



22nd March 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

Child Sexual Exploitation Awareness Day 2017

Students received information and guidance last week as part of Child Sexual Exploitation Awareness Day 2017. This has included assemblies from the WISE project, who provide young people at risk of and affected by sexual exploitation. One of the aims of the week was to educate young people about how to stay safe on the internet, including how to safely use SnapChat, Instagram and Facebook.

To support this week, the WISE Project have offered to run a free workshop for parent/carers. The focus of this workshop is informing parents/carers about how young people may be at risk of sexual exploitation and what they can do to support and educate their children .

The workshop will take place on Wednesday 29th March 2017 at 5.30pm at Bexhill Academy. If you would be interested in attending one of these workshops can you please contact Tracey Holden, our Parent Communications Officer, 01424 735475 or communications@bexhillacademy.org.

If you are unable to attend the session but would like further information or advice, please go to the Information and Support section for parent/carers or the Safeguarding at Bexhill Academy sections on the Bexhill Academy website where you will find a link to a resource by the NSPCC.

If you have any further questions regarding this work, please contact me at the school on Extension 2293 at the soonest opportunity.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs T Hillman (Designated Safeguarding Lead)