

## Let's discuss...Keeping Safe in the Real World

INTRODUCING THE TOPIC	There are a number of fairly simple and straightforward things you can do to help keep your young person safe in the real world and on a daily basis
THINGS TO TALK ABOUT	<ul> <li>Concerns you have for their safety. Whilst you want them to have fun and develop independence, preventing unnecessary risks.</li> <li>Despite known risks, young people are safer</li> </ul>
	having a phone. They can then be contacted or contact you when they are out and about.  Make sure the phone is charged and that it has credit
	<ul> <li>Use a contract phone rather than pay as you go. This allows a record to be kept of who is contacting the phone.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>If a young person is going out, establish where they are, who they are with, and agree a time to be back.</li> </ul>
	Make a plan for getting home. Make sure they have enough money to follow this plan.
	<ul> <li>Agree to discuss with another parent/carer if your young person is staying out for the night at their house</li> </ul>
HELP AND ADVICE	
	https://leics.police.uk/