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Dear Parents

Safer Internet Day 2018



Safer Internet Day 2018 will be celebrated globally on Tuesday 6 February with the slogan 'Create, Connect and Share Respect: a better internet starts with you' and Red House School will be taking part on both sites.

Coordinated in the UK by the **UK Safer Internet Centre** the celebration sees hundreds of organisations get involved to help promote the safe, responsible and positive use of digital technology for children and young people.

The UK Safer Internet Centre – a partnership of three leading charities; Childnet, the South West Grid for Learning and the Internet Watch Foundation – provide resources for children, schools and families, and tools for getting involved at www.saferinternet.org.uk.

Globally, Safer Internet Day is celebrated in over a hundred countries, coordinated by the joint Insafe/INHOPE network, with the support of the European Commission, and national Safer Internet Centres across Europe.

The day offers the opportunity for us to highlight positive uses of technology and to explore the role we all play in helping to create a better and safer online community. It calls upon young people, parents, carers, teachers, social workers, law enforcement, companies, policymakers, and wider, to join together in helping to create a better internet.

There will be a range of activities taking place during the week of Safer Internet Day within school but if you would like to find out more including finding resources to help you talk to your child about their internet use then please visit <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers> for more information.

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