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Dear Parents & Carers of children in Years 1-6,

This term, as part of our assembly cycle, we are focussing on staying safe. Next week we will be discussing the NSPCC's Underwear Rule in assembly.

During these discussions we will aim to teach our pupils the following important safety skills without giving explicit information or telling scary stories. We will be teaching our pupils the NSPCC's Underwear Rule, using the 'PANTS' acrostic which is like a green cross code for staying safe from sexual abuse. The NSPCC leaflet is attached to the email with this letter.

PANTS stands for:

- Privates are always private
- Always remember your body belongs to you
- No means no
- Talk about secrets that upset you
- Speak up, someone can help

You may have seen the television campaign promoting use of these materials for children aged 5 and over. If you would like to know more about the NSPCC'S campaign and see how you can help keep your children safe in partnership with the school, more information can be found at: nspcc.org.uk/underwearrule

If you have any questions or concerns, please get in touch.

Joe Porter

Deputy Head

