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Dear Parents and Carers

Sainsbury's in Redhill have contacted us to say that they have recently seen an increase in students, including some from Carrington School, attempting to use fraudulent coupons to obtain substantial discounts in-store. It appears that these coupons are being sourced via social media platforms such as TikTok and Discord and then being shared among groups.

Sainsbury's have in-store detectives monitoring for fraudulent activity and are working closely with the police. Any individual found using fraudulent coupons will face a store ban, and the police will be notified.

We ask that you talk to your young person about the seriousness of this issue as using fraudulent coupons is considered a criminal offence and could have serious consequences.

Thank you for your cooperation in addressing this important matter. If you have any concerns or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best wishes  
**Mrs K Oakley**  
Headteacher

