



# Managing Online Information Responsibly

Year 6 Online Safety Home Learning | Summer Term 1



## Hello families,

In school, we are learning how to manage online information safely and responsibly.

We are exploring harmful and illegal content, the laws that protect us, and the different ways we can report content online.



## What we are learning

- To identify, flag and report inappropriate content
- To understand that there are different types of illegal content online
- To know some of the laws that relate to different types of illegal content



## Home Learning Task

Work together to explore how we can report illegal content online.



Choose one or more activities below:

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| <p><b>1 Spot the Difference</b></p> <p>Find or think of examples of content that is harmful but not illegal, and content that is illegal. Talk about why they are different.</p>                                |  |
| <p><b>2 Explore Reporting Tools</b></p> <p>Choose a website or social media platform you use. Find the report button and explore how it works. What kinds of things can you report and why is it important?</p> |  |
| <p><b>3 What if reporting fails?</b></p> <p>If you try to report something and it doesn't get taken down, what could you do next? Who else could help?</p>  |  |
| <p><b>4 Laws that keep us safe</b></p> <p>Look at some of the laws about online content. Why do we have these laws and how do they protect people?</p>  |  |

Share what you learned! Your child can bring back a short paragraph, poster or notes from your discussion.



## What to learn together

### 1 What is harmful content?

- Content that may upset, worry or disturb someone.
- Not all harmful content is illegal.



### 2 What is illegal content?

- Content that breaks the law.
- Examples include hate speech, terrorism content, child sexual abuse material, or sharing someone's private images without consent.



### 3 Are there laws?

Yes! Different laws apply to different types of illegal content.



### 4 How can we report?

We can report content on websites and social media platforms.



### 5 Still need help?

If reporting online doesn't work, we can get help from trusted adults or use dedicated reporting services.



## Useful reporting services (examples)

### CEOP

Report abuse and exploitation online.

[ceop.police.uk/safety-centre](http://ceop.police.uk/safety-centre)



### Report Harmful Content

Get help if you've seen harmful content online.

[reporthearmfulcontent.com](http://reporthearmfulcontent.com)



### Internet Watch Foundation (IWF)

Report illegal content such as child sexual abuse images.

[iwf.org.uk](http://iwf.org.uk)



## Key Message

"I know how to identify, flag and report inappropriate content and where to get help."



## Parent/Carer Tip

Support your child to:

Talk about what they see online and how it makes them feel.



Encourage them to speak up if something worries them.



Remind them that they can always come to you or a trusted adult for help.



## Bring into school

Please bring this completed task into school. Your child will add it to their computing book.



Cut-out Cards - True or False? Cut out and sort into the correct group.

True - This is legal or okay



Giving credit when using someone else's image



Using royalty-free music in a project



Reporting something that worries you



Sharing someone's private photos without consent



Posting hateful comments about others



Sharing explicit images of someone who is under 18

Discuss together:

Why are these things legal or illegal?



## Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility

At Trinity School, safeguarding our children is our highest priority.

If you have any concerns about your child's online safety or wellbeing, please contact the school.

## Further support and information

- NSPCC - [nspcc.org.uk](http://nspcc.org.uk)
- UK Safer Internet Centre - [saferinternet.org.uk](http://saferinternet.org.uk)
- CEOP - [ceop.police.uk](http://ceop.police.uk)
- Common Sense Media - [commonsensemedia.org](http://commonsensemedia.org)



For more advice and guidance, please visit the Online Safety page on the Trinity School website.

Working together to keep children safe online.