Childnet's e-safety calendar

September

Are you back to school ready?

- Check out our free resources on www.childnet.com
- Deliver our free e-safety inset
- Be aware of the UK Safer Internet Centre's Professionals Online Safety Helpline who can support with any online issues throughout the year 0844 381 4772

October

What cobwebs do you have lurking on your social networking sites?

- Have you checked your privacy settings? Use our professional reputation checklist to help you.
- Have your students checked theirs? Check out our 'Do the check' social media checklists on www.saferinternet.org.uk

November

Anti-Bullying Week takes place from the 16-20th November with the theme 'Make a Noise about bullying'.

Plus, remember to sign up as a Safer Internet Day supporter and download your education packs ready for February.

December

Merry Techy Christmas! Why not remind parents and carers about safe and positive use of devices? Check out our Parents' Guide to Technology on www.saferinternet.org.uk

(Don't forget – we're still accepting registrations for schools to join the Childnet Digital Leaders Programme in time for Safer Internet Day).

January

Time to make a digital resolution!

Plus Safer Internet Day is around the corner. Why not add a banner to your school's website and help to promote on social media?

(Remember to look out for the launch of our Film Competition categories and why not watch last year's PhoneBrain Category winner, 'Mummy I wuv you').

February

Join hundreds of organisations in celebrating **Safer Internet Day** on 9th February. #SID2016

Important dates to remember:

- Random Acts of Kindness Week from 14-20th
- National Safeguarding Day on the 26th February. Why not use the 360 degree safe self-assessment tool to review your school's online safeguarding policies and procedures?

March

Join Childnet's conferences about preventing and responding to cyberbullying, following the launch of our government-funded guidance for schools and accompanying teaching resources.

World Book Day on 3rd March is a great opportunity read our children's storybook Digiduck's Big Decision with your class.

April

April Fool's Day! Can you spot some online gimmicks and fake news stories? It's a great chance to talk to pupils about reliability online.

For World Autism Awareness Day on 2nd April, why not use our STAR Toolkit to explore e-safety with your learners with autism spectrum disorders.

May

By now your pupils will be well on the way to creating their short films about the safe and positive use of technology for the **Childnet Film Competition**! Some amazing prizes can be won for your school to help young people with their film making!

June

Deadline for entries to the **Childnet Film Competition**! Winners will be announced in July at a VIP screening at the BFI in London!

July

Before the end of term, why not remind pupils and parents about where they can go for help if they have any issues over the holidays. This could include reporting and blocking tools on certain services.

August

Now you have time to catch up on what's been happening on Twitter… Happy Summer from the Childnet team!

Plan your year ahead: check out the Childnet Digital Leaders Programme and book an education session with our expert team.