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Dance Arts

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What is cyberbullying?

It means using phones, computers, tablets, social media, games, or messaging apps to hurt, upset, scare, or embarrass someone. It includes:

- Sending mean, rude, or threatening messages
 - Sharing photos, videos, or personal details without permission
 - Spreading lies or rumours online
 - Creating fake accounts to trick or bully someone
 - Leaving someone out on purpose in online groups
 - Posting comments that hurt someone's feelings or reputation
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What we expect from you

- Treat people online just as you would treat them in the studio or classroom — with respect and kindness.
 - Never write or share anything you wouldn't say to someone's face.
 - Keep your passwords private and don't share personal information like your address or phone number.
 - If you see something upsetting or mean: **do NOT forward it, like it, or comment on it** — that only makes it worse.
 - Tell a teacher, staff member, or parent/carer straight away if you or someone else is being bullied online.
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What the school will do

- We have **zero tolerance** for cyberbullying — it is never acceptable.
 - We will listen carefully, keep things private where possible, and take every report seriously.
 - We will help anyone who is being targeted and give support if you need it.
 - We will talk to anyone involved and explain why this behaviour is wrong.
 - If it continues or is serious, we will take action — this could include warnings, restrictions, or involving parents and even the police if the law is broken.
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How to get help

You can speak to:

- Any teacher or staff member
- The Designated Safeguarding Lead
- Your parents or carers

You can also report harmful content directly to the website or app it is on.

Remember: Your words and actions online matter — they can't always be taken back. Let's keep our school community safe, kind, and supportive, both in person and online.