

E-SAFETY: CLICK CLEVER, CLICK SAFE.



The interesting internet (which we can't live without) is a source that over one hundred million people go on every day and it is a wonderful , fun place to be. It can include online gaming, social media and chatting. However it can be hazardous to you and your device; phone, tablet, iPad or computer. The risks could include hackers, spammers or talking to a stranger. It can be unsafe so follow these guidelines to be safe online.

STAY SAFE ON SOCIAL MEDIA.

Social media sites are enjoyable and fun ways to show your personality and communicate with your friends and BEST friends. On most social networks, such as : Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat, Pinterest, Tumblr, and Musical.ly ; it may be that you have to be 13 years or older to use them, if you do have any of these social networks and you are under 13 years, you will have to use them under adult supervision. Also it can be **precarious** posting photos of you and your friends on social media because a stranger might find it and would see what school you go to if you are wearing school uniform. Pupils are not allowed to send a request to teachers and teachers are **prohibited** to answer it.



WOULD YOU SHARE YOUR DETAILS?

If you are on social media or playing online games and you are talking to a stranger, do NOT give them any of your personal details, including: your address, surname phone number, date of birth or a picture of yourself. They could pretend to be you or come to your house and burgle or murder you.

IF YOU NEED HELP!

If you are ever unsure of anything and don't want to tell your parents or an adult just call **ChildLine** at 0800 1111. You could also click **CEOP**- The Child Exploitation and Online Protection- which will give you a website to tell you how to report it. If you could, join in with the Safer Internet Day 2017 on February 7th then that would be great!!



CHEEKY CHATROOMS AND ONLINE FORUMS

Chatrooms are places to chat to other people about activities that you find interesting and fun. If you ever log onto a chatroom, **ALWAYS** use a nickname and an avatar. Whenever you get a nasty message off someone, before deleting it, show your parents so they can deal with it. If you want to post and share a photograph of you or any inappropriate things, think before you send because once it has sent it will never delete consequently many people will see it.

CRAZY GAMING!

You can play online games with friends or people from all around the world. You could be talking to an 8 year old girl but you might actually be talking to a 43 year old man so don't risk arranging to meet them. It is also best if you use a **sobriquet** instead of your real name.

MEETING UP WITH SOMEONE.

It could be very dangerous if you met someone in real life that you have only met in a game but if you have been talking to them for a while with an adult or parent you could arrange to meet up with them as a result you will know what your online friends look like.



I hope that after reading this you can keep yourself and your technology safe while surfing the net.

GLOSSARY!

Social Media- An online website to share your personality

Sobriquet- A synonym for 'nickname'

ChildLine- A company who can help children who are in need of help

CEOP- The Child Exploitation and Online Protection

Precarious- A synonym for 'dangerous'

Prohibited- A synonym for 'forbidden'



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