

SUPPORTING YOUNG PEOPLE ONLINE



Dear Parents and Carers,

February 11th 2014 is Safer Internet Day, a day that is very important to our school and pupils. Safer Internet Day is run by the INSAFE network and is celebrated every year across Europe, and in other countries worldwide.

In the UK, Safer Internet Day is organised by the UK Safer Internet Centre (www.saferinternet.org.uk), and this year's theme is "Let's create a better internet together." Childnet International, who form part of the UK Safer Internet Centre have produced an online safety presentation to help schools, parents and carers, support children and young people online.

To celebrate the many positives of the internet, and to raise awareness of the issues that children and young people face online today, we will be undertaking activities throughout the day to support the children to understand how to be safe online.

We believe that internet safety education is a crucial element of the curriculum and an essential part of young people's development. We really hope that you will be able to look at the following websites with your children to support our Safer Internet Day.

FS/KS1 www.Thinkuknow, Look at Lee and Kim and Hectors World.

FS/KS1 www.kidssmart look at Smartie the Penguin story/Digiducks story

KS2 www.thinkuknow/www.childsnet/digizen/chatdanger/

Digizen is about being a digital citizen (knowing and behaving to be sensible on line) would be good for Upper KS2

Childnet has 'The adventures of Kara, Winston and the Smart crew'.

Yours sincerely

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