

If people online are horrible or worry me, I should:

- Tell someone I trust straight away.
- Report anything that worries or upsets you.
- Save messages for evidence.
- Try to stay calm and don't panic.
- Try not to get upset or angry.



I should NOT:

- Keep things to myself.
- Be nasty or unkind back.
- Delete messages.
- Get angry or upset.

What our school does to respond to E-safety issues:

- We listen to the children involved and offer support
- We take e-safety seriously.
- Educate the children about being safe online
- Contact parents and carers
- We investigate anything that is reported to us.

Our Internet Safety Rules:

These rules help us to stay safe online:

- Be kind to others online.
- Keep our personal information private.
- Always ask if you are unsure or tell an adult if you feel unsafe.
- Do not talk to strangers online.
- Only use the internet when adults are supervising you.
- Keep our passwords secret.



Child Friendly E-Safety Policy

This policy was developed by Southlands School

What is E-safety?



E-safety stands for electronic safety. E-safety is making sure we are safe on the internet and feel protected when using technology.

THE INTERNET IS GREAT BECAUSE...

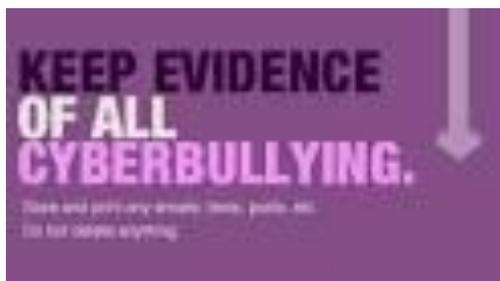
- You can play games and have fun.
- You can talk to friends and family.
- You can learn new things.
- The internet can help us with schoolwork.



Online Dangers we can experience

Include: -

- **Cyber:** being sent mean messages by text message, email or on the internet.
- **Racist:** Bullying another person based on their skin colour or that look different.
- **Sexist:** saying rude comments to you about being a boy or a girl.
- **Homophobic/biphobia:** Calling you gay, lesbian or bisexual in a nasty way that can hurt feelings.
- **Through a third person:** other people sending you horrible messages.



S - SAFE: Keep safe by being careful not to give out personal information to people. This means your full name, email address, phone number, home address, your photos or school name.

M - MEETING: Meeting someone you have only been in talking with online can be dangerous. How do you know that they are who they say they are? Tell an adult so that they can keep you safe.

A - ACCEPTING: reading emails, messages or opening files, pictures or texts from people you don't know, or trust can be dangerous.

R - RELIABLE: Information you find on the internet may not be true. If you don't feel right about someone online always tell an adult.

T - TELL: Tell your parents, guardian or trusted grown up if someone or something makes you feel uncomfortable or worried, or if someone you know is being bullied online.

- You can always report online abuse to the police at www.thinkuknow.co.uk

