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Dear Parents & Carers,

On Tuesday 7th February we will be joining schools and youth organisations across the UK in celebrating Safer Internet Day 2023. Safer Internet Day is a global campaign to promote the safe and responsible use of technology, which calls on children and young people, parents, carers, teachers, social workers, law enforcement, companies, policymakers and more, to help to create a better internet. Using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote in school and celebrating Safer Internet Day is a great opportunity for us to re-emphasise the online safety messages we deliver throughout the year.

Here at Old Palace we have registered in support of Safer Internet Day and will be carrying out sessions in class, which will be held Tuesday 7th and Thursday 9th February. We would like to invite parents from Years 1- 4 to come in for our Parent Workshop, which will be held on Thursday 9th February at 9.15-10.00am. After the workshop, you will have the opportunity to observe your children's second session to see what they have been learning from 10.00-10.20am. We would also like to invite parents from Year 5 - 6 to join our Parent Workshop, which will be held from 10.30-11.15am where you will receive practical guidance on how to ensure your child uses the internet safely. We look forward to see you there!



Below is the timetable for the day:

Thursday - 9th February	9.15-10.00	Parent Workshop (Year 1-4)
	10.00-10.20	Parents to observe sessions in class (Year 1-4)
	10.30-11.15	Year 5-6 Parent Workshop

We would also be delighted if you could join us in celebrating the day by continuing the conversation at home. To help you with this, the UK Safer Internet Centre have created some free activities and information for parents and carers, which are available at [saferinternet.org.uk/ SID-parents](http://saferinternet.org.uk/SID-parents). Whether you have 5 minutes to start a conversation or hours to spare, there are top tips, quizzes and films that you can use at home with your child. If you have any concerns or questions about keeping your child safe online, please do get in touch with your child's class teacher or our Safeguarding Lead. As the school's Computing Lead, I am also happy to provide advice.

Yours faithfully,
Nadia Begum
Computing Lead



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