



Thursday 8th March 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

Safer Schools Community Team presentation to Year 8

On Friday 9th March the Safer Schools Community Team (SSCT) will be visiting St Edwards to speak with Year 8. The SSCT is a partnership between Dorset Police, The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner and Dorset Combined Youth Offending Service with a remit to prevent/reduce anti-social behaviour, crime and wrong-doing amongst children and young people and help keep them safe in a digital world.

The session on the 9th March is entitled "Online Safety and Risks". This session explores the issues relating to personal information, privacy settings, social networks, online friends, online bullying and youth produced sexual imagery. It also looks at strategies to protect against the risks and how to report issues either to trusted adults or via online tools.

This session will complement the work that the Year 8 students have been doing in their PSHE lessons. If there are any issues that are raised by this that you would like to discuss further then please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Mrs Berry (PSHE Co-ordinator).

Yours Sincerely

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