



CENTRAL FOUNDATION BOYS' SCHOOL

13th January 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Online safety session for parents – Tuesday February 1st at 7pm

On **Tuesday 1st February from 7pm** Connected Minds will be delivering our yearly parental online safety session around '*Supporting Your Child Online*'.

This year we will be delivering the session online and the link for the event will be shared in advance via the school website, email and text.

As in previous years this session provides parents and carers with a broad overview of the risks that children and young people can face online, with practical advice on how they can support their child to use the internet positively, respectfully and safely.

The main online risks typically fall under one of the 3 Cs:

- **Conduct** – behaviour online (e.g. creating an online reputation, sharing personal information and behaviours that may break the law)
- **Content** – online materials that may negatively affect young people (e.g. adult content, extremist material, inaccurate/fake information, content in games)
- **Contact** – the risks around connecting with others online (e.g. online friendships/relationships, grooming/exploitation, cyberbullying)

The session highlights the importance of discussion and offers some strategies for talking about online safety with young people. It also points to useful free resources and where to get help with online issues.

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We strongly recommend that you attend this session online to get a clear understanding of how to support your son / daughter in relation to online safety.

Yours faithfully,

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