



DIGITAL SAFETY NEWSLETTER

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HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT?

In case you missed them, over the last year CEOP have launched a number of new resources, including:

- [Dark Web Explained for professionals, parents and carers](#)
- [11-18s website](#)
- [4-7s website](#)



SEXUAL ABUSE IMAGERY

Primary school children aged 7-10 years old are increasingly being groomed to perform sexually online by predators warns the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF).



Parents are encouraged to follow the **TALK checklist** to make sure children are kept safe.

TALK to your child about online sexual abuse. Start the conversation – and listen to their concerns.

AGREE ground rules about the way you use technology as a family.

LEARN about the platforms and apps your child loves. Take an interest in their online life.

KNOW how to use tools, apps and settings that can help to keep your child safe online.

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT TIK TOK

Learn to feel comfortable and safer with your family using TikTok. This **13-minute session** explores what parents need to know.



Podcast

In the new Parent Zone Tech Shock podcast, they chat to Seyi Akiwowo from Glitch – a charity campaigning to end hate speech online against women and girls, particularly those from minority communities. It's a fascinating 45 minute-listen, and you can find all the Parent Zone episodes from all four series on their website. [Listen here](#)