

## BROUGHTON HALL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Carer,

## **Important Online Safety Advice for Parents / Carers**

We would like to invite all parents to an **Online Safety Presentation** by Liverpool's Senior School Improvement Officer for New Technologies & Online Safety, Paul Bradshaw.

The presentation will take place on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 5.00pm** in the Dance Drama and will provide information and practical tips on how to support your daughter in staying safe online. The online use of devices is constantly changing and it is important that all parents and carers have up to date knowledge and understanding of the potential dangers of online use and what can be done to avoid them.

The presentation will last approximately 45 minutes and Paul is happy to take questions from the audience or speak to parents individually. The topics covered at the presentation will include:

- The Internet, social networking and its uses
- Identifying trends in what children do online
- How to keep your child safe when online
- Useful sites to support any issues involving safety

Online Safety is an important part of keeping children safe. At Broughton Hall we have extensive security measures in place, which are monitored both internally and externally, to help safeguard pupils from potential dangers or unsuitable material. Online Safety is taught to all pupils explaining and demonstrating how to stay safe and behave appropriately online.

We hope that you are able to attend this online safety session as we can only be successful in keeping children safe online if we work together to ensure the online safety message is consistent.

Thank you for continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs D Lodge Assistant Head Teacher

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