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Dear Parents/Carers

Online safety

I hope this letter finds you and your family safe and well. I am writing to remind you of the support you can access regarding your child's use of social media and the action you can take if your child receives content that concerns them or you.

If your child has received a message, image or video that has distressed them please encourage them to talk to a teacher or their Assistant Head of Year. Our Safeguarding Manager, Sarah Richards, can also support (sarah.richards@oasismayfield.org)

We recommend monitoring and open discussions surrounding the use of social media. There is some really useful guidance and advice [Teaching Your Child about Internet & Online Safety | NSPCC](#) which can help to support conversations with your child. Please remind your child that mobile phones are not to be used in the academy and will be confiscated if seen or heard. This is to safeguard our entire community.

We regularly take steps to inform and guide students regarding Online safety through our Personal Development curriculum; links to the academy policy and the Personal Development curriculum can be found on our website www.oasisacademymayfield.org

Please can I encourage you to take time to look at the information available, to enable us to work together to ensure we keep all our children safe.

Yours sincerely,

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