

## Online Safety Newsletter

### November 2017

## Exciting Training Opportunities

# Online Safety for staff and governors

**There is a greater emphasis than ever before on online safety in schools and other settings. This course is aimed at staff and governors wanting to gain a greater understanding into keeping young people safe online.**

Simon Aston, the Online Safety Officer at Northamptonshire County Council, will guide you through an interactive session covering the most popular apps and websites used by young people in Northamptonshire, ways to keep young people safe online (especially when using social media), statutory responsibilities, online grooming, developing policies, broadening staff and governors' understanding of their role in supporting online safety in their schools, understanding our digital footprint and - most importantly - resources and initiatives to take back and implement in your settings.

These sessions will ensure that you understand many of the potential risks our pupils face when accessing the internet.



### Course objectives

- Current online hot topics and how to address them
- Increased confidence in your role in online safety issues
- Ensuring you're better able to support and challenge the school in maintaining the online safety of pupils
- Increased understanding of the need for a strong online safety policy and how this links to other statutory policies

### Intended for

Key staff members and all governors, particularly those with responsibilities in safeguarding.

### Dates and venue

Tuesday 21st November from 6pm to 8pm  
Tuesday 6th March from 6pm to 8pm  
Tuesday 8th May from 6pm to 8pm

The venue is Northamptonshire County Council's new HQ, One Angel Square, Angel Street, Northampton NN1 1ED

**Cost:** £70 per person

For more information or to book your place, please email [e-safety@northamptonshire.gov.uk](mailto:e-safety@northamptonshire.gov.uk)

### FREE Online Safety Workshop

The UK Safer Internet Centre are delivering 2 sessions on Friday 1st December. At these sessions you will get all the very latest issues, trends and resources on Online Safety. Details of the sessions and how to book below:

**Where?** - One Angel Square, 4 Angel Street, Northampton, NN1 1ED

**When?** Friday 1st December 2017, 9:30 - 11:30am or 2:30 - 4:30pm

#### How to Register

Morning Session (9:30 - 11:30am)

Afternoon Session (2:30 - 4:30pm)

To book onto one of the sessions follow the link below:

[http://www.northamptonshirescb.org.uk/about-northamptonshire-safeguarding-children-board/events/?utm\\_source=NSCB+Newsletter&utm\\_campaign=4af1feaf8b-](http://www.northamptonshirescb.org.uk/about-northamptonshire-safeguarding-children-board/events/?utm_source=NSCB+Newsletter&utm_campaign=4af1feaf8b-)

