

Dear Parents

### **Responsible Use of the Internet**

As part of pupils' curriculum enhancement and the development of ICT/Computing skills, St Paul's C of E Junior School is providing supervised access to the Internet.

Pupils will be able to research information from museums, libraries, news providers and suitable Web sites as part of their programme of learning, and may be asked to exchange electronic mail with partner schools.

Although there are concerns about pupils having access to undesirable materials, we have taken positive steps to ensure this does not happen. We have purchased our Internet access from an educational supplier. We have a filtering system in place provided by CLEO and our screens are in public view and, as stated above, access will be supervised. Additionally, we have now installed 'Hector' dolphin worldwide security button on all our machines.

Should you wish to discuss any aspect of Internet use please telephone me to arrange an appointment.

I enclose a copy of the Rules for Responsible Internet Use that we operate at St Pauls C of E Junior School. We also have a number of leaflets from national bodies that explain issues further and also cover Internet use at home.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Webster