Welcome to our 2nd edition of the e-safety newsletter. This will now be sent out half termly and will keep you up to date with relevant online safety information to help you keep your children safe online at home. This is a legal safeguarding requirement for schools to highlight relevant information to parents.

E-SAFETY
AT WESTMOOR PRIMARY

If you have any devices at home that your children use and you would like some support in ensuring they are safe and age appropriate, then please pop in any time to see our ICT Technician, Mr. Browning or catch Mrs Dundas on the yard, who will organise a time for you to see Mr. Browning.

Click on the picture to watch

"Get Phone Smart with Dennis"

NOS
National Online Safety

Livestreaming: What are the Online Risks for Children and Young People?
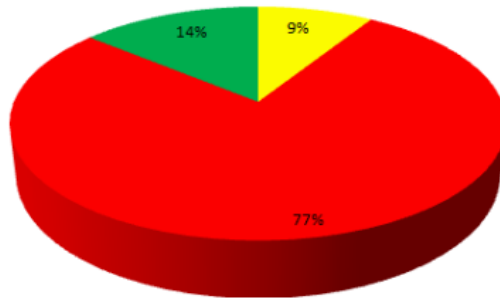
Click on the picture to read an article by National Online Safety on Livestreaming and dangerous chat rooms. This is a current issue being seen across schools.
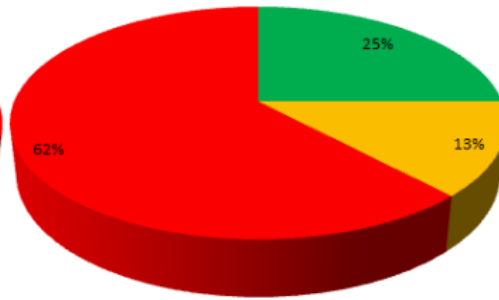
eAWARE

Just before the summer, we asked all parents (KS1-KS2) to participate in our online safety survey. We also surveyed our children. From analysis of the data from the start of the year to the end we saw a great improvement in children and adults' knowledge of online safety. Here is the result of our parents data from Summer 2022.

Result from November 2021 — 9%, 14%, 77%

Result from July 2022 — 25%, 13%, 62%

As you can see, 62% of parents demonstrated a poor understanding of the online risks their children may encounter.

Westmoor Primary is committed to working alongside our parents with online safety to ensure all children are prepared for their future, which will include technology and being able to protect themselves online.

If you have not done so already, please click the picture to download the eAWARE app, which will provide parents with up to date information about e-safety and the teaching and learning Westmoor children receive in school. Code for access is WEST005

Did you know?

These are the legal ages for each app:

Tik Tok, Facebook and Instagram require users to be 13+ Any user under 18 must have adult permission.

A Pegi rating is the legal age at which a game should be played. No-one younger should be playing it.