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Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to let you know that Fiona Meredith, our local schools service representative from the NSPCC (National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children), will be visiting our school after half term on the afternoon of Wednesday 25 February to talk to all of the children about the work of the NSPCC/ChildLine and communicate important safety messages to your children. These will be both informative and motivational talks covering aspects of their personal safety and awareness.

The NSPCC has community-based projects throughout the UK and the Channel Islands with welsh centres in Cardiff, Swansea and Prestatyn working with vulnerable children, young people and their families. You may also be aware, that the work of the NSPCC includes the confidential telephone helpline service for children - ChildLine. The hardest thing for an abused child to do is summon the courage to speak out about what's happening to them and the vision of the NSPCC is to answer every call, first time – whether from a child or an adult, at whatever time of day or night.

The NSPCC works in many different ways to help children from offering local services to campaigning for change at a national level. The NSPCC works with the welsh government, organisations, professionals, families and members of the public to encourage everyone to do all they can to create an environment in which children are given the help and support to stay safe from cruelty and for a child to know there is always someone to turn to.

Your child will be bringing home a special NSPCC 'Buddy' information sheet and sponsor form. The activity will be carried out at school and I do hope that you will allow your child to participate in our fundraising event. With our support the NSPCC can continue their vital work and offer many children hope for a better future.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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