

September 2016

Dear Parents and Carers

### e-Safety Presentation and Link

At the Year 8 Parents' Information Evening last week I promised that I would forward you a link to a Channel 4 news report about sexting and young people.

This video contains language that is not suitable for young children and you may wish to view it before deciding whether you wish to watch it with your daughter, although there is no doubt that she will be familiar with much of the language used.

In their report in 2016, the NSPCC made the following statements:

*"It's vital that parents talk to their children and that young people feel empowered to say no to sexting requests."*

*"We realise that talking about sexting can be an embarrassing or awkward conversation for both parents and children."*

Please also bear in mind that this video was made in 2012 – I can, however, guarantee that the problem has not diminished in those 4 years.

[Click here](#) to access the report page.

Don't forget, if you have any concerns about your daughter's online behaviour, don't forget that you can always contact our Pastoral Lead, Mrs Nadine Moore for support.

The e-Safety presentation delivered to both Years 7 and 8 this year can be found as a download at the bottom of the e-Safety page in the School Information menu on the school website.

Yours sincerely

Cindi Pride  
**Deputy Headteacher**