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Dear Parents and Carers,

E-safety advice and support for parents and carers

In these unprecedented times, keeping our children safe online has never been more critical. Glebe School has gathered some useful links and resources to ensure your child stays safe online and to help you through this challenging time.

With children spending more time on the internet during lockdown, it's more important than ever for parents and carers and their children to know the best reporting and support routes, should they be worried about something online.

'Parent Info', a website designed to give advice to parents based on E-safety related issues, have created a great resource on where and how you should report issues as they arise online. You can read the article here

[Where to report?](#)

'CEOP' and 'Parent Info' have also created a great article on how to maintain positive mental health whilst being in lockdown. The advice is catered to issues relevant to you and your families and provides

excellent advice and resources to assist you with this. You can find the article in the link below.

[Maintaining positive mental health during lockdown.](#)

The Government agency 'Think U Know' have devised some excellent home activity packs which are about 15 minutes in duration. They are designed to refresh children's knowledge on internet safety and offer a great interactive resource to do this. You can download the suitable pack for your child below.

[Home activity pack](#)

We have compiled a list of helpful tips to help keep your child safe on the internet.

- Are the privacy settings for older children's social media and other online accounts set to restrict what strangers can see and who can contact your children?
- Are they accessing age-appropriate content?
- Set up parental control on devices. You can use the 'Google family link' app to manage screen time and apps usage.

We hope you find these links useful and informative. If you do have any concerns about your child please do discuss them with your child's form tutor when they make their routine calls. We are aiming to check in on parents on a regular basis and we are always happy to give advice and pastoral support for any issues you may be experiencing during this challenging time.

Yours Sincerely

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