

# Guns just for fun?

As you may be aware, gun crime in America is a big topic that is talked about a lot at the minute, especially after the most recent school shooting in Parkland, Florida, where 17 people were killed. It has been labelled as the deadliest school shooting since 2012.



These are just some of the guns that are legal in America.

The nation is starting to make a change after the recent school shooting in Florida; people are starting to think of revolutions and how to make school a safe place for the students and teachers but most of all, the Country. Students from the school have appeared on a few American TV shows to make their voices heard.

In the mean time Donald Trump has suggested that teachers should have guns in case the situation reoccurs. But is this just adding to the amount of guns and gun crime in America?

In 2015 13,286 people were killed and 26,819 were injured from guns in America. Compared to the UK, that is one gun murder in every million. It has been found that most of the gun crime is performed by teenagers/ young adults. In 30 states, a child can own a rifle or shot gun. Shocking.

We asked a few students their opinion about owning a gun at such a young age; one girl from Caste School, Pembrokeshire, replied: “I think it’s absolutely appalling that technically a baby can own a gun”.



Pupils protesting for their future and safety in their Country.