## Be ready to report



# DATA BREACHES

#### Examples of a data breach are:

Access by an unauthorised third party

Sending personal data to an incorrect recipient

Computing devices containing personal data being lost or stolen

Loss of availability of personal data

### In school, this could include:

Sending an email to a group of parents using CC instead of BCC

Losing your planner with pupil details or your passwords in

Leaving your computer on and logged in when unattended

Printing a document but it not being on the printer when you go to collect it

#### WHAT IS A DATA BREACH?

A data breach can be broadly defined as a security incident that has affected the confidentiality, integrity or availability of personal data.

IF YOU SUSPECT A BREACH HAS OCCURRED, REPORT IT IMMEDIATELY TO: