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Dear Parent

## **Online safety**

At Grange Park we take online safety very seriously and at the beginning of each school year provide a virtual Parents Online Awareness session which we advise **all** parents to access:

- Parents must register and log on INDIVIDUALLY to be registered as attending the training. (An attendance, engagement and feedback summary is provided to the school).
- The session is 1 hour in duration, without breaks.
- Once the session starts you can pause, fast forward and/or rewind by using the control panel at the bottom of the screen.
- All forms of digital devices can be used to access the session.
- A leaflet outlining the session aims can be found here: <u>https://www.ecplimited.com/Parent%20Carer%20Poster.pdf</u>

The session is available from Friday 8 September to Friday 6 October, by clicking on the link below. Once your details are entered, the session **will start immediately**. Link to access the session: <u>https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5475206600570061398</u>

All Chromebooks have Home Protect installed, a school-safe internet filtering system, but it is still your responsibility to ensure your child uses the device safely. Here are a few tips:

- Monitor your child's use of the Chromebook when not at school.
- Use the Chromebook in a central location at home, rather than behind closed doors.
- Help your child to focus on completing tasks and assignments.
- Ensure that your child understands that he or she should not give personal information to any person or any website without checking with an adult first.
- Ensure the device is not used for any illegal conduct, or statements which are deemed to be advocating illegal activity and/or anti-social purposes, including access to inappropriate internet sites and chat rooms.
- Ensure that any online activity does not bring the school into disrepute.
- Talk with your child about cyberbullying encouraging him/her to be kind and to communicate clearly online.
- Advise your child that anything they post, text, or upload may be forwarded, copied, and published to anyone.
- Ensure that this equipment is for the sole use of your child, who will use it for educational purposes only.



We look forward to seeing your child continue to develop their digital and independent learning skills in the coming months. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely

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