



St Jude's Online Safety Newsflash



Did you know that:



- 53% of 3 and 4 year old children in the UK go online for 8 hours+ per week
- 94% of 8-11 year old children in the UK go online for 13 hours+ per week
- 23% of 8-11 year old children in the UK have a social media profile



Ofcom Children and Parents: Media Use and Attitudes Report, 2017



Online Safety Top Tips of the Week

How to set up filters on your home internet to help prevent age inappropriate content being accessed on devices in your home:



The 4 big internet providers in the UK – BT, Sky, TalkTalk and Virgin Media - provide their customers with free parental controls which can be activated at any time.



They have come together to produce these helpful video guides to help you to download and set-up the controls offered by your provider.

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers/parental-controls-offered-your-home-internet-provider>



No filter or parental controls tool is 100% effective, and many of the risks that young people face online are because of their own and other's behaviour.

