E-Safety Awareness for Parents

Cranford School
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Our Approach to E-Safety

- Focus on 4 C's: Conduct, Contact, Content and Commerce
- Use technology to minimise risk for students
- Inform students about best practices and resources in PSCHE, assemblies and other touchpoints
- Open communication is key

Junior School E-Safety

 Our PSHE programme throughout Junior School covers different aspects of E-safety. We teach a targeted lesson at the start of each half term in their weekly Computing lessons.

JS	Year 3	Cyberbullying, recognizing scams and communication
	Year 4	identifying safe search engines, plagiarism and digital citizenship
	Year 5	spam, digital manipulation and powerful passwords
	Year 6	the importance of keeping personal information safe, appropriate behaviour online and AI

Pastoral - Juniors

- Learning respectful, safe, and age-appropriate strategies
- Benefits of digital tools vastly outweigh the risks

E-Safety Week Events	Monday	CEOP 'Think you know' - games, videos and info about staying safe online
	Tuesday	BBC Live Lesson – Challenges of Artificial Intelligence
	Wednesday	Digital Wellbeing for Years 5 & 6 with Mrs Clarance
	Thursday	UK Safer Internet Day Assembly
	Friday	Positive Online Experiences

Senior School E-Safety

- Maximise non-screen socialising and 'real life' norms
- Prioritise critical thinking skills as risks continue to change

E-Safety Week Events	Monday	All Seniors – IT Code of Conduct Review Years 7 – 8: Recognising Influence Workshop Years 9 – 10: Algorithmic Influence Workshop Years 11 – 13: Digital Citizenship Discussion
	Tuesday	Safer Internet Day – House Time
	Wednesday	Cyberbullying Discussion
	Thursday	Years 7 – 8: Age Restriction Workshop Years 9 – 13: Digital Footprints Workshop
	Friday	Artificial Intelligence - Senior School Assembly

Pastoral Concerns and Responses - Seniors

- Reporting online behaviours
- Open communication
- Key topics in PSCHE lessons to mitigate potential exposure risks

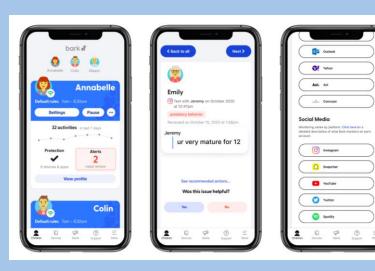
Regulations on E-Safety

- All staff trained on key concerns
- Filtering and Monitoring in place
- Safeguarding policy and practices reflect digital challenges including child-on-child abuse, relationships on social media and the use of mobile and smart technology.
- Policies and training kept up to date as per KCSIE legislation

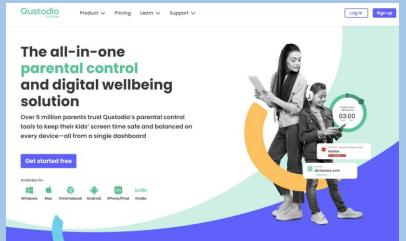
Advice for Parents in the Digital Age

- Be active in your child's digital life know what apps and platforms
- Set parental controls this is not the default
- Ensure child's birthdate is accurate to ensure ads and other content is age appropriate
- Be aware of tech-tantrums and 'finsta's
- Model good behaviour and open communication
- Aim for no 'blue lights' at least one hour before bedtime.

Tools for Parents in the Digital Age











Cranford E-Safety Resources

Cranford Approved Online Activities

Age Group	Description	Link
All ages	Dance along, How to videos and more to get your child moving	<u>Go Noodle</u>
All ages	STEM based games, videos and more	Nasa Interactives
All ages	Online creation platform from the Tate	<u>Tate Kids</u>
All ages	Language Learning Hub	Linguascope
All ages	Self-led coding activities	Hour of Code
Junior School	Become Internet Legends and learn e-Safety in this game created by Google	Interland Game
Junior School	Most major museums have educational sections on their websites, and this one is definitely one of the most interactive ones out there.	Natural History Museum
KS2 and up	Educational, resources by course/topic	Seneca
Senior School	Catalogue of Theatre Productions	<u>Digital Theatre Plus</u>
Senior School	Trivia for good, from World Food Program	Free Rice

Questions?

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