



St Vincent de Paul



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Online Safety

Dear Parents/Carers,

Online safety is a very high priority for our school, aside from the more obvious risks such as online bullying, grooming or device addiction, the way children are engaging with the online world means that we must take stock of their mental health and well-being, the type of content they are viewing and what they are posting online.

In previous years we have always held parental training sessions by our IT provider MGL, however despite the very important content, our parental attendance has remained low.

Through our parental questionnaire, it was suggested that an online platform would be another supportive alternative. I am delighted to inform you that our school subscription to the National Online Safety platform will provide you with all the information you need to keep your children safe online.

Our school membership will provide parents with instant access to their huge library. This is a library of online CPD resources that are constantly updated and cover all aspects of online safety and more (online safety-certified courses, guides and resources).

All the parent courses completed will also count towards our school's Online Safety Award so you can support us in achieving this National Online Safety Certified Award.

Please click the National College link below, select parent, and sign up.
<https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/st-vincent-de-paul-catholic-primary-school>

Thank you for your continued support in this very important area.

Mrs Salters