

# What should I do?

If people online are mean or worry me I should:

- Tell an adult I trust straight away.
- Try to stay calm.
- Ask an adult to block that person so it can't happen again.

## What our school does to help us with online safety?

- We take online safety seriously.
- We listen to the children involved and offer support.
- We make sure children understand the consequences of their actions.
- We work with parents and carers to make sure everyone is safe at school and home.



## How can my parents or carers help me stay safe?

- Always be with me when I use the internet.
- Always make sure parental controls are used to make sure I can't access anything that is not suitable for me.
- Make sure the games I play are for children my age.
- Talk to someone if they are worried about anything.

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**Online Safety Guide  
for Children**



This guide is to help everyone stay safe while still having fun when using the internet, computers, tablets, games consoles and other mobile devices.

It will remind you what to do, how you should behave and who you should tell if things make you unhappy or upset.



## What is Online Safety?

Online Safety is about staying safe when you use the internet. This includes using the internet on computers, tablets, iPads mobile phones and games consoles.



It is important because it helps to keep children safe so they can enjoy,

### The internet is great because:

- You can learn lots of things.
- You can have lots of fun.
- It can help with our school work.
- You can stay in touch with friends and family.

### Some online dangers include:



**Cyber Bullying**—nasty text messages and emails, saying unkind things whilst talking to someone on games consoles.

**Stranger Danger**—Some people who you might talk to online you might not know, so they are strangers.

**Bad Language**—Sometimes when we are online we can see or hear words that might upset us.

**Content Online**—some material online is not suitable for children to look at.

## When I am online ...



### I will be a good communicator

by using good manners at all times and never being rude or nasty to others in any emails, texts and online conversations.

### I will only accept good communication

by expecting good manners from people who email, text or have online conversations with me. If anyone says or does anything to upset me I will keep the messages and show them to a trusted adult.

### I will be careful what I post

I'll stop and think about the consequences before I post something online. I will never post or forward information, photos or videos that could cause embarrassment or put me or anyone else at risk.

### I will be careful who I have as an online friend

by only accepting people that I really know and only sharing my profile with friends.

### I will be careful what I share

by keeping my personal information private. I will never share my, or anyone else's full name, address, passwords, school name, email address, current location or phone numbers with anyone online.

### I will be careful who I meet

I won't meet up with anyone I talk to online unless my parent or carer says it is ok and they come with me.

### I will listen to my feelings

and tell a trusted adult if anything I see or hear online makes me feel sad, scared or confused.

### I will make sensible choices wherever I am

At school by only accessing sites that help me learn and that my teachers give me permission to use.

At home by choosing sites and games that are meant for young people my age.

People we should tell if we are worried or something online makes us unhappy :

- Family
- Teachers
- Any adult in school



Here to help

When I am online I should always:

- Be kind and expect others to be kind to me.
- Be careful about what I post online and make sure it won't embarrass me or anybody else.
- Never make 'friends' or talk to anyone I don't know in real-life.
- Tell an adult if something I see or hear online makes me feel sad, scared or confused.

