

Dear Parents

The safety of our students is of utmost importance to us. You might have read/seen the news about online game “Blue Whales” The Blue Whale game is believed to be a suicide game wherein a group of administrators or a certain curator gives a participant a task to complete daily — for a period of 50 days — the final of which is the participant committing suicide. Participants are expected to share photos of the challenges/tasks completed by them. These daily tasks start off easy — such as listening to certain genres of music, waking up at odd hours, watching a horror movie, among others, and then slowly escalate to carving out shapes on one’s skin, self-mutilation and eventually suicide.

Dear Parents please take care that your child does not involve in these kinds of activities.

Here are a few tips on how you can keep your child safe online

1. Always ensure that your child accesses internet from a computer placed in the family space.
2. Most child psychologists say when a child tends to stay by himself/herself, stops interacting with family and friends, often talks about running away from home or even death, or changes eating and/or sleeping habits must be immediately given special attention. These are the basic symptoms of a child who may be inclined towards participating in this online game. Be alert to any unusual changes in your child’s behaviour. If you notice any such changes, closely monitor his/her online activities, talk to school authorities or consult a child psychologist.
3. If you find out that your child is already playing the Blue Whale Challenge, immediately stop him/her from using the internet from any devices.

For more details please refer to following link

<http://ncpcr.gov.in/showfile.php?lang=1&level=1&sublinkid=1267&lid=1499>

Principal