

HES HOME LEARNING – KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE ONLINE



Additional advice is also on HES portal COVID-19 page <http://www.hes.org.uk/Page/17179>

Children have the right to enjoy childhood online, to access safe online spaces for play and for learning, and to benefit from all the opportunities that a connected world can bring to them, appropriate to their age and stage.


Schools and colleges should continue to ensure that appropriate filters and monitoring systems are in place to protect children when they are online in the school or college, when they are using school or college equipment, or when using recommended resources.

Schools and colleges should ensure any use of online learning tools and systems is in line with privacy and data protection/GDPR requirements.

Key guidance	
DfE - Keeping children safe in education 2019 Annexe C - Online Safety	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/keeping-children-safe-in-education--2
DfE - Coronavirus (COVID-19): safeguarding in schools, colleges and other providers Published 27/03/2020	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-safeguarding-in-schools-colleges-and-other-providers/coronavirus-covid-19-safeguarding-in-schools-colleges-and-other-providers
Safer Recruitment Consortium - COVID 19 Addendum April 2020, including section 24a. Use of technology for online / virtual teaching	https://www.saferrecruitmentconsortium.org/GSWP%20COVID%20addendum%20April%202020%20final-1.pdf
Andrew Hall - summary of the DfE Safeguarding advice (00:20 – 00:24)	https://vimeo.com/401754140
Policy and process	
LB Havering - safeguarding and child protection policy template	Policy Template - Havering schools Safeguarding and Child Protection - July 2019 (doc)
LB Havering - COVID 19 policy adjustment	200329 COVID 19 policy adjustments - school safeguarding and child protection v2 (doc)


LB Havering - whistleblowing and managing allegations policy template	Policy Template - Havering schools Whistleblowing and Managing Allegations - July 2019 (doc)
LGfL London Grid for Learning - Safeguarding & Online Safety Policy / AUP Addendum for Home Learning during Covid-19 Closures - published 31/03/2020	safepolicies.lgfl.net
LGfL London Grid for Learning - social media policy template	https://static.lgfl.net/LgflNet/downloads/online-safety/LGfL-OS-Policy-Social-Media-2019.docx
LB Havering - safeguarding code of conduct	Guidance - Havering safeguarding code of conduct - July 2019 (doc)

Report and support	
LB Havering - help and support routes for children and young people	200417 Help and support for children and young people during COVID 19 (doc)
The UK Safer Internet Centre - Professionals Online Safety Helpline provides support for the children's workforce with any online safety issues they face.	https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/helpline/professionals-online-safety-helpline
Childline - for support	https://www.childline.org.uk/
UK Safer Internet Centre - to report and remove harmful online content	https://reportharmfulcontent.com/
CEOP - for advice on making a report about online grooming	https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre/ https://www.ceop.police.uk/ceop-reporting/
Internet Watch Foundation IWF - reporting child abuse content, indecent images of children (also sometimes referred to as child pornography, but this term is not used because pornography is legal and indecent images of children are always illegal).	https://www.iwf.org.uk/
Hsis Online Safety - Amanda Jackson, Dave Smith Hsis Safeguarding - Penny Patterson, Carol Rockey, Michelle Wain	amanda.jackson@haverling.gov.uk dave.smith@haverling.gov.uk penny.patterson@haverling.gov.uk carol.rockey@haverling.gov.uk michelle.wain@haverling.gov.uk

Keeping virtual classrooms safe online What should you consider when hosting a virtual meeting or lesson? Services that might be used here include Zoom, Microsoft Teams, Google Hangouts / Google Meet	
Children's Commissioner - advice on how to make sure your online classes are safe and secure	https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/coronavirus/keeping-classrooms-safe-online/
South West Grid for Learning - poster outlining considerations for remote learning.	www.swgfl.org.uk/SafeRemoteLearning
NSPCC - guidance on undertaking remote teaching safely	https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/news/2020/march/undertaking-remote-teaching-safely/?utm_source=adestra&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=AS3017*&utm_content=NSPCC_Learning+Learning_newsletter_6+Mar_20&ac=
LGfL London Grid for Learning - Online Safety portal	https://onlinesafety.lgfl.net
LGfL London Grid for Learning - Coronavirus advice and guidance, includes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home learning • Safeguarding • Inclusion and well being • Security and data protection • Technical support staff 	https://coronavirus.lgfl.net/
LGfL London Grid for Learning - Twenty safeguarding considerations for lesson livestreaming	 https://coronavirus.lgfl.net/safeguarding
LGfL London Grid for Learning - Safeguarding considerations when giving lessons via livestream or video chat	https://lgfl.planetestream.com/View.aspx?id=4053~4m~m3FRpibn

LGfL London Grid for Learning - DigiSafe Daily downloadable worksheet available every day	digisafedaily.lgfl.net
Association of Adult and Child Online Safety Specialists - online safety video for professionals gives schools important points including remote learning and live streaming of lesson content. Please note that in the video it mentions a sample CP policy. Hsis issued a COVID-19 policy amendment to safeguarding policies for Havering schools on 30.3.2020 and we would recommend schools use this.	http://aacoss.org/professionals/
UK Safer Internet Centre - Video Conferencing for Children - Safeguarding & Privacy Overview. Includes technical and policy details.	https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/blog/video-conferencing-children-safeguarding-and-privacy-overview

Home learning – advice for parents	
DfE GOV.UK - Coronavirus (COVID 19) - list of online education resources for home education – this is covered in more detail in the Hsis resource lists for home learning.	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-online-education-resources/coronavirus-covid-19-list-of-online-education-resources-for-home-education
DfE and DCMS - Resources to help keep children safe from different risks online and where to go to receive support and advice	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-keeping-children-safe-online/coronavirus-covid-19-support-for-parents-and-carers-to-keep-children-safe-online
DCMS GOV.UK - Coronavirus (COVID 19) – cybersecurity tips for staying safe online (we need to highlight that this is cybersecurity)	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/covid-19-staying-safe-online
Association of Adult and Child Online Safety Specialists - online safety video for parents with useful, simple advice and guidance for parents and carers regarding children and their online activities during the pandemic.	http://aacoss.org/parents/
Internet Matters - support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online. Helping families adjusting to a “new normal” following the measures taken to stop the spread of coronavirus. Includes expert advice, resources and tools to make the best use of tech.	https://www.internetmatters.org/ https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/staysafestayhome-tech-advice-for-families/
LGfL London Grid for Learning - for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online during school closure.	http://www.lgfl.net/online-safety/
Childnet - conversations about online safety	https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/have-a-conversation
Childnet - keeping under fives safe online	https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/hot-topics/keeping-young-children-safe-online

Net-aware (O2 and NSPCC) - guides for social networks, apps and games	https://www.net-aware.org.uk/
Parent info (Parent Zone and CEOP) - advice for families in a digital world.	https://parentinfo.org/
Thinkuknow - advice from the National Crime Agency to help your child stay safe online, includes home activity packs created to support parents during the coronavirus period, containing 15-minute activities parents can do at home with their child	https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/ https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/Support-tools/home-activity-worksheets/
UK Safer Internet Centre - advice for parents and carers	https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers
LGfL London Grid for Learning - A4 fridge-friendly poster with top tips for keeping children safe online during corona closures.	 https://static.lgfl.net/LgflNet/downloads/digisafe/Parent-Top-Tips-Safe-Online-Corona.pdf

Disclaimer

Individual resources cannot replace a school’s properly planned curriculum, and the resources in these lists are not intended to do so. This list of resources is not exhaustive and there are many other resources available to schools. Before using these resources, you should refer to the guidance ‘[Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): safeguarding in schools, colleges and other providers](#)’ and the Hsis document ‘Home Learning: Keeping Children Safe Online.’ which has further information on how to keep children safe online. Note that you use all content at your own risk. Resources made available through the lists are subject to third party terms and conditions and copyright law. Access to resources is in most cases free of charge, but it is your responsibility to check whether you have to pay to view and/or copy specific content contained within the resources.

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