***Picture Yourself: The Armada Portrait National Outreach Project* information and consent form**

Dear parents and carers,

We are delighted to be working with Royal Museums Greenwich and Speakers Trust in a special project made possible by The National Lottery Heritage Fund. The project is called ***Picture Yourself***and is a National Outreach project for secondary schools across the country to engage in an oracy and public speaking programme. The project centres on confidence-building for young people through the development of oracy skills for learning, communication and public speaking, taking the Armada Portrait of Queen Elizabeth I and her Tilbury speech as the starting point and inspiration.

As your child is in Yr.\_\_\_, their class have been chosen to take part. Verbal communication is an important life skill, and this will be a fantastic way for our students to develop a deeper understanding around heritage, build confidence in public speaking and to make twenty-first century connections to the Armada Portrait.

Royal Museums Greenwich in partnership with Chocolate Films will document the process to create a final celebratory digital film outcome of the project and will feature many of the schools who have taken part.  We will screen the final celebratory film towards the end of term, and it will be shared on RMG’s website and their partner online platforms.

Please sign and return this letter if you agree to your child featuring in the final film. If you do not give your consent (or do not return this form), your child will still be able to take part in the class activity but will not be photographed or filmed as part of the final celebration film.

Thank you for supporting your child’s commitment in this opportunity.

Student Name: ­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I give consent for my child to appear in the final celebratory film.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_