Parent Advisory for Cyber Safety

The internet is a way to stay connected with friends and family. However, if children use the internet without safety awareness, they may fall prey to illegal activity or abuse such as cyber bullying, fraud or even dangerous internet games. Hence, it is very important to follow the internet safety norms to make children free to explore knowledge without any dangers.

CYBER SAFETY MEASURES FOR CHILDREN

1. Stop providing child with digital gadgets like tablets, smart phones, until or unless necessary.
2. Install Parent Control Apps to help you monitor child's online activities.
4. Keep a watch on child Internet activities.
5. Try to get to know your child's "online friends" and their social media accounts.
6. Discourage them from playing online games for longer duration as it accounts to wastage of time and may cause health problems also.
7. Regular open and friendly conversations with the child is must.
8. Inform them about new games and challenges (especially dangerous) available on Internet.
9. Regarding child social media accounts, guide them:-
   - Not to put their personal information such as their address, telephone number, parents' work address / telephone number and pictures publically.
   - Not to give out their passwords to anyone (even their best friends) other than the parents.
   - Seek parent's permission before downloading or installing software or doing any-thing that could possibly hurt their computer or mobile device or put at risk the family's privacy.
   - Do not meet unknown online friends without parent's permission.
10. Encourage them to be a good, hygenic online citizen and not do anything that hurts other people or is against the law.

STAY CYBER SAFE

Principal & Staff