

How To Survive The Internet Safely

Truthfully the internet is a wonderful resource and probably most of our knowledge came from it and school. But there are some spammers out there consequently using it to endanger youths and teenagers. If you are a child or a teenager you need to be reading this (if you use the internet frequently). Here is some advice on how to stay safe on the internet.



Chatting Online

Some young people are on social media and here is some advice on how to stay safe on social media. If you get a status or a message that upsets you tell a parent about it and they will delete it or block the person who put it up. The second bit of advice is don't put up an inappropriate photograph because it can become viral therefore people will humiliate you and it can affect your job in the future or at least getting a job. If you put a photograph of your cat or dog as a profile picture that is ok as long as if you don't put your face on it.



Online Gaming

Say if you were playing Minecraft. You have been playing with this anonymous gamer and according to the message he sent you he likes your profile image. Then he asks you a handful of questions and then he asks "You want to meet up at school?" Just say no and then tell mum or dad and they will block him or

her) for you and that way you won't meet up with the stranger and you can avoid going missing or ending up dead.

Cyber Bullying

If someone is bullying you over the internet immediately tell an adult if someone is spreading threats about you also call Childline or CEOP if no adult is listening to you , both ways are equally as useful if you're being cyber bullied.



Conclusion

If you have read this and you will use these strategies you can have a safe surf on the internet.

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