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Keeping our children safe online

Dear parents,

Over the coming weeks we will be covering the issue of 'Sexting' with our young people. It is important that our children understand the dangers and consequences of sending explicit images. As part of their learning the children will be watching the following video:

[Sexting advice video produced by students and PCSO in Warwickshire \(safeguardingwarwickshire.co.uk\)](https://www.safeguardingwarwickshire.co.uk)

The video has been developed by Warwickshire Police and is used to educate young people of the implications of taking and sharing explicit images.

Following this PC Lund will be holding an assembly with the year group to further explain the impact of 'Sexting'.

I have attached a Parent's Guide to 'Sexting', to help you understand what 'Sexting' is and give further advice on how to tackle this issue with your child.

We are aware of many of our young people using Snapchat and WhatsApp. We strongly encourage you to regularly check your child's phone to ensure they are not exposed to inappropriate content.

You can find further support and information on Online Safety at [Get advice \(thinkuknow.co.uk\)](https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk).

If you need any further information, please contact the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs C Shirley