



INVESTORS IN PUPILS

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E-Safeguarding

Dear Parents,

As a school we are committed to safeguarding our pupils and are passionate about teaching children simple, memorable strategies to keep them safe online. Our varied curriculum provides frequent opportunities for pupils to learn basic skills that they can use both in and outside school when using online technologies.

We know that parents play a key role in supporting children to learn about how to stay safe online and you are one of the first people children turn to if things go wrong. We know it can be difficult to stay on top of the wide range of sites and devices that young people use, so we hope that the following advice from <http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-and-resources/parents-and-carers> is useful.

1. *Have ongoing conversations with your children about staying safe online*
2. *Use safety tools on social networks and other online services, eg Facebook privacy settings*
3. *Decide if you want to use parental controls on your home internet*
4. *Understand devices and the parental control tools they offer (You can download the Parents' Guide to Technology from the above website.*

Other excellent resources are available at thinkuknow.co.uk website to support you and your child at home.

As you already know, Mr Turner will be holding an E-Safety Drop In session for parents on **Wednesday 22 March 2017 at 2.40pm**. I would highly recommend that parents and carers attend this. More and more young children have access to the internet and this session will inform you of ways to keep your child safe at home.

Yours sincerely

Miss K Greatorex
Headteacher

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