



# THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL

## A SPECIALIST SPORTS COLLEGE

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Dear Parent/Carer

### Whole School Enrichment: Personal Safety Focus Friday 16 November, 2018

As part of our continued and consistent efforts to create a culture of personal well-being at The Buckingham School – alongside a strong academic provision – we will have two talks delivered by external speakers, on Friday 16 November 2018.

The first talk will be on the danger of **knife crime**, delivered by PC Sharon Cann. It is of high importance that young people are aware of the dangers and the legal consequences of knife crime, especially given the recent increase in knife crime related incidents. The second talk will be delivered by the Buckingham Fire & Rescue Service, on **personal safety** and with a focus on **anti-bullying**. With this week being National Anti-Bullying Week, we strongly believe that students who feel happy in addition to being able to make smart decisions are more likely to achieve academically and in life in general.

As part of the day, students will miss two timetabled lessons, and will be in their normal lessons for the rest of the day.

If you would like to know more about the day, or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr M Wardle, Lead Deputy Headteacher at [mwardle@buckinghamschool.org](mailto:mwardle@buckinghamschool.org) or Mr J Mandel, PSHE Co-ordinator, at [jmandel@buckinghamschool.org](mailto:jmandel@buckinghamschool.org)

Yours faithfully

Mr M Wardle  
Lead Deputy Headteacher

*The Buckingham School is concerned that every student should have the opportunity to attend school activities/obtain equipment, regardless of their financial circumstances. As such, it may be possible to subsidise those students who would otherwise be unable to attend trips/purchase items. Please feel free to write in confidence to Mrs S Gallagher or Mrs K Bones at [office@buckinghamschool.org](mailto:office@buckinghamschool.org), if you wish to seek assistance, or obtain more information about Pupil Premium funding.*

