# Zoom Protocol

Please be aware that the following protocol applies to video calls:

- There must be an adult within hearing distance during all Zoom sessions.
- Children must wear suitable clothing; they should not be in their pyjamas.
- Any computers/tablets used should be in appropriate areas, for example, not in bedrooms or bathrooms.
- Where possible the background should be empty and neutral.
- Televisions and radios should be turned off. A quiet environment is ideal.
- Family members in the background should also be fully dressed.
- All conversations, including those in the background, must use appropriate language.
- Children should not be eating during these sessions.
- The area around the child should be free from distractions for your child.
- Children need to wait their turn to talk, or put their hand up if they would like to ask or answer a question.
- If the home situation becomes unsettled for any reason (eg. Baby crying, spilt drink) we ask that you leave the session. If noise is distracting for other participants, the teacher may need to mute an individual.
- If you judge that your child has had enough of the conversation or you need to do something else (eg. tea time, granny is on the phone etc), please feel free to leave the session.