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Dear Parents / Carers,

In light of the recent press and social media coverage, we have received a number of enquiries from parents this week about Momo or the Momo Challenge.

As a school, we believe that it is vital that parents have regular conversations with their children about their online activities and create an environment where their child is able to share any concerns they have about things they have seen online that has caused them upset.

Police have appealed to parents to not simply focus on Momo, urging them to:

- Ensure they know what their children can access online
- Ensure children understand the importance of not giving personal information to anyone they do not know
- Tell their children no-one has the right to make them do anything they do not want to do
- Use parental controls to keep children safe

If you have a twitter account, we would recommend following @silesafety and @SILsafeguarding as both accounts have tweeted information about this in the past few days.

Also, there are many websites that help safeguard us and our children through knowledge and understanding. National Online Safety ([nationalonlinesafety.com/](http://nationalonlinesafety.com/)) have produced a poster to illustrate that this issue is simply a trigger to otherwise do what we know is good practice.

Monitor, restrict, talk.

If you have any further questions, please ask.





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