

Friday 23rd February 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

Please can we request that if your child is the victim of a crime that a report is made to police at the earliest opportunity. Recently we have been made aware of a number of incidents by the school. It is essential that the school are made aware of an incident as it may have an impact on their ability to safeguard your child but if you delay reporting an incident to police it can have an impact on the investigation and lead to valuable evidence being lost.

You can report an incident to police in a number of ways.

- If it's an emergency and the crime is still taking place, call [999](#) and ask for the police.
- **If it's not an emergency, do not call 999.** This doesn't mean the crime is not important to us it just helps the police to make the best use of their resources. In this instance please contact **101** or please report the incident online on the following link [Report a crime | Metropolitan Police](#)
- You can go to your local police station in Acton or Hayes to report the crime there.
- If you have information regarding a crime and don't want to talk in person to the police you can contact Crimestoppers online or call 0800 555 111. You will remain 100% anonymous. Always.

If you would like any further information then please do not hesitate to get in touch with your local Safer Schools Team who would be happy to help.

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Chrissy Harvey".

PS Chrissy Harvey
Ealing Safer Schools
West Area BCU