



Anti-Bullying Week: 13th to 17th November 2023

Are you taking part in this years Anti Bullying week? This years theme is '**Make a Noise About Bullying**'. This theme will kick off with '**Odd Socks Day**' on 13th November 2023 to celebrate what makes us all unique.

For further information please click on the following link: [Anti-Bullying](#)



Cyberbullying

Do you know how to keep children safe online? Cyberbullying happens online and involves digital technology. It's important to understand the dangers of cyberbullying and how you can keep children safe.

For further information please click on the following link: [Cyberbullying](#)

Help Lines:

www.childline.org.uk
for advice and help -
telephone 0800 1111

www.CEOP.police.uk
for advice, help and reporting
internet crimes

www.victimsupport.org.uk
for support for all types of crime

Supported by:
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Ashleigh's Rules

Ashleigh Hall was a
student at Darlington
College who died in tragic
circumstances. Ashleigh's
death came about through
her social networking.

Meeting Up With Strangers

Are you aware that young people are still meeting strangers who have made contact with them online? It was 2010 when Ashleigh Hall met up with a 33 year old man who she believed to be a teenager she had been talking to online, yet still today we hear of young people taking the risk of meeting up with strangers they have met online.

For further information please click on the following link: [Ashleigh's Rules](#)



Learning Disabilities & Internet Safety

Do you work with children who need additional support? Do you know how to support their parents to ensure they are safe when using the internet? Mencap have produce a guidance document for parents/carers.

To access the guidance document please click on the following link: [Mencap](#)



Refuge and Risk

Are you aware of the Refuge and Risk Life Online for Vulnerable Young People report from Internet Matters? This report outlines many risks and danger for vulnerable young people online.

To access the report please click on the following link: [Refuge and Risk](#)



Filtering & Monitoring

Do you know about filtering & monitoring and do you know what your responsibilities are for protecting children/young people in education settings from online threats, e.g. cyberbullying; online abuse; exposure to inappropriate and harmful content?

To access further information please click on the following link: [SWGfL](#)



Key Messages from Research

Have you read the recent research on harmful sexual behaviour from the Centre of Expertise? It brings together learning from existing research on children's use of digital communications in relation to technology's role in their sexual behaviour and the potential for them to be sexually harmed or sexually harm others through its use.

To access the research please click on the following link: [Research](#)



HM Government

Claire's Law

Are you aware of Claire's Law which gives people the right to know if their current or ex-partner has any previous history of violence or abuse? Claire's Law also known as Domestic Violence Disclosure Scheme (DVDS) allows the Police to provide information on an individual's current or ex-partner.

For further information please click on the following link: [Claire's Law](#)

SARSAS

*Listen.
Believe.
Support.*

Sarah's Law

Are you aware of Sarah's Law and the access it gives to parents/carers/guardians? Sarah's Law is for anyone who wants to find out if a person who has contact with a child has a record of child sexual offences.

For further information please click on the following link: [Sarah's Law](#)



Online Safety Act 2023

Have you checked out the Online Safety Act 2023? The Online Safety Act brings in what is being seen as a 'new era' for internet safety, it allows children and adults more control over the content they see online, and for stronger action to be taken against online harm.

For further information please click on the following link: [Ofcom](#)

NSPCC

Neglect: Learning from Case Reviews:

Have you considered the latest learning from case reviews? To access the latest case reviews from NSPCC please click on the following link [NSPCC](#)

To access case reviews from a wide range of types of abuse please click on the following link: [NSPCC](#)



Tees Procedures

Have you checked out the latest procedure updates on the Tees Safeguarding Children Procedures website?

To access all the latest Tees safeguarding children procedures please click on the following link: <https://www.teescpp.org.uk/>

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HSSCP Resources & Learning Opportunities

Are you aware that the latest HSSCP safeguarding children training programme for 2023-2024 is still available? HSSCP also has a wide range of safeguarding resources available in the professionals section of their website too.

For further information please click on the following link: [HSSCP](#)

For information relating to the latest LSCPR's can be found at [LSCPR's](#)



TSAB Newsletter

Have you checked out the latest safeguarding adults newsletter produced by the Tees Safeguarding Adults Board (TSAB)?

To access all the TSAB newsletters please click on the following link: [TSAB](#)

Information on the latest safeguarding adults reviews can be found at: [SAR's](#)