



STAY SAFE ONLINE!

Welcome back to our last e-safety bulletin this year!

General online safety tips:

Here are some top tips for children on how to stay safe online:

- Someone online may not be who you think they are, so you should always be careful about information that you give out. Think about what you give away. You should always ask permission from an adult when supplying personal material i.e. telephone numbers, sharing of photographs, school details and anything that you consider personal.
- Opening email messages, files, texts or images from someone you don't know may lead to problems such as nasty messages, viruses and cyberbullying.
- If you see something that makes you feel uncomfortable, whether you are online or not you must tell an adult or a teacher immediately.

Charlie Charlie Craze: Information for Parents

A new twitter craze has taken the internet by storm and involves communication with a dead Mexican spirit.

Although this game seems to be very popular amongst young impressionable people it can have a negative impact on them. It has been reported that children have been experiencing nightmares and horrible after effects because of the psychological impact it is having on them.

Many are unsure as to why it has become so current but according to internet research it enables children to feel more grown up and impresses others their age.

If you would like to know more about the craze please visit:

<http://www.independent.co.uk/life-style/health-and-families/features/charlie-charlie-challenge-should-parents-worry-about-their-children-playing-supernatural-games-10279697.html>

Year 6 questionnaire:

Following concerns regarding e-safety, the Year 6's decided to construct a questionnaire. This questionnaire was run by the Head Boy and Head Girl alongside Sally Millsted, Family Learning Manager. In total there were 30 boys that took part and 53 girls.

Below are the analysed results.

The pupils were asked how often they use the internet the results came back as:

- 77% claimed they use the internet daily or at least once a week
- 12% reported that they use it for more than 3 hours a day
- 75% said they used it between 1-3 hours a day.

Do you use a password on the internet?

