Crofton Hammond Infant School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Hammond Heart Keeping Safe Week – 8th-12th July 2024

Next week in school, we are looking forward to learning about some of the different ways to keep ourselves safe.

Identifying risk and managing personal safety are fundamental to Personal Development Learning (PDL) in the Key Stage 1 curriculum and through Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE) in the early years. Assemblies, stories, circle times and external initiatives such as the NSPCC PANTS programme, mean safeguarding is deeply embedded within our school curriculum throughout the school year.

Every class has their own Hammond Heart soft toy for our children to identify when they are learning about keeping safe, which is explicitly linked to all safety teaching and learning.

The programme is as follows:

Monday	People who help keep us safe – visit from the Police service
Tuesday	THINK! Road safety teaching
Wednesday	Speak out Stay safe – helping children to learn about their rights, what is OK and not OK, and what to do if they are ever worried or scared.
Thursday	People who help keep us safe – Fire safety – Years R and 1 Year 2 educational visit from Fire Service (sadly no fire engine!)
Friday	Clever Never Goes - the campaign that teaches children how to stay safe whether they are outside or online
Within classes	Keeping healthy: things that can go into my body - healthy food Keeping healthy: things that can go into and onto my body - medicines and household products

We will share links to resources and further information through our special edition school newsletter at the end of next week.

Yours sincerely

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PDL Subject Leader



