

Year Six – Computing – Online Safety



Subject Specific Vocabulary	
digital footprint	The information about a person that exists on the Internet as a result of their online activity.
location sharing	A way of sharing with others your device's location, these can be switched off for added security.
phishing	The practice of sending email pretending to be from reputable companies in order to persuade individuals to reveal personal information, such as passwords and credit cards numbers.
screen time	The time spent using a device with a screen, such as a computer, television, tablet or phone.
spoof	An imitation of something that appears to look genuine.
PEGI Rating	These show the age that digital content is suitable for and the type of content that it contains.
Copyright	When someone creates something original, like a drawing, song, or story, they automatically own the rights to that work.

	Sticky knowledge
	A digital footprint is information about a person on the internet as a result of their online activity, which could be viewed by anyone in the future.
	Trusted adults are parents, carers, teachers and family members.
	Websites to keep children safe online include: Childnet CEOP NSPCC
	Block and report people on games/social media controls that have inappropriate content.
	People can cover their identity online.
	Copyright free refers to a work where the artist has waived their copyright rights so that others can use, and benefit, from their work: Shutterstock has copyright free images Pixabay has copyright free videos Flaticon has copyright free signs and symbols

