INFORMATION FOR SCHOOL STAFF Childnet



1. CHILDNET RESOURCES AND WEBSITES



Childnet: A non-profit organisation working in partnership with others around the world to help make the internet a great and safe place for children.

The Teachers and Professionals area contains key advice, information on reporting and detailed information on a range of online safety topics in the Hot topics section. Whilst the Resources area hosts a range of free online resources, including those for SEND pupils, as well as a number of recommended resources for young people, parents, carers and teachers. www.childnet.com



UK Safer Internet Centre: Childnet is part of the European Commission appointed UK Safer Internet Centre. Together with partners the Internet Watch Foundation and the South West Grid for Learning, we raise awareness about internet safety, develop information materials and resources and organise high profile events such as Safer Internet Day. You can access a range of resources from across the UK, Europe and wider afield at www.saferinternet.org.uk.



Childnet Digital Leaders Programme: The Programme aims to empower pupils to champion digital citizenship and digital creativity within their schools and to educate their peers, parents and teachers about staying safe online. It offers an exciting online community, structured training and ongoing support from Childnet's expert team, making online safety learning fun and effective and helping schools work towards an outstanding whole school community approach to online safety. www.childnet.com/digital-leaders

2. OTHER RESOURCES, ACTIVITIES & LESSON PLANS



Safer Internet Day: Free education packs are produced every year for Safer Internet Day based on the theme that year. There are packs for KS1-KS5 and Parents/Carers. Each pack includes an assembly and script, lesson plan, quick activities and promotional materials. This year's pack and previous packs can be downloaded from the UK Safer Internet Centre site. www.saferinternetday.org.uk



ThinkUKnow: A website run by CEOP that contains information for children, parents and teachers, as well as a link for children to report abuse online. The teacher/trainer section requires sign up to access and download the resources.





Digital Literacy and Citizenship: The South West Grid for Learning have created free digital literacy and citizenship schemes of learning for all year groups from EYFS to KS4. These include medium term plans, individual lesson plans and links to online resources and activities. www.digital-literacy.org.uk



Online Safety in the Computing Curriculum: This free guide produced by Childnet provides further detail to the online safety themes outlined in the computing curriculum and signposts to free high quality resources that can be used to educate pupils on a range of online safety issues. www.childnet.com/resources/esafety-and-computing



Education for a Connected World: The framework, produced by the UK Council for Child Internet Safety, describes the digital knowledge and skills that young people should have the opportunity to develop at different ages and stages of their lives.

www.gov.uk/government/groups/uk-council-for-child-internet-safety-ukccis

3. INFORMATION AND ADVICE TO SHARE WITH PARENTS/CARERS



Safety Tools on Social Networks and Other Online Services: Information and advice on the safety tools, age requirements and terms and conditions for a variety of online services popular with young people. www.saferinternet.org.uk/safety-tools



Common Sense Media: A US non-profit organisation that provides independent reviews, age ratings and other information about movies, games, apps, TV shows, websites, books and music for families, educators and children. www.commonsensemedia.org

NetAware: NSPCC and O2 have created a guide with information and advice for parents and carers on the most popular social networks and interactive apps and games used by children and young people. The information is also available in an app for Apple and Android devices. www.net-aware.org.uk They also provide an online safety helpline for parents and carers to

answer questions and address concerns about a child's online safety: 0808 800 5000

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4. PROFESSIONAL REPUTATION









Social Network Checklists: Guides produced by the UK Safer Internet Centre that contain detailed instructions and information on managing privacy and account settings on Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat and Instagram. www.saferinternet.org.uk/checklists

Managing your school's online reputation: The London Grid for Learning and UK Safer Internet Centre have produced a guide for managing a school's online reputation and making the most out of a school's social media account. onlinerep.lgfl.net

5. WHOLE SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT



Advice Centre: The Teachers and Professionals section of the Advice Centre contains information on teaching resources, curriculum planning, policy development and a guide for schools on how to establish 'appropriate levels' of filtering and monitoring.

www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/teachers-and-professionals



School Pack for Online Safety Awareness: A pack to help you use technology and social media safely and responsibly as a school, whether in your work with young people or at home. It includes an online safety calendar, social media guidance for teachers and support staff and a teachers and technology checklist.

www.childnet.com/resources/school-pack-for-online-safety-awareness



360 Degree Safe: A free self review tool to help schools review and develop their online safety policies, procedures and provision. Sign up is required and there is an optional accreditation. www.360safe.org.uk



360 Degree Data: A self review tool to help schools review and develop their policies, procedures and provision around data protection and information security. Sign up is required.

6. RESOURCES ON SEXTING



Sexting Resources: This page on the UK Safer Internet Centre site contains links to practical resources for educating young people about the risks posed by sexting. It also includes the guide 'So You Got Naked Online', which provides useful advice for young people on how to get help and what to do after a sexting incident. www.saferinternet.org.uk/sexting



UKCCIS: Childnet sits on the UK Council for Child Internet Safety Education Group, which has produced advice for schools and colleges on managing sexting incidents. The UKCCIS page on gov.uk also includes other outputs from the group, including guidance for school governors.

7. WHERE TO REPORT



Need help? Information about responding to disclosures from pupils and information on where to report online concerns such as cyberbullying, inappropriate content or illegal behaviour. www.childnet.com/teachers-help



Professionals Online Safety Helpline: The UK Safer Internet Centre has been funded by the European Commission to provide a Helpline for professionals who work with children and young people in the UK, specifically tackling the area of online safety. helpline@saferinternet.org.uk 0344 381 4772



Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP): A command of the National Crime Agency dedicated to tackling child abuse and child sexual exploitation. This website includes a unique facility that enables parents and young people to make reports of actual or attempted abuse online. www.ceop.police.uk



Email us:

Internet Watch Foundation: Part of the UK Safer Internet Centre, the IWF is the UK's hotline for reporting illegal content found on the internet. It deals specifically with child abuse and criminally obscene images hosted in the UK and internationally.

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