

How Newdale Address Sensitive Issues Within Our Curriculum



Grooming

- All parents have received an informative guide about child exploitation.
- All year groups will deliver the 'Keeping Ourselves Safe' lesson which addresses, in a sensitive way, grooming, E-safety, 'the underwear rule' and what to do if they are worried about their own safety. The word 'grooming' will not be mentioned directly, but addressed through educating children on the signs e.g. not accepting gifts from strangers etc.
- In an additional lesson, Year 5 and 6 will learn about what the word 'grooming' means and how they can keep themselves safe. <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/child-abuse-and-neglect/grooming/>

Sexting

Year 5 and 6 only

- As part of the computing/E-safety curriculum, one lesson will be dedicated to address 'sexting'.
What is sexting? What are the dangers of sexting? Where can you find advice on sexting?
<http://www.childnet.com/young-people/secondary/hot-topics/sexting>
<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/sexting/>
<https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/sexting/>
- In addition to this, Year 6 will attend an annual production on sexting/online safety.