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Dear Parents/Carers,

Safer Internet Day 2025 will take place on the 11th of February 2025, with celebrations and learning based around the theme 'Too good to be true? Protecting yourself and others from scams online'

Safer Internet Day is the UK's biggest recognition of the need to stay safe online. Each year they cover an online issue or theme that speaks about the things young people are seeing and experiencing online. Created in consultation with young people across the UK, this year Safer Internet Day will be focusing on the issue of scams online and for young people, how to protect themselves and others, as well as what support is available to them.

Using the internet safely and positively is a key message that we promote in school and celebrating Safer Internet Day is a great opportunity for us to re-emphasise the online safety messages we deliver throughout the year. We would be delighted if you could join us in celebrating the day by continuing the conversation at home. To help you with this, the UK Safer Internet Centre have created some free activities and information for parents and carers which are available at: Parents and Carers - UK Safer Internet Centre

On our school website there are some resources and links, should you wish to also use this at home. You will find this on our Online safety page, as well as some other supportive resources for you to use at home. Whether you have 5 minutes to start a conversation or hours to spare, there are top tips, quizzes and films which you can use at home with your child Online Safety | Shaw Primary School

Online safety is an important issue which as a school we are committed to teaching our pupils about. If you have any concerns or questions about keeping your child safe online, please do get in touch with your child's class teacher or Miss Arnott the Deputy Headteacher.

Regards

Miss Arnott

Deputy Headteacher