



St. Michael's Church of England Primary School

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Our school values: *Respect · Kindness · Challenge · Forgiveness · Perseverance*



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Online Safety WhatsApp Chain Message

It has been brought to our attention that a 'chain' WhatsApp message is being circulated amongst primary aged pupils. This chain message has been forwarded to one of our pupils from another child in a different school.

The message is particularly distressing and we are encouraging all pupils if they receive it to let a trusted adult know, delete it and DO NOT send it on.

Please can you talk with your child about this and ask that they tell you if they receive it. Pupils may need some support to talk about it and deal with the contents of the message.

Yours sincerely

Miss G Mawson

Safeguarding Lead

Deputy Headteacher