



Vale of Evesham School

'a specialist school for cognition and learning - enabling inclusion in the community'

On-line Safety

Living in a digital age, we all rely on and benefit from the use of technology. We realise what a challenge it can be for parents and carers to ensure their child remains safe, especially when using the internet. We also appreciate that you will want to have measures in place to ensure that your child does not view inappropriate material from their mobile device or from a device you have at home. Please refer to our Safeguarding Policy to see what we have in place to protect your child when they are in School.

We are always happy to provide advice and guidance should you need it, either of a general nature or technical support from our fantastic IT department.

The link to the CEOP Think You Know [website](#) provides up-to-date advice and guidance for pupils and parents.

Further information can be found by following the links below:

Further information on E-safety:

<https://ceop.police.uk/safety-centre/>

<https://www.getsafeonline.org/>

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/child-abuse-and-neglect/online-abuse/>

Indecent Images of Children – Guidance for young people

The Home Office has published guidance to help young people understand the law on making or sharing indecent images of children. The guidance includes: definitions of some of the terms used in legislation; examples of situations covered by the law; three short films highlighting the harm that viewing indecent images of children can cause.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/indecent-images-of-children-guidance-for-young-people/indecent-images-of-children-guidance-for-young-people>

Website and advice sheets for parents

Some links for Newsletters and Websites to help parents and young people on a range of safeguarding issues:

Parents Protect – a website to help parents protect their children against sexual abuse.

Spot the Signs – Advice for parents, professionals and young people on the signs of sexual exploitation and how to keep safe.

PACE – a free online course for parents to equip them with the knowledge to protect their children against sexual exploitation.

Teenage Relationship Abuse – a parents' and carers' guide to violence and abuse in teenage relationships.

Sexting – how to talk to children about the risks of sexting, and what you can do to protect them (NSPCC).

Get Advice – CEOP advice on talking to children about sex, relationships and their lives online.

Chat Danger – Advice for parents and carers on keeping their child safe online, including parental controls. There is also a complete guide to protecting a child's privacy online – [click here to access](#)

Self-Harm in Young People – Information for parents and carers and anyone who works with young people.

Know the Signs – Information on suicide and self-harm for parents (Samaritans).