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Dear Parents,

In preparation for **Safer Internet Day on Tuesday 10th February 2026**, we would like to share a number of helpful online safety resources with you to support any discussions or activities you may wish to have at home with your child. This is a parenting and an education matter and we want to give you all the tools to support you in your role.

The information below has been provided directly by the **Hampshire Constabulary Education Partnership Team** and contains high-quality guidance and age-appropriate materials for children, parents and professionals. These resources are designed to promote safe, responsible and positive use of the internet and digital technologies.

We encourage all families to explore these links and use them as a starting point for conversations about staying safe online. They may also guide you if your child/ren come home asking questions or making comments after our school assembly about it for Safer Internet Day:

- [CEOP Safety Centre](#) – **Reporting concerning online behaviour**
This site provides a secure way to report concerns about online behaviour and includes excellent resources for different age groups, parents and professionals.
- [NSPCC](#) – **Keeping children safe online**
Practical advice and guidance for children, parents and professionals on managing online risks and supporting digital wellbeing.
- [Childnet](#) – **Online safety for young people**
Child-friendly resources and activities to help young people understand how to stay safe online.
- [BBC Teach](#) – **KS2 (Years 3-6) Safer Internet Day 2026 Live Lesson**
A live, interactive lesson designed specifically for Safer Internet Day, suitable for use at school or at home.
- [Smartphone Free Childhood](#) – A parent-led initiative offering guidance and research on reducing smartphone use and supporting children's wellbeing, mental health and development.
- [The National College Parent Guides](#) - There is a fact sheet for parents about every aspect of this issue including individual platforms or social media apps e.g. Snapchat.

Online safety is an essential part of our shared responsibility in supporting children's wellbeing. By working together, we can help ensure our pupils develop the skills and confidence to use the internet safely and responsibly.

Thank you for your continued support. Kind regards,



Mrs Jo Ayres
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