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From the Admin Team

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Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,

An area of concern for all parents these days is ensuring that their children are engaging with social media and gaming in a safe manner. The research clearly states that the most powerful weapon that parents can employ is to be well informed. In her document Focus 2015, the Director General of Education, Sharyn O'Neill, notes that schools should work with their communities to promote the safe use of social media by students. In future newsletters we will provide additional information about this important area, but we had a great email from a parent recently which we thought we would use to kick things off.

It lists 30 games that you should not let your children play online – these are indicated below. It notes that these games (there are sure to be more...) should not be played by children under 14 years.

A site that may be of interest to parents is Commonsensemedia.org and there are now apps available to assist parents in monitoring what online activities their children partake in.

The full site address is at <http://www.kidspot.com.au/30-video-games-you-dont-want-your-kids-to-play/>

The Last of Us	Tomb Raider	Crysis	Mass Effect	Scarface
Gears of War	Halo	Dead Island	Fallout	Leisure Suit Larry
Call of Duty	Grand Theft Auto	Dead Space	Hitman	Left for Dead
Mortal Kombat	Duke Nukem	Bioshock	Aliens	Resident Evil
Far Cry	Left Behind	Saints Row	Injustice	Dragon Age
Assassins Creed	Borderlands	Sleeping Dogs	God Of War	

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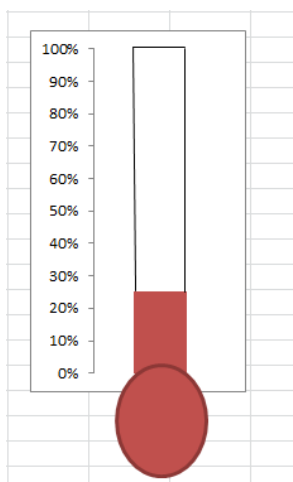
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WE LOVE ART

A very big thank you to all our generous Winterfold Families for their contributions to our "We Love Art" Initiative.

Our target amount is \$5000 and we are pleased to advise that we have already reached \$1263 - just over 25% of our goal!

If you have been meaning to donate now is the time to do so. Let's hopefully reach the 50% mark by the end of Term 2.



UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

The Uniform shop is open on **MONDAYS ONLY from 8:15am to approx 9.00am.**
(We are closed on Monday Public Holidays)

The uniform shop has lots of 2nd hand clothing. We have a good selection of jumpers, maroon jazz pants and grey pants mostly in larger sizes.

The Uniform shop is looking for volunteers. We are there from 8:15am to just after 9am.

Whatever you can offer would be a big help. It's a great way to meet the school community and your child will love it.