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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Online Safety Workshops

Over the course of the year we shall be hosting termly online safety workshops for parents. The first workshop on 'device and ownership, together with the risks children face and negative experience' will take place on Thursday 12 December 17.00 - 17.45. This will consist of a short presentation followed by an opportunity for Q&A.

The presentation will be sent out following the evening, for any parents or carers who cannot make the occasion. Support is also available from the year team offices, so please do not hesitate to contact your child's Deputy Head of Year in the first instance.

The following websites also contain helpful information and advice regarding online safety, which may benefit parents:

www.parentsafe.lgfl.net www.internetmatters.org www.escb.co.uk/safeguarding-topics/online-safety/ https://www.escb.co.uk/onlinesafety

In addition to this, the Essex Safeguarding and Children Board (ESCB), are running an online safety campaign from 21 - 27 October, which will signpost parents to help and support. Please see attachments for further details.

Yours sincerely

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