



Harris Church of England Academy





The internet is always changing...





Being able to keep up to date with
your children's use of technology
can be a challenge.





Especially if you feel that your children may have better technical skills than you do.





However, children and young people still need support and guidance when it comes to using the internet positively and safely.





Ask your children to tell you about the sites they like to visit and what they enjoy doing online.





Ask them about how they stay safe online. What tips do they have for you, and where did they learn them? What is OK and not OK to share?





Ask them if they know where to go for help, where to find the safety advice, privacy settings and how to report services they use.





Think about how you use the internet as a family. What could you do to get more out of the internet together and further enjoy your lives online?





At Harris Church of
England Academy, we
will help all pupils
become aware of how
to stay safe online.





Key tips for staying safe online

**Be as
anonymous
as possible**

Avoid postings that could enable a stranger to locate you. That includes your last name, the name of your school, sports teams, the town you live in, and where you hang out.





Key tips for staying safe

Protect your information

Check to see if your service has a "friends" list that allows you to control who can visit your profile or blog. If so, allow only people you know and trust.





Key tips for staying safe

Photos: Think before posting

Before uploading a photo, think about how you'd feel if it were seen by a parent/grandparent, college admissions counsellor, or future employer.





Key tips for staying safe

Be honest about your age

Membership rules are there to protect people. If you are too young to sign up, do not attempt to lie about your age. Talk with your parents about alternative sites that may be appropriate for you.





Staying safe whilst in school

E-safety officer

The e-safety officer at Harris Church of England Academy is here to make sure all pupils are safe whilst browsing and communicating through the internet.

If there are any concerns with a child's safety online, our e-safety officer can be contacted to help resolve the issue.

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**If you are suspicious about
someone's behaviour
towards a child,
report to CEOP.**





CEOP works with child protection partners across the UK and overseas to identify the main threats to children and coordinates activity against these threats to bring offenders to account.

You can click on the CEOP symbol on many websites or log onto the website.

ceop.police.uk

