

7th February 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Tomorrow is Safer Internet Day. To mark this, students have taken part in a Personal Development lesson delivered by Deloitte, with safer internet use as the focus. The session has included information on the following areas:

- Digital Footprints
- Location tracking and settings
- Phishing
- Cybercrime and cyber security

Below are some resources that might be useful for you as parents:

- [Parents and Carers - UK Safer Internet Centre](#)
- [Parents homepage \(thinkuknow.co.uk\)](#)
- [Is your child ready for social media? \(thinkuknow.co.uk\)](#)
- [Social media scams advice guide to support young people - Internet Matters](#)
- [Limehurst Academy - Safeguarding](#)

On a slightly different note, Leicestershire Police will be raising awareness of Child Criminal Exploitation (CCE) and County Lines during the week of the 7th March. There is some further information about these topics attached to this letter. As part of this awareness week, the police are offering two free online sessions titled 'Are you Listening?' They will take place on Wednesday 9th March from 5-6pm and again on Saturday 12th March from 10.30 – 11.30am.

The session will cover:

- An introduction to what County Lines is, and the risks it presents to young people
- Common language associated with County Lines activity
- An understanding of why these gangs use young people and the roles they will be expected to play
- Spotting the signs
- Seeking help
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To book a place please email school.workingshops@leicestershire.pnn.police.uk

Yours faithfully,

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