

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

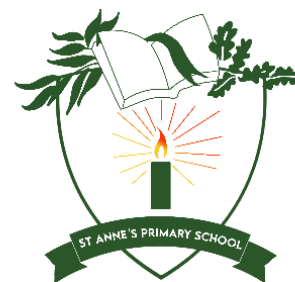
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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to you in regard to the safety of your children. There has been a report of a man who was loitering and hiding in the bushes by Stepgates School today.

I thought it was courteous to let parents know about the sighting, not intending to cause alarm as it may be an innocent bystander, but as a reminder to us all that it is important to keep vigilant and report any suspicious activity to police. (For non-emergencies dial 101 and, in an emergency dial 999.) All staff have been informed of the sighting and will continue to be vigilant whilst on duty.

Our aim, as always, is to keep the daily routines as normal as possible so as not to frighten the children. We feel this is an issue for all of us, as adults, to handle in the most discreet way possible. The teachers periodically bring the topic of safety into lessons without making it obvious (which no doubt you teach at home too) such as “being careful when crossing the road”, “remembering to put sun lotion on during the summer”, “not talking to strangers”, “washing your hands after going to the toilet”, etc. As always, the children’s safety is our priority and we shall continue to do all in our power to ensure they remain safe, secure and happy.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Harris'.

Mrs LM Harris
Headteacher

