

Hook with Warsash's Internet Safety Resources for Parents

At school, the children learn about e-safety in a fun and engaging way. We feel it is vital for children to understand the importance of being safe online at school and at home. Please find below a list of websites providing a range of internet safety resources including guidance, support and parent guides which you may find useful to use at home.



For general information about e-safety including parent guides and social media checklists:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/>

<https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers>

<https://www.mencap.org.uk/sites/default/files/2016-11/Internet-Safety-web-2016.pdf>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/nude-selfies-a-parents-guide/>

For resources to use with your children:

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/playlikeshare/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/band-runner/>

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/blog/films-for-5-7-year-olds>

For social media checklists:

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/social-media-checklists>

<https://www.internetmatters.org/parental-controls/>

For information about games including PEGI ratings and setting up parental controls:

<https://pegi.info/what-do-the-labels-mean>

<https://www.askaboutgames.com/>

<https://www.commonsensemedia.org/articles/privacy-and-internet-safety>

<https://www.internetmatters.org/parental-controls/>

To keep up to date with current online safety issues:

<https://www.hookwithwarsash.co.uk/online-safety-newsletter/>

For a child friendly search engine:

<https://swiggle.org.uk/>

<https://www.kiddle.co/>

To raise a concern:

<https://www.ceop.police.uk/Safety-Centre/>

For a more detailed explanation about what each website provides, please look at the next two pages.

<https://www.internetmatters.org/parental-controls/> - To find a PDF guide on how to block and report on popular games and apps, check out the Internet Matters website. Use the search box to find the game, platform, or device you are looking for.

<https://www.internetmatters.org/> - The main Internet Matters homepage page also contains a whole range of resources, advice and support.

<https://pegi.info/what-do-the-labels-mean> - PEGI considers the age suitability of a game, not the level of difficulty. This website shows you what the different labels mean.

<https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/> - Childnet allows you to offer your children support and guidance through their range of online safety guides.

<https://www.askaboutgames.com/> - Allows you to search the name of a game to find out more about it including how to set up parental controls.

<https://www.commonsensemedia.org/articles/privacy-and-internet-safety> - Allows you to find out how to set up parental controls for games.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/nude-selfies-a-parents-guide/> - Thinkuknow have many resources related to online child exploitation. There is a four part animation series called 'Nude Selfies' that provides insight into the motivations for sharing nude selfies.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/> - The main Thinkuknow parents homepage page also contains a whole range of resources, advice and support.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/playlikeshare/> - An animation series for 8-10 year olds. An engaging and age appropriate way of helping students to identify the red flags, and help them to communicate safely online.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/band-runner/> - A game that accompanies Play, Like, Share. A fun and interactive way of helping young people to become digitally resilient.

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers> - A whole range of parent advice, guides and resources is available on the Safer Internet website

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/social-media-checklists> - The UK Safer Internet Centre and SWGfI have created Social Media Checklists, so you can check up on your privacy settings and ensure you are up to date.

<https://www.hookwithwarsash.co.uk/online-safety-newsletter/> - Access our monthly e-safety newsletters through this link.

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/blog/films-for-5-7-year-olds> - Films created by the UK Safer Internet Centre aimed at children between 5 and 7 years old.

<https://swiggle.org.uk/> - A child friendly search engine without any ads. An alternative to Google or Kiddle.

<https://www.mencap.org.uk/sites/default/files/2016-11/Internet-Safety-web-2016.pdf> - An outline of some suggestions for how parents can keep their young people safe online at home. Specifically focused on learning disabilities, autism and internet safety.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/> - NSPCC provides online safety guides for parents.

<https://www.ceop.police.uk/Safety-Centre/> - Allows you to raise a concern to CEOP.