

# Online Safety Calendar 2022-2023

#### September

8th - <u>International Literacy Day</u>. You could celebrate with your learners by using our learning-to-read books.

Download and print our <u>FREE online safety</u> <u>posters</u> for your classroom!

Check out our Education Sessions for schools!

For <u>Sexual Health Awareness Month</u>, you could use our <u>"Online Pornography"</u> help page and explore its potential risks for young people.

#### January

Happy New Year! Use our <u>Help & Advice pages</u> to set online safety resolutions with your learners.

Digital resilience is a skill we feel is essential for young people. Use our <u>resource for 11-14</u> year olds.

Empower young people with SEND to build happy and healthy online relationships <u>using</u> our Thrive Online resource.

#### May

4th - Discuss the importance of <u>privacy and</u> <u>personal information</u> this National Password Day.

Why not spend some time exploring our <u>SMART with a Heart</u> video lessons for 6-9 year olds?

Mental Health Awareness Month is a great way to check in with your learners' digital wellbeing. They could create a digital wellbeing journal and update it weekly.

#### October

10th - Raise <u>digital wellbeing</u> awareness with your learners this <u>World Mental Health Day.</u>

Research ways to celebrate Black History Month - who are the black pioneers of the subject matter in your curriculum?

Have you witnessed harmful content online? Report to the <u>Report Harmful Content</u> platform.

### **February**

7th - Let's celebrate #SaferInternetDay!

For LGBTQ+ History Month, check out the resource we made with Stonewall, and the poster we created, to help support LGBTQ+ young people online.

Remember that you can contact the Professionals Online Safety Helpline if online issues grise.

## June

It's the deadline for entries to the <u>Childnet</u>
<u>Film Competition</u>! Winners will be announced
in July - good luck to all those who entered!

Check out the blog on our website to see how you can <u>encourage parents and carers to</u> <u>address online safety</u> with their children over the summer holidays.

Book a Childnet Education Session for next year.

#### November

14-18th - Anti-Bullying Week returns with the theme of "Reach Out". Take a look at how you can get involved.

13th - World Kindness Day! Look at the ways your learners can spread kindness both online and offline

Register your school as a <u>Safer Internet Day</u> <u>supporter</u>, ahead of the big day on Tuesday 7th February 2023.

#### March

2nd - <u>World Book Day</u> is a fantastic opportunity to read our <u>Digiduck</u> and <u>learning-to-read book</u> with children aged 3-7.

Keep #SaferInternetDay conversations going by exploring our Help & Advice pages.

Childnet Film Competition launches - an amazing opportunity for educators and learners to represent their schools and make films and storyboards!

#### December

Send learners home for the Christmas break with our free <u>"Family Agreement"</u> and <u>"My Life Online"</u> templates.

Have you signed up as a <u>Safer Internet Day</u> <u>supporter</u> yet? Remember to check out the free resources!

Why not <u>register your interest in the Childnet</u>
<u>Digital Leaders Programme</u> and receive a free
guest login to explore the platform?

#### **April**

1st - April Fool's Day can be a clever way of introducing misinformation to your learners.

2nd - On <u>World Autism Awareness day</u>, use our <u>Thrive Online</u> and <u>STAR SEND</u> toolkits to explore online safety with young people with SEND

Did you know your school can join the <u>Childnet</u> <u>Digital Leaders Programme</u> at any time? New modules are added throughout the year!

Why not enrol in the <u>Childnet Digital Leaders</u> <u>Programme</u> ready for September?

August

Subscribe to the <u>Childnet Newsletter</u> for important news and resources throughout the year.

Remember to visit <u>childnet.com</u> for all of the latest online safety news as well as free resources on a range of issues!

#### July

Remind learners and parents of where to go if they need help reporting online over the holiday, including on popular social media apps.

Take a well deserved break, but also make sure to see how you can <u>protect your</u> reputation online with our resource.

A perfect send off for your Year 6s would be using our <u>Moving on Up resource</u>, helping with the move to secondary education.



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