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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Illegal Vapes**

We have been alerted that young people across the Warwickshire area are buying illegal CBD and TCH vapes, which is cannabis in a vape.

CBD is non hallucinogenic, THC is hallucinogenic. Some of these vapes have also been found to be contaminated with Nitazenes. Nitazenes are a synthetic based opioid which is 20-40 times stronger than heroin and 100 times stronger than morphine. This has caused some accidental deaths by overdose in the UK.

Please be aware that it is illegal for anyone under the age of 18 to purchase or use vapes of any sort. However, this new information is of particular concern. Please be vigilant and speak to your child to make sure they are aware of the dangers.

Further and more in depth information can be found on the COMPASS Warwickshire website

<https://www.compass-uk.org/services/warwickshire-cypdas/>

Yours faithfully

Mrs R Harrison  
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