



Online Safety at Christ Church



As part of our Computing and PSHE curriculum, you are taught about the importance of Internet Safety. Every time you use ICT during a lesson, you recall and discuss how to stay safe online. In Digital Literacy and E-Safety, we learn about and discuss the importance of keeping personal information private. By following the rules, we agree to use online communication effectively and respectfully and identify the positive and negative impact of technology in our lives.

How do we stay safe online?



At Christ Church, we follow **S.M.A.R.T** internet safety rules.

S
Keep personal information **safe**. Do not give things away like your full name, passwords, school or home address.

M
If someone you *only know online* asks you to **meet** up, for your personal information, pictures or videos then tell a trusted adult straight away.

A
Think carefully before you click on, open or **accept** anything online, as you never know what it might lead to.

R
Remember not all information you have seen/read online is **reliable**. You cannot trust everything you see or read.

T
Tell a trusted adult if something or someone ever makes you feel upset, worried or confused.



What does it mean to be online?
If you are online you are using the internet.
This could be when using a laptop, iPad, games console, TV etc.

What does school have in place to keep you safe online?
To keep you safe online at school, we have firewalls in place to prevent you seeing or reading inappropriate content. **Tell** an adult if you feel you have seen something which has upset, worried or confused you.

How is the internet and computing used every day?
Computing isn't just the use of computers! It is used all around the world for lots of different purposes. Many things we use in everyday life involve programming (a skill which we learn in school). Examples of this are; traffic lights, washing machines, cars, alarms, lifts and many more! Can you think of any?



What is a Digital Footprint?
A digital footprint – sometimes called a digital shadow or an electronic footprint is the trail of information you leave use the internet. It includes websites you visit, emails you send and the information you submit online.

What is cyber bullying?
Cyberbullying is bullying that takes place online. Unlike bullying offline, online bullying can follow a child wherever they go, via social networks, gaming and mobile phone. If you feel as though you are being bullied online, tell an adult straight away for help and support.



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