

Curriculum Map - 2025-2026

Online Safety (OS)
Year Group: KS3/KS4/KS5

The breadth of issues classified within online safety is considerable and ever evolving, but can be categorised into four areas of risk:

- 1. **content:** being exposed to illegal, inappropriate, or harmful content, for example: pornography, fake news, racism, misogyny, self-harm, suicide, anti-Semitism, radicalisation, and extremism.
- 2. **contact:** being subjected to harmful online interaction with other users; for example: peer to peer pressure, commercial advertising and adults posing as children or young adults with the intention to groom or exploit them for sexual, criminal, financial or other purposes.
- 3. **conduct:** online behaviour that increases the likelihood of, or causes, harm; for example, making, sending and receiving explicit images (e.g. consensual and non-consensual sharing of nudes and semi-nudes and/or pornography, sharing other explicit images and online bullying, and
- 4. **commerce:** risks such as online gambling, inappropriate advertising, phishing and or financial scams.

National Curriculum (NC) KS3

- 1. understand a range of ways to use technology safely, respectfully, responsibly and securely
- 2. including protecting their online identity and privacy
- 3. recognise inappropriate content, contact and conduct and know how to report concerns

National Curriculum (NC) KS4

- 1. understand how changes in technology affect safety
- 2. including new ways to protect their online privacy and identity
- 3. how to identify and report a range of concerns

Communication with parents/carers

Half-termly newsletters covering a range of online safety topics – privacy settings, social media guidelines, reporting and blocking on social media, sexual content on social media, online blackmail, online sexual harassment, online bullying, online support services

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 7	Topic: Online Safety - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Key Areas: • Personal Data • Social Networking	Safer Internet week – deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Theme: Smart tech, safe choices. Exploring the safe and responsible use of AI	Topic: Online gaming/Online gambling - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Topic: Online reputation - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons NC Strand: 1
	 Cyberbullying (Online bullying) How to report concerns Cybersecurity (Online security) Computer Legislation 	Date: 9-13 February 2026 Duration: 1 hour NC Strand: 1-4 OS Strand: 1	OS Strand: 4 Duration: 1 hour for each topic Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety

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	Keywords: social network, personal data, cyberbullying, sexting, malware, virus, anti-virus, CEOP	Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	
	NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 6 hours deliver over 6 weekly lessons Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Topic: Cyberbullying (Online bullying) deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Topic: Grooming/Exploitation - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons NC Strand: 1-3	
	Topic: Social Media/Chat Bots - deliver during assembly/gathering NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 1 hour for each topic Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	
	Online Safety Overview – deliver to year 7 parents during the Year 7 Curriculum Information Evening Duration: 15 min Resources Location: MS Office 365\St Annes SharePoint		
	Anti-Bullying Week – deliver cross-curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Power for Good Date: 10-14 November 2026 NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20-30 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety		
Year 8	Topic: Cyberbullying (Online bullying) - deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 1 hour Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26	Safer Internet week - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Theme: Smart tech, safe choices. Exploring the safe and responsible use of Al Date: 9-13 February 2026 Duration: 1 hour	Topic: Online gaming/Online gambling – deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Topic: Online reputation - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons NC Strand: 1 OS Strand: 4 Duration: 1 hour for each topic
	Topic: Online Media - delivered during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-4	NC Strand: 1-4 OS Strand: 1	Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety

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	OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Anti-Bullying Week – deliver cross-curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Power for Good Date: 10-14 November 2026 NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20-30 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety Topic: Cyberbullying (Online bullying) - delivered during KS3 Computing lessons Topic: Grooming/Exploitation - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour for each topic Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	
Year 9	Topic: Online Media - deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Anti-Bullying Week – deliver cross-curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Power for Good Date: 10-14 November 2026 NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20-30 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Safer Internet week – deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Theme: Smart tech, safe choices. Exploring the safe and responsible use of AI Date: 9-13 February 2026 Duration: 1 hour NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1 Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety Topic: Cyberbullying (Online bullying) - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Topic: Grooming/Exploitation - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour for each topic Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Topic: Online gaming/Online gambling-deliver during KS3 Computing lessons Topic: Online reputation - deliver during KS3 Computing lessons NC Strand: 1 OS Strand: 4 Duration: 1 hour for each topic Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety
Year 10	Topic: Social Media - deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26	Safer Internet week – deliver cross- curricular during lessons Theme: Smart tech, safe choices. Exploring the safe and responsible use of Al Date: 9-13 February 2026	Topic: - Safety Online - deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-4 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour

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	Anti-Bullying Week – deliver cross-curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Power for Good Date: 10-14 November 2026 NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20-30 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Duration: 30 min NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1 Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety Topic: Radicalisation and Extremism – deliver during CPSHE sessions OS Strand: 1 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Topic: Online reputation – delivered during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 2 OS Strand: 3 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26
Year 11	Topic: Online Media - deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-4 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Anti-Bullying Week - deliver cross-curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Power for Good Date: 10-14 November 2026 NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20-30 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Safer Internet week – deliver cross- curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Smart tech, safe choices. Exploring the safe and responsible use of Al Date: 9-13 February 2026 Duration: 30 min NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1 Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety Topic: Pornography – deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 2 OS Strand: 1 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Topic: Dangers Online – deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26	Topic: Online reputation – deliver during CPSHE lessons NC Strand: 2 OS Strand: 3 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26

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KS5	Topic: Online Media - deliver during CPSHE lessons OS Strand: 1-4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Anti-Bullying Week - deliver cross-curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Power for Good Date: 10-14 November 2026 NC Strand: 1-3 OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 20-30 min Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Safer Internet week – deliver cross- curricular during all subject lessons Theme: Smart tech, safe choices. Exploring the safe and responsible use of Al Date: 9-13 February 2026 Duration: 30 min OS Strand: 1 Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety Topic: Radicalisation and Extremism – deliver during CPSHE sessions OS Strand: 1 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Topic: Online Reputation – deliver during Masterclass sessions OS Strand: 4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety	Topic: Online gambling – deliver during CPSHE lessons OS Strand: 4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\PSHE\CPSHE 25-26 Topic: Phishing and financial scams – deliver during Masterclass sessions OS Strand: 4 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety Topic: Online bullying and Online harassment – deliver during Masterclass sessions OS Strand: 1-3 Duration: 1 hour Resources Location: Q Drive\ICT\Online Safety