



21<sup>st</sup> April 2015

Dear Parents and Carers,

Lonsdale School will hold a whole-school Safeguarding Week from 27<sup>th</sup> April to 1<sup>st</sup> May 2015. Throughout the week, we will run workshops and information sessions for students and staff on all issues around keeping and feeling safe. There will be sessions on e-safety, emotional self-care, bullying, recognising signs of neglect and abuse and finding help. Sessions will be organised and run by governors, teaching staff, students and visitors from various organisations.

Childline have offered to run a parents information session about general help and advice that the NSPCC can provide to parents. You will have the opportunity to explore various online resources, which can help talk with children about abuse. There will also be information for parents on how to talk about sexual abuse to children with learning difficulties and on how to stay safe online.

The parents' session is open to all parents and carers and will run on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May from 1.45 to 2.30pm.

Come along to find out about the work we did throughout the week and join the parents' session. If you would like to attend and you have not yet replied, please fill in the slip below and return to the school office as soon as possible.

We are looking forward to seeing you on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May!

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**Please return the slip to the school office as soon as possible. Tick one option!**

I would like to attend the Childline parents' information session on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 1.45pm.

I will not be able to attend.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_