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Dear Parents and Carers,

Last month, we were lucky enough to finally, after 2 years of COVID and cancellations, get the infamous 2 Johns (EST E-safety Training) to come in to school to deliver some E-safety workshops for us. The children seemed to really enjoy the sessions and the opportunity to discuss their online interests, hobbies and also their concerns. The children were a credit to you all in the way that they were able to discuss their experiences in a very open and mature manner. They seemed to gain more of an understanding of the importance of being safe online and being open with adults about their online activities. Hopefully, this will help us all to work together to create a culture where our children feel confident and able to discuss anything concerning that they experience or worry about in their cyber world with a trusted adult.

We have also had some great feedback from staff and the parents who were able to attend the Parents E-safety workshop also delivered by The 2 Johns. They certainly are very knowledgeable and have a very good understanding of the virtual world which has become so increasingly important to our children, as well as ourselves. I have personally attended their workshops many times in various school settings over my teaching years and each time I am amazed at how much things have changed in the virtual world and how much I didn't realise I didn't know. As a parent myself, I know how difficult it is to keep up with the new online trends and virtual social culture so we hope to be able to book the 2 Johns for future updates.

If you weren't able to attend the online training, or if you would like to watch it again, the 2 Johns have very kindly provided a video of the session for us. The link for this is below.

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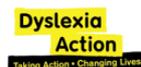
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If you have attended the session, or following watching the video, we, and the 2 Johns, would be very grateful if you could take a few minutes to complete their feedback form (attached) for them. If you would like to send them back to me, I am happy to forward all of the responses to them together.

I have also attached two very interesting E-safety parent factsheets with further links to information and support.

In addition to the E-safety factsheets, I have also attached leaflet sent to me by the 'Reach every generation' team who have asked us to circulate this to all of our parents. They are running some Child Exploitation Parent Awareness workshops this month which are also quite relevant to the concerns explained by the 2 Johns, as our pupils are so worryingly vulnerable to this.

Please feel free to share the video link, and any of the information attached, with any of your family and friends that would also find them useful.

Kindest regards

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