



Striving for Excellence

Cirencester Kingshill School

Head: Christine S. Oates



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Next week on Monday 3rd and Tuesday 4th October 2022, our school will be visited by PC Leah Davies, one of the Gloucestershire Constabulary's Schoolbeat Officers (SBO).

The SBO will be delivering a lesson on **SEXTING** to your Year 8 child as part of our Personal Social and Health Education (PSHE) and wider safeguarding education.

The lesson has been designed to be emotionally engaging and impactful. It is interactive and uses scenarios to educate and inform young people about the risks they may encounter whilst using the internet. Importantly, it seeks to empower young people to know how to deal with a problem should it arise.

It's great to take an active interest in your child's life online and we'd encourage you to talk openly with them about the things they do. Remember, the internet is an essential part of young people's lives and provides them with tremendous opportunities.

We would urge Parents and Carers to spend 10 minutes and watch the link below;
<https://youtu.be/IW9rPd7luoA>

We also want to remind Parents and Carers of the CEOP website www.thinkuknow.co.uk to learn more about how to keep your children safe on the internet. CEOP is a part of the National Crime Agency.

CEOP have also created a new website for teenagers called 'The internet, relationships & you' and offers advice on socialising online, online safety, getting support and sexual content online. The website can be found here:

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/11_18

Yours sincerely

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