



Safeguarding Newsletter – February 2018.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

I would once again like to draw your attention to the 'Keeping Safe' information on our school website. I have added information and the following links –

- UK Safer Internet Centre
- Supporting young people online fact sheet
- Keeping under fives safe online
- Online gaming
- Young people and social networking sites

I hope you will find these useful and informative in our continued approach to keeping your children safe online.

I must draw your attention however to information I have received from Greater Manchester Police regarding the gaming app ROBLOXS. Concerns have come to light in the last few days and have been highlighted in the local and national media.

Although the app itself is legitimate and allows users to create their own games and play them with other app users, there have been some reports of inappropriate messages from strangers and inappropriate content. Please check if your child uses this app.

Safer Internet Day – Tuesday 6th February 2018.

Once again we will be participating in Safer Internet Day. This years' theme is 'Create, connect and share respect – A better internet starts with you.'

Classes across school will be undertaking activities relating to the day and children will be making their pledges about what they can do to endorse this years' theme. Attached is also a template that you may want to complete as a family in order to support the day and promoting safety and respect whilst using the internet.

Watch out for class blogs and twitter to see the work completed.

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