

Our Ref: Safeguarding/PDE/Lfo

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Re: Vapes

We have been made aware of children allegedly purchasing vapes that may be laced/spiked with other substances/drugs; such items may be being purchased through illegal sources.

We would urge you to be vigilant around your child/ren – If you suspect your child is vaping we have included some links to recent articles and websites below that may help to start off conversation with them about the health dangers associated with vape use.

[BBC News - Is Vaping Bad for you and how are the rules changing?](#)

[NHS - Vaping myths and the facts](#)

[BBC News - Drug Xylazine found in cannabis THC vapes in UK](#)

[Action for Children: Advice if your worried about your child vaping](#)

[Childline: What is vaping?](#)

We hope you find the above useful and informative – If you have any concerns about your child vaping and require support/guidance please don't hesitate in contacting us.

Yours faithfully,



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