

Dear Parent(s) / Carer(s)

During these unprecedented times the vast majority of learning is now taking place online. In response to this Tanfield School has made an addendum to its Safeguarding policy to reflect this. This addendum can be found on the school website.

If you have opted to also use additional online learning platforms or tutors, Tanfield School urges parents to ensure they are a reputable organisation/individual who can provide evidence that they are safe and can be trusted to have access to children.

Support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online includes:

- · <u>Internet matters</u> for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- London Grid for Learning for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- · <u>Net-aware</u> for support for parents and careers from the NSPCC
- · Parent info for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- · Thinkuknow for advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online
- · <u>UK Safer Internet Centre</u> advice for parents and carers
- https://reportharmfulcontent.com/
- https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre/
- https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/

Yours sincerely,

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