



Friday 20th December 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

The internet is a fantastic revelation of the 21st century; it has many educational and communicative opportunities which can be positive experiences for all. We want children to enjoy this invaluable resource safely. However, it is essential that parents are aware of the risks of technology and what they can do to develop a culture of e-safety at home as they have a vital role to play in helping to keep their child safe online.

As part of our commitment to safeguarding our pupils and working with you, we have organised an e-safety workshop for parents on **Thursday 10th January 2019 at 6pm**. This workshop will give an insight about issues children can face when using the internet and ideas on how families can work together to combat any problems which arise. The workshop will look at:

What is e-safety?

Why do we need to protect our children?

What is your responsibility as a parent?

Practical advice regarding parental controls to filter and monitor content

Fun ways to keep your child safe online

The workshop will be delivered by Nicola Graham and Jan Radcliffe from Safer Children Ltd. Nicola Graham is a recently retired Detective Constable, having served 30 years for Greater Manchester Police in the Trafford area. The last 19 years have been spent working in a multi-agency environment within the public protection/family support unit - the last 10 years as a dedicated child abuse detective within the unit. Jan Radcliffe has 25 years' teaching experience with a number of those years spent in charge of safeguarding and child protection as part of her role as a Deputy Headteacher within Trafford.

We really hope that you will be able to attend the workshop and look forward to seeing you there.

Best wishes,

Stuart Hodgson
Headteacher