

Dear Parents/Carers

Children and young people spend a lot of time online and may face risks such as cyberbullying or being exposed to inappropriate content. It is, therefore, important that we work together and help them to stay safe.

During their lessons children will learn about e-safety and assemblies will be used to explore relevant topics which will support the work that you already do with your children at home.

I appreciate that whilst many parents feel confident embracing new technologies some feel somewhat daunted. With this in mind and as part of my new role as E-Safety Lead at the academy, I would like to offer support in a way that is convenient for you. If you would be interested in attending a workshop please do let me know and I will make sure that one is organised.

If a workshop is not for you there are some very informative websites containing lots of helpful advice. Look out for suggested websites in each of our newsletters. I have enclosed an online safety checklist from the NSPCC website which I hope you find informative.

If you would like to discuss e-safety, or any aspect of safeguarding with me, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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