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10<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**Dear Parent/Carer** 



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Crime Talks

We are writing to inform you about an upcoming session that your child will be participating in as part of our ongoing efforts to ensure their safety and well-being. The sessions will take place over two days, 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

In partnership with the **local police**, we have arranged a special session in which **former perpetrators** will share their experiences and discuss the serious consequences of criminal behavior. These sessions are part of an educational initiative designed to help young people understand the impact of crime on individuals, families, and communities, while encouraging them to make positive life choices.

Please be assured that:

- School staff will supervise the session at all times to ensure the safety and well-being of all students.
- All presenters have been thoroughly vetted and approved by the police.
- The content will be delivered in an age-appropriate manner and with the aim of educating, not alarming, our students.

We believe that hearing directly from those who have faced the consequences of criminal activities can be a powerful way for young people to understand the importance of making good decisions and avoiding risky behaviors.

If you have any concerns or questions about the session, please don't hesitate to contact Mrs Howells (Assistant Headteacher) via email at <u>postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk</u> or by calling the school on 01902 558222

Your support is, as always, greatly appreciated.

Yours faithfully

Mr Phillips <u>Headteacher</u>

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