



Special Program
PARENT NOTIFICATION

September 27th and 28th, 2018, Cardinal 6th and 7th graders will participate in an important program called E Risk- Relating in a Digital World during student's regularly scheduled Focus period. With today's students, constant connectivity has become a way of life. This program begins to prepare youth at an early for living safely and responsibly in a digital world.

The program is offered by Geauga ESC as a supplement to current prevention programs; TPP, Asset Development, Peer Mentoring and Camp Burton-day. E- Risk is taught in two 45 minute class periods.

Topics include understanding the speed and vastness of the Internet, private vs. public information, friendships, 'netiquette', cyberbullying, and how to handle situations that make them feel uncomfortable.

If you would like more information, respond to the email below. Online resources and support for parents, as well as a parent program called "Your Kids in a Cyber World" are also available.

Sincerely,

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If you do *NOT* want your child to participate in the program, please sign and return this form to Ms. Dalby, school counselor.

Student Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____