



Principles

Treat others how you want to be treated

Be aware of the dangers out there

How do we communicate online?	Why do people use social media?	What are the benefits and dangers of communicating online?
<p>The children will understand we can speak to family and friends using a range of mediums (voicecalling, photocalling and texting).</p> <p>We can communicate to keep in touch or talk about something relevant to us.</p> <p>The SMART rules guide us to what is appropriate ways of communication.</p>	<p>Social Media is for communicating with people and sharing your thoughts and experiences.</p> <p>It is age limited to at least 12 years old because of the dangers it poses.</p>	<p>Online communication can be cheap, fun and easy, giving access to people around the world.</p> <p>Children will understand the permanency of online communication, the risk of fake accounts and how people can use online communication to exploit others.</p>
What is inappropriate communication?	How do we know if communication is inappropriate?	What can we do to prevent inappropriate communication?
<p>Messages can be sent that cause harm online. This could be a threat or an insult.</p> <p>Always think; would you say to somebody's face?</p> <p>If we are faced with these problems, we follow the SMART rules and Tell.</p>	<p>People can try to befriend you online through inappropriate ways. We don't communicate with people we do not know.</p> <p>They can promise you things, send you gifts online and tell you what you want to hear.</p> <p>People can also then try to isolate us from friends and families and get us to things we are not comfortable with.</p>	<p>We should always be aware of the different ways people can try to gain our friendship.</p> <p>We should ensure we know exactly who we are talking to. Not accepting requests from people, we don't know.</p> <p>We never meet anyone we have met online.</p>