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Dear Parents/Carers,

We wanted to bring to your attention an important matter regarding our children's online activities, specifically concerning the use of Times Tables Rockstars accounts.

Last Friday, it came to our attention that some children have been sharing their login details with each other and logging into each other's accounts to boost their scores and change their accounts. While we understand that this may have been done without realising the impact of it, it raises concerns that we need to address related to online safety and security.

We have taken this opportunity to educate our children about the importance of responsible online behaviour and the significance of safeguarding their personal information. It is crucial that they understand that sharing passwords or logging into someone else's account is not only against the rules, but also poses a potential risk to their online safety.

To further support these discussions at home, we have attached a helpful resource: 'Ten Tips for Stronger Passwords.' This resource can be used to engage your child in a conversation about healthy online safety practices and reinforce the importance of maintaining the confidentiality of their login details.

We appreciate your cooperation in addressing this matter and helping us instil good online citizenship in our children. By working together, we can ensure a safe and positive digital environment for all.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

Sincerely,

Mrs Rathbone

Principal

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