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Dear Parents/Carers

Old Church Nursery School is involved with the Healthy Teeth in Schools Fluoride Varnish Scheme, organised by Dental Outreach London. This will mean a dentist and dental nurse visiting the Nursery on **Wednesday 19th May** to screen the children's teeth and apply a coating of fluoride varnish.

The Department of Heath advises that every child under the age of 16 should receive two applications of fluoride varnish per year to improve their oral health by decreasing the risk of tooth decay. Therefore, we encourage your child to take part in this free scheme available at Old Church Nursery School and to have the fluoride varnish coating.

They will be coming to the Nursery to check the children's teeth and apply the fluoride coating next term.

If you wish your child to take part in this scheme, please fill in the online electronic consent form below by Tuesday 4^{th} May 2021.

*Opening link: if the hyperlink does not open please copy and paste the link in to search engine (i.e. Google) and click search to access online form.

https://www.kentcht.nhs.uk/forms/dental-service-fluoride-varnish-permission-only-form/

Many thanks

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