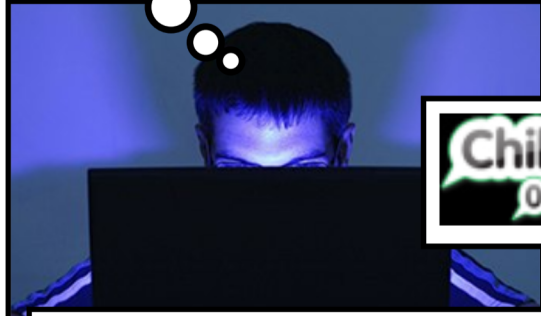


HOW SAFE IS YOUR CHILD?

INTERNET SAFETY

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO READ THIS GUIDE AND LOOK AT THE LINKS AVAILABLE ONLINE.



AT OUR SCHOOL WE ARE COMMITTED TO PROTECTING OUR CHILDREN FROM HARM. WE BELIEVE WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS IS VITAL TO ENSURE OUR CHILDREN HAVE A CONSTANT MESSAGE FROM BOTH HOME AND SCHOOL.

AS TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPS YEAR ON YEAR OUR CHILDREN ALSO DEVELOP. IT IS VITAL, AS ADULTS THAT WE DO TOO AND KEEP UP WITH WHAT IS OUT THERE AND WHAT THE RISKS COULD BE.

SET THE PARENT SETTINGS

DO YOU KNOW ALL THEIR PHONE CONTACTS?



DO YOU MONITOR THEIR PHONE USAGE AND REMOVE IT AT NIGHT?



IN ORDER TO HAVE A FACEBOOK ACCOUNT YOU MUST BE 13 YEARS OLD. MANY CHILDREN WILL USE FALSE D.O.B IN ORDER TO REGISTER. PLEASE CHECK! IF YOUR CHILD HAS AN ACCOUNT WE ADVISE YOU CLOSE IT DOWN. TO REDUCE THE RISK OF HARM IT IS IMPORTANT YOU TALK TO YOUR CHILD ABOUT:

- NOT ACCEPTING STRANGERS AS FRIENDS
- NOT SHARING PERSONAL INFORMATION
- SHARING PASSWORDS WITH PARENTS
- NEVER MEET A STRANGER THEY'VE MET ONLINE
- SET PRIVACY SETTINGS

ENSURE GAMES YOU BUY FOR YOUR CHILD ARE AGE APPROPRIATE. MANY PARENTS ARE UNAWARE OF GRAPHIC AND SEXUALISED CONTENT ON 18 CERTIFICATE GAMES.

PARENT GUIDE

ENSURE THE COMPUTER IS IN A FAMILY SPACE SO YOU CAN MONITOR WHAT SITES YOUR CHILD IS ACCESSING



DO YOU KNOW THEIR PASSWORDS?



THE RISKS ARE REAL

TWO CHILDREN FROM THE UK WERE MURDERED AFTER MEETING A STRANGER THEY'D MET ONLINE (FACEBOOK & XBOX) BOTH TOLD THEIR PARENTS THEY WERE GOING TO SLEEP AT A FRIEND'S HOUSE. NEITHER PARENT CHECKED!

WHAT'S CYBER BULLYING?

WWW.THINKUKNOW.CO.UK & CEOP HAVE GOOD ADVICE & RESOURCES AND GUIDANCE FOR BOTH PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN. TAKE A LOOK!

IF A PERSON OR GROUP OF PEOPLE USE THE INTERNET, MOBILE PHONE OR OTHER TECHNICAL DEVICE TO THREATEN, ABUSE OR TEASE SOMEONE.