

# Forest of Galtres Primary School

## E-safety Update

Monday 12th December 2022

### Activities for home to help you keep your child safe online

Jessie and Friends (4–7 year olds) <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/jessie-and-friends/>

Play, like share (8-10 year olds) <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/playlikeshare/>

In game chat (10+ years) <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/in-game-chat/>

### 5 top tips for setting Parental Controls

1. Set up home broadband parental controls and make use of controls on your home broadband. Talk to your broadband provider about this.
2. Set controls on your search engine; encourage your child to always use child-friendly search engines and activate and lock the safe search settings on the browsers and platforms they use.
3. Use privacy settings on apps and devices; activate the safety measures offered by different sites. Social networking sites have privacy settings that will help prevent your child from sharing too much personal information or from seeing unsuitable advertising.
4. Block pop-ups. If you're worried about your children accessing inappropriate content through accidentally clicking on adverts in pop-ups, follow the advice from [Tech Advisor](#) on how to stop these.
5. Have open conversations with your child about online safety and reassure them that they can talk to you or a trusted adult whenever they need to. By talking to your child about their interests you can help them find suitable sites to visit and apps to use. Review these sites as they get older.