

ONLINE SAFETY

Helpful websites for parents and guardians

Children and young people spend a lot of time online and it is important that you talk to them about keeping safe. This can cover everything from sexting to cyberbullying, sharing information and photographs to online grooming. Understanding what children do online and the risks they face will help you keep your child safe online.

Listed below are some websites where you will find lots of useful information.



www.childnet.com/resources/know-it-all-for-parents

Information about websites children use

www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers

Essential information

www.childnet.com/ufiles/Young-people-and-social-networking-A.pdf

Useful guide to social networking sites



www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety
General information

www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/parental-controls

Understanding and setting parental controls



www.net-aware.org.uk

Useful information about the most popular sites used by children



www.parentzone.org.uk

Advice for parents and children

**internet
matters.org**

www.internetmatters.org

For issues affecting children



www.ceop.police.uk/Safety-Centre

Information about online abuse



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For non-emergencies call **101**

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A guide to websites for young people

Children and young people spend a lot of time online and it is important you remember to be safe and smart online and understand potential risks. This includes being aware of cyberbullying, online grooming and not giving out personal information or sharing photographs with people you don't know.

Listed below are some websites where you will find lots of useful information.



www.thinkuknow.co.uk

Information for various age groups and pages of advice

www.thinkuknow.co.uk/14_plus/Need-advice/

These pages cover lots of topics relevant to the over-14s



www.childline.org.uk

Home pages with links to other topics for children and young people

www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/

For information about bullying, abuse and safety



www.net-aware.org.uk

Useful information about the most popular sites used by children



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Advice for children and parents



www.saferinternet.org.uk

Has lots of resources for young people, parents and carers



www.childnet.com/young-people/secondary

Top tips, help and advice including about social network sites



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