Updated and Revised for 2020

digitalambassadors

'Supporting each other in the online world'

Promoting Online Safety in schools through the training, support and development of Pupil Digital Ambassadors.

This programme will raise and improve the profile and understanding of Online Safety and safeguarding issues in your school by establishing and supporting a group of trained peer Digital Ambassadors. It tackles issues around *online risk, sharing personal information, digital footprint/ online reputation and age appropriate content.*

Delivery is through an initial one day training session for up to 12 pupils, followed by two half day follow on sessions throughout the rest of the year. The training focuses on Online Safety issues combined with aspects of online behaviour, leadership and mentoring skills to establish a group of Digital Ambassadors within your school that can provide ongoing guidance and support to other pupils. Follow up sessions focus on review, supervision, leadership and further action planning for Online Safety issues being encountered in school and the ongoing development of the skills of the Digital Ambassadors.

The training is delivered by experienced qualified teachers and is inclusive of posters, certificates, badges and lanyards, and all other resources.

This is a collaborative offer from WiderLearning and The Centre for Digital & Online Behaviours.

Schools could consider implementing a schedule which supports pupils to help their peers stay Safe Online.
"Teaching Online Safety in school June 2019" DfE Guidlines

New for 2020
Evidence and Impact Mapping tool. The tool maps the Digital Ambassadors Programme across the Ofsted evaluation criteria, the PSHE curriculum and the new RSE Statutory Guidance.

"Pupils know how to keep themselves safe when using the internet and social media. Pupils trained as 'Digital Ambassadors' are on hand to give advice to any pupil who has worries about using technology."
Bantock Primary School - OFSTED report

"The curriculum makes an effective contribution to pupils' understanding of how to keep themselves safe. The 'digital ambassadors' programme supports the pupils in understanding the dangers of the internet and how to manage their risk while online"
Stow Heath Primary School OFSTED report

Evidence provided for:

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