

13<sup>th</sup> February 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

On Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> February we will be joining schools and youth organisations across the UK in celebrating Safer Internet Day 2023. Key Stage 1 children will be involved in a special Safer Internet activity day and all attend an assembly led by Ed Oleszko, an Online Safety Consultant. The children in the Foundation Stage will be having their own independent Safer Internet Day activities.

Safer Internet Day is a global campaign to promote the safe and responsible use of technology, which calls on children and young people, parents, carers, teachers, social workers, law enforcement, companies, policymakers and more, to help to create a better internet.

Using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote in school, and celebrating Safer Internet Day is a great opportunity for us to re-emphasise the online safety messages we deliver throughout the year.

We would be delighted if you could join us in celebrating the day by continuing the conversation at home. To help you with this, the UK Safer Internet Centre have created some free activities and information for parents and carers which are available at: **[saferinternet.org.uk/ SID-parents](https://saferinternet.org.uk/SID-parents)**.

Whether you have 5 minutes to start a conversation or hours to spare, there are top tips, quizzes and films which you can use at home with your child.

If you have any concerns or questions about keeping your child safe online, please do get in touch with your child's class teacher/myself or Mrs Alton, our Designated Safeguarding Person/Lead.

Kind regards,

Mrs Husselbee