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Dear Parents

**On-line Safety (E-Safety) Information afternoon and Evening for Parents.**  
**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2017 at: 2.00pm and Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 at: 6.30pm**

We held a very successful E-Safety Day here at Mundy Junior School this week and part of our work is to offer another series of Information events and **E-Safety Workshops (Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February at 2.00pm and Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 6.30pm)** for parents to attend. Although these events are for parents only (given the nature of the contents of them), the school will provide a crèche, so please don't worry about the care of your children.

Ask any of the parents who attended our previous E-Safety evening and they will tell you it is **critical for us all to keep up-to-date with all the new internet minefields and pitfalls**. Ensuring children's safety online is an increasing issue and one that we are keen to support parents with.

Recent research shows that every time a child is online they are just **'three clicks away from danger'**. The internet has changed all of our lives, particularly our children's. For parents and carers this opens up a whole new world of **dangers** to be aware of. For many of us, this can all be a bit too much. You might be struggling to keep up with the things your child is doing online, you might wonder:

- what your child is doing online,
- whether what they are doing is safe,
- how you can talk about what they're doing online,
- the risks they might face,

You might also be thinking **'how can I be as good a parent online as I am offline'?**

Here at Mundy Junior's we are very lucky to have access to the NHS E-Safety Team who are specially trained adults, who work closely with the authorities and police and have a wealth of experience and knowledge. They are able to provide the most up to date information and technical support to meet your needs as parents **endeavouring to protect your children online**.

The team can guide you through the hurdles of the online world and show what tools there are available to keep your child safe. We hope to collectively ensure the safety of your child in a virtual environment.

We are looking to get a 'snap-shot' of the way our children use the internet at home and we are attaching a questionnaire, it would be great if you could fill it in and send it back with the slip below. (Please be as honest as possible).



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**On-line Safety (E-Safety) Information afternoon and Evening for Parents return slip.**

I/we are able to attend the On-line Safety evening as follows (you can do both if you like and invite other members of your family along too):

- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2017 at: 2.00pm .....\*
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 at: 6.30pm.....\*

\*Please tick as appropriate

Name/s:

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Child in school:

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Signed: ..... Dated: .....

