment may be carried out for my child. A Thrive assessment involves school staff assessing the positive display of important social and emotional skills from an individual young person or group(s) of young people and then determining the frequency and confidence of the skills being exhibited. The assessment process results from the normal daily observation of school staff and therefore does not involve young people directly responding to questions or having to experience being assessed.
- Personal data will be gathered relating to my child in order to carry out the Thrive assessment and action plan. This may include contact details, date of birth and information relating to my child's learning and behaviour at the setting.
- My child's personal data will be assessed by individuals from the school and an automated process will assist with the action plan.
- Where there are other professionals and services involved, or required, for the best support of the young person and/or family, it may be of benefit to share the Thrive action plan and profile. The setting will always inform me and consent will always be sought prior to information being shared. Typically, this could include speech and language therapy, CAMHs provision, social care, educational psychology or other provision from the appropriate local authority, although this is not an exhaustive list.

I understand that information gathered in the Thrive assessment will be stored in secure computer systems and anonymous statistical information will be created. The data will be deleted in accordance with the setting's data retention policy.

The setting will only use any personal data collected for the purposes detailed in this consent form and in accordance with its privacy policy. The online tool is provided by Thrive who will process data on behalf of the setting. If I agree, in the future, personal data may also be shared with other organisations who may provide support to my child.

I understand participation is voluntary and I can withdraw my child at any time.

I am the parent/carer [please delete] of (child name).....

My name.....

Signed..... Date.....