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Dear Parents/Guardians

The internet is a wonderful place that offers so many opportunities for young people to learn, connect and enjoy. As the internet is always changing, being able to keep up to date with your child's internet and social media use can sometimes feel overwhelming, especially if you feel that your child may know more about technology than you do. At Aylestone School, we endeavour to ensure that all of our children learn how to use new technologies safely, responsibly and respectfully, by having regular lessons and conversations about the age appropriate use of social media, computer games and various apps and websites.

As part of our efforts to get parents more involved in their children's safe use of the Internet, we are hosting an Online Safety evening for parents/guardians on **Wednesday 8th May 6:15pm until 7:15p.m, with refreshments available from 5:45pm.**

At this session, we have invited PC Anna Synnock from the West Mercia Police force to speak to parents about how they can help to keep their children safer online.

Anna will be raising awareness about a range of online issues parents need to know about, as well as suggesting a number of tips that families can adopt to become more confident and creative internet users. She will also be identifying some of the risks that social media, for example, can bring as well as developing an understanding of what to do if things go wrong.

Please do come along to find out more and to ask questions. **Due to the nature of the topics that will be covered on the evening, it is not appropriate to bring your child to the event.**

It is important that we know numbers for this event in advance, so please ensure that you return the reply slip below via your child's form tutor to confirm you will be attending.

Yours faithfully

Mr P Lewis
Head of Key Stage 3

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Child's Name:

Form:

I/We will be attending the Internet Safety evening on 8th May 2019.

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