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Dear Parents / Carers

You will be aware the internet hosts many exciting opportunities for education. The online world is a wonderful place for young people to explore, with unprecedented opportunities for learning and creativity, but just like the real world there are risks and dangers they should be aware of and which we should all act to protect them from.

I'm aware the school encourages the use of technology as an important part of their students' development but always want them to spend their time online safely. As a parent/carer you can play a significant part in ensuring this.

Just a few simple steps by you can help keep them safe and give young people the awareness to know what to do if they feel uncomfortable about anything they encounter whilst on the internet.

North Yorkshire Police are holding a parents/carers online risks and dangers about the internet session for Parents/Carers on Monday 4th December 2:15pm at Park Grove Primary Academy.

The Police are then attending school the following week – Wednesday 13th December to conduct a presentation to the children of Years 5 and 6 about keeping themselves safe on the internet.

At the parents session we will look at the presentation we are going to show the children, and give you some hints and tips on things that you can look out for at home, and where to go to for further advice and guidance.

I hope you can attend on the 4th December.

Regards

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