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Technology and the internet are part of our daily lives. It's almost impossible for our children to avoid

Source: National Online Safety

Dear Parents,

As part of our Safer Internet Week, we would like to invite parents to attend an esafety workshop held by Johnathon Martin from Primary Tec on **Tuesday 11th February at 9am** in the hall.

He will be covering the following issues regarding online safety:

- The dangers and loopholes of popular apps such as Snapchat, WhatsApp, Instagram and Facebook
- Your child's app usage and their ability to access inappropriate content without you realising
- Revenge through apps
- Transitioning phone use to South Hunsley School
- Preventing your child from committing offences without realising
- Children's mental health and well-being through the use of smartphones and tablets

Those who have attended Johnathon's workshops in the past have commented on the value of the information given and how they had not realised the dangers. In the past two years, we have had online dangers and possible grooming reported to be happening to pupils **in our school**. This workshop is an ideal opportunity to brush up digital parenting skills to protect children from online dangers. It may be of use to bring your child's phone to the workshop to explore their app usage.

Many thanks,
Mrs Hurwood

Safer Internet Day

Child's name: _____

I will/will not be attending the Safer Internet Day talk on Tuesday 11th February at 9am.

Number of people attending (if applicable): _____

Signed: _____

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