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|  |  |  | **Police Headquarters**  London Road  DEVIZES  Wiltshire  SN10 2DN |
| Date | 18/12/2024 |  |  |

Dear Parent/Carer/Guardian,

Newton Tony Primary School are working together with Wiltshire Police and partner agencies to educate and support our students.

On 19/12/2024 Wiltshire Police will be attending the school to deliver a session on Online Safety. The learning outcomes for this educational session are:

* Understanding appropriate technology for their age
* How to keep yourself safe online
* Cyberbullying and the impact of being hurtful online
* Age restrictions for using social media

In all the sessions that take place, we will make sure your child knows who to ask and where to go for more support after the session. If they are worried, they will be listened to and supported by the school.

We encourage you as Parents/Carers/Guardians to check your child’s technology regularly to ensure that there is nothing concerning on their devices. When they are using their devices, we encourage you to supervise them. We also encourage you to check the parental settings on the applications/devices they are using.

You may find these useful when talking about the lessons with your child:

* <https://www.wiltshirehealthyschools.org/partnership-projects/wiltshire-police---in-the-classroom/>
* <https://www.ceopeducation.co.uk/>
* <https://www.internetmatters.org/>
* <https://www.pshe-association.org.uk/policing>
* <https://www.childrenssociety.org.uk/what-we-do/helping-children>
* <https://www.fearless.org/en/give-info>
* <https://crimestoppers-uk.org/give-information/forms/give-information-anonymously>
* <https://www.Wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk>

All Wiltshire Police staff and officers attending and delivering sessions will follow the principles of the Children Acts 1989 and 2004 which states that the welfare of children is paramount.

Officers attending may be on operational duty, which requires them to be wearing body-worn cameras, that can record live events, as part of their uniform. This is a duty of protection for the officers and is only used for evidential purposes.

If any reports or disclosures arise from any session(s), in compliance with the Duty of Care, Data Protection Act 2018 and GDPR Principles, Wiltshire Police and teaching staff will share information to relevant agencies only for a clear and legitimate purpose.

If sensitive/personal information needs to be shared to additional safeguarding agencies that could involve your child/ren, this will be discussed with you as the appropriate adult(s).

If any individual or group causes concern, we will make ensure that discussion, if necessary, is consensual and confidential to those involved.

If you have any questions about the upcoming session(s), please contact a member of the School’s Pastoral/Safeguarding Team who you can talk through your concerns and plan a way forward together.

Yours Sincerely,

Youth and Early Intervention

Neighbourhood Harm Reduction Unit

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