



# Penistone Grammar School

## Never Stop Flying

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Dear Parent/Guardian of STUDENT FULLNAME

### **Knife Crime Day Of Action – Wednesday 12 March 2025**

As you will all be aware, a serious knife crime took place in a Sheffield school recently.

Whilst we are confident Penistone Grammar School does not have a knife crime problem; we want to be sure your children understand the dangers and consequences of knife crime. We do not want to be the next statistic.

We have engaged our local policing team from South Yorkshire Police, who will come into the school on Wednesday 12th March 2025 to deliver a knife crime day of action.

The day will include

- A knife arch. Students and adults will walk through the knife arch and be shown how it is used. We feel it is important to show the students that adults are taking part in this as well.
- Amnesty bin.
- Assemblies delivered by local Police Community Support Officers to show the dangers of carrying knives.

The police will remain at the school all day where students will be able to speak to them about any issues they may be facing.

Please be assured this day is about education, however, should you have any questions please feel free to contact me, or any members of the safeguarding team.

Kind Regards

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