

# Littledean Church of England Primary School

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*People with time for Children*

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## Parents of Year 6

Dear Parents

As I am sure you are aware, internet safety of children across the UK has been in the news recently and continues to be a concern.

We know that the best protection we can give to young people is knowledge of the dangers so that they are aware and can protect themselves, as well as letting them know where they can go for help and support.

In order to do this, we will be taking our Year 6 pupils to watch an interactive play on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2018 at Gloucestershire Police Headquarters, Waterwells, Gloucester. The play will tackle some of the following issues:

- What makes a Healthy Relationship,
- What makes an Unhealthy Relationship,
- Online Marketing Pressures,
- Safe internet/social media/ gaming use,
- The importance of keeping personal information safe,
- Sharing appropriate/inappropriate content,
- Cyber-bullying and the effect it has on others
- What to do if you are being cyber-bullied
- What to do and who to speak to if you have questions or concerns

The play is age appropriate and is called 'Click'. It will last for approximately 45 minutes. 'Click' was developed in response to the Children's Commissioner's 'Life in Likes' report and aims to help year 6 students to discuss, develop and build online resilience, digital literacy and safe internet use ahead of their transition to secondary school – all in a fun and friendly way.

This activity is part of a programme of work around raising and tackling the complex nature of Internet Use and is being supported by the Education and Learning Sub Group of the Gloucestershire Safeguarding Children Board (GSCB).

We hope that this will be a memorable way to enhance their safe internet usage and help our young people to stay safe on-line.

We will be travelling by coach, sharing with Newnham St Peters School. We will leave school at approximately 9.30 a.m. and return approximately 1.00 p.m. We ask that the children bring a packed lunch.

If you have any concerns or queries about this visit please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards

Miss May

Maple Class Teacher

Head teacher: Mrs Hayley McGoldrick