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## Dear Parents.

This week Year 5 and 6 will be taking part in the Mini Pathfinders Project. We have taken part in this project twice before and you may know that the other two schools on the estate have also recently been a part of the project.

The Mini Pathfinder project, organised by Merseyside Police, forms part of a preventative policing approach to support young people to make positive choices through early intervention. During the week, the children will learn about positive choices and consequences through a wide range of interactive games, role play and discussions on knife crime, anti-social behaviour, hate crime, drugs, underage drinking and general safety when out in the community.

They will also learn basic first aid skills and will take part in sports sessions in tennis, yoga and boxercise.

On Wednesday we will be joined by Choices Education and Lifelong Learning Skills (CELLS) and will look at how crime and making the wrong choices can affected families and communities.

Sale Sharks Foundation will join us later in the week to look at mental health and the positive effect sport can have on our lives.

The children have always responded well to this project and come up with many thoughtful questions and comments. They thoroughly enjoy the activities and feel a real sense of achievement by the end of the week.

If you have any questions about the week's events contact the office. Photographs will be taken and may be shared on social media. If you do not want your child's photo to be taken as part of this project please let school or your child's class teacher know as soon as possible. Yours sincerely,

C. Fenna.

Mrs C Fenna Headteacher

