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Safer Internet Day Empowering our Digital Citizens



Excellence
Resilience
Respect

Vicarage Primary School took part in Safer Internet Day (SID) 2024 on Tuesday 6th February. Safer Internet Day takes place globally in February every year.

The aim is to promote the responsible, safe and positive use of digital technology for children and young people and to encourage conversation about using technology respectfully, critically and creatively.

The theme for Safer Internet Day 2024 was '*Inspiring change, making a difference, managing influence and navigating change online*'. Pupils learned how technology has changed over time and how the internet can be used positively.

Pupil Workshop

PC Wheeler and PC Shaik from the Metropolitan Police delivered engaging assemblies in Key Stage 2 focusing on online safety and its importance in today's digital age. They shared practical tips on keeping safe when online.

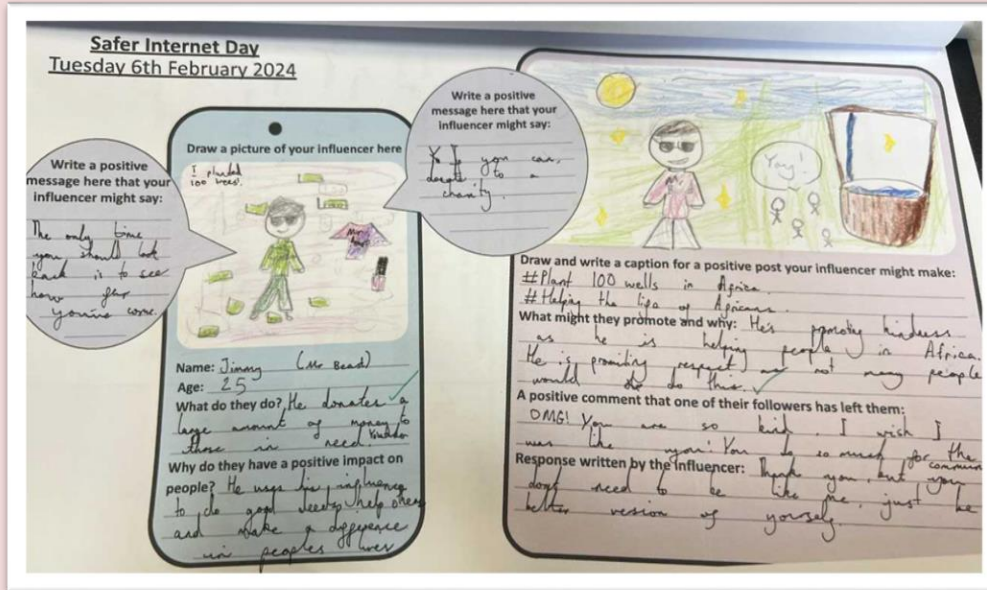


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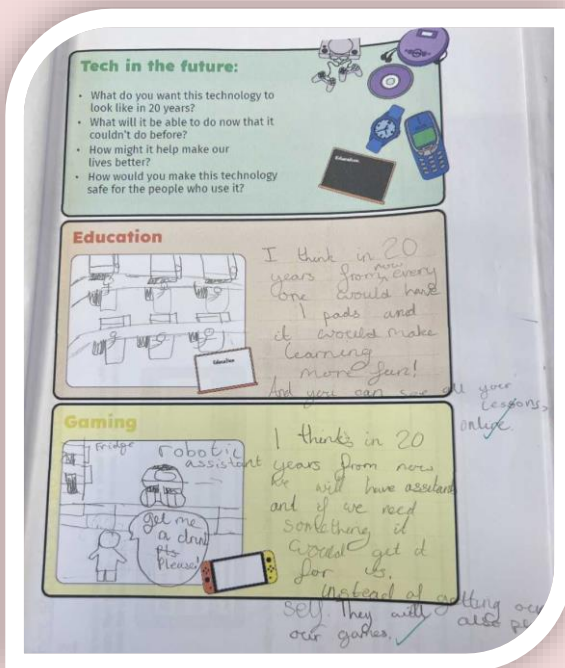
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Pupils across the school engaged in discussions on how technology would look like in the future and produced work highlighting the positive impact it has on everyday lives.



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Parent Online Safety Workshop

Thank you to the parents who attended the online safety workshop led by the Metropolitan Police.

We hope they gained valuable insights into navigating the digital landscape safely as well as empowering them to support their children in using technology responsibly and safely.



Help and advice for you as a parent or carer

Things change so fast online, it's hard to keep up with what my child is doing.

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My child keeps asking to play a game, or download an app that I don't know about, what can I do?

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My child is asking for a new device and I'm not sure they're ready for one.

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I'm not sure if the content my child is watching is a good influence on them, what can I do?

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What does an influencer do and how can they affect children's behaviour?

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My child is keen to share content and make a change online. How can I help them achieve this safely?

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How to make a report online

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2024/parents-and-carers/how-to-make-a-report-online>

Dates for your diary

Thursday 7th March - World Book Day

Week beginning 11th March - Science Week

Friday 15th March - Comic Relief

Friday 22nd March - Year 4 Parents Assembly (9:15am 4A & 4M / 2:30pm 4P & 4H)

Thursday 28th March - Last day of term

Friday 29th March - Friday 12th April - Easter Break

Monday 15th April - All pupils return to school (Term 5)



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