

8<sup>th</sup> November 2018

**RE: Fire Safety Sessions – Years 2 & 5**

Dear Parent,

For your information, the Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue Service will be visiting the school on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November**. They will be undertaking interactive educational sessions with the children in Year 2 and Year 5 to promote safe practices and highlight the consequences of unsafe behaviour at home, in the school and within the community.

Within each 45-60 minute session pupils will learn about:

- The role of the Fire Service
- How to identify hot and cold items
- The dangers of matches, lighters and candles
- How to make an emergency 999 call and the consequences of hoax calls
- How to plan a safe escape route from your home in case of fire
- The value and importance of smoke alarms
- How to adopt the stop, drop and roll method if clothing became involved in fire

If you have any questions or would like any further information please contact Alex Pulfer [apulfer@bcps.org.uk](mailto:apulfer@bcps.org.uk) by email or in person. If you do not wish your child to participate in the session, please complete and return the attached opt out form.

Yours sincerely,



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