



Safer Internet Day 2018

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Create, connect and share respect:
A better internet starts with you

www.saferinternetday.org.uk



Information and advice for parents

**Need more information about how to keep your children safe?
Below are links to many sources for further information and advice.**

1. Children need more Resilience, Information and Power to enjoy the benefits the internet can bring and be safe. Read more at <https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/publication/growing-up-digital/>
2. What should you do if your child sees something upsetting online? Follow the advice on this UK Safer Internet Centre blog <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/blog/advice-parents-what-do-if-your-child-sees-something-upsetting-online>
3. If you have questions about gaming then have a look at <http://www.askaboutgames.com/> and ask questions if you need answers
4. Can my child chat or friend someone in a particular game? Find detailed reviews at Common Sense Media <https://www.common sense media.org/>
5. What should I do if my child is being bullied online? Use the Anti-Bullying alliance's online tool to help you if you are concerned <https://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/tools-information/advice-parents/interactive-anti-bullying-tool-parents>
6. How can I add parental controls to Snapchat? Look at the Internet Matters parents vlogger Adele <https://www.internetmatters.org/hub/guidance/snapchat-safety-a-how-to-guide-for-parents/>
7. Internet Connected Toys can be really fun but what are the risks? Find out more <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/technology-toys-and-the-internet/>
8. Do you have a child using Musical.ly or Live.ly? Although these apps can be fun, there are risks of seeing inappropriate content, being contacted by inappropriate people or having their content shared by others. Look at <https://www.net-aware.org.uk/networks/musically/> and <https://www.common sense media.org/app-reviews/musically-your-video-social-network>
9. Who can I go to with a question about online safety? Call the NSPCC/02 helpline on 0800 8005002