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Dear Parent/Guardian,

You will already be aware of us and our visits to your child's school as part of the University of Portsmouth Brush UP programme. The Brush UP programme provides toothbrushing advice and fluoride varnish to primary school children in Portsmouth.

In order to enhance the service we offer, we are planning to include an additional dental screening using an intraoral camera at our next visit to your child's school.

We would like to take pictures of your child's teeth to identify any potential dental decay. The photos will then be reviewed by one of our dental professionals who will identify any signs of dental disease. We will not take pictures of your child's face or any other features that would allow your child to be identified.

If you are happy to allow us to take these pictures of your child's teeth, please can you complete and return a consent form prior to our visit. Children will only participate in the Brush UP programme's additional dental screening if we have received a completed consent form available from the following link: [Using an intraoral camera as part of the Brush UP Programme](#).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact either Carolina Machuca Vargas (Carolina.machuca-vargas@port.ac.uk) or Samia Turkistani (samia.turkistani@port.ac.uk)

Thank you for your collaboration.

Best wishes,

The Brush UP team