



Safer Internet Day 2017 Tuesday 7 February
 Be the change: Unite for a better internet
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Dear Parents and Carers,

February 7th 2017 is **Safer Internet Day**, a day that is very important to our school and pupils. Safer Internet Day is coordinated by the Insafe network and is celebrated every year across Europe, and in other countries worldwide.

In the UK, Safer Internet Day is organised by the **UK Safer Internet Centre** (www.saferinternetday.org.uk), and this year's theme is "Be the change: Unite for a better internet."

Our school is participating alongside hundreds of other schools across the UK and students will be learning about how to use the internet safely and positively.

To celebrate the many positives of the internet, and to raise awareness of the issues that children and young people face online today, AWGS will be hosting an online safety information evening for parents and carers of children in every year group and we will be delivering this presentation. The UK Safer Internet Centre who developed this presentation are experts in the field of online safety education and we highly recommend that you attend this event. The session will provide practical advice and safety tips to help manage online safety issues, and discussions surrounding suitable behaviour online.

The session will be on Wednesday 8th February at 7pm and will last for 30 minutes, with time for questions and additional information too.

We believe that internet safety education is a crucial element of the curriculum and an essential part of young people's development. This session is designed to help you become more aware of the safety messages that your children receive in school in order to reinforce them in your home environment.

We really hope that you will be able to attend and look forward to seeing you there.

Yours sincerely

Mr Paul Beveridge
 Head Teacher



Online Safety Presentation

I will*/ will not* be attending the internet safety evening on

Number of people attending

Signed

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