

eSafety Label - Assessment Form

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Infrastructure

Technical security

Question: Are all of your school computers virus-protected?

Answer: Yes, all school computers are virus-protected.

Question: Is the school system protected by a firewall?

> Answer: Yes.

Pupil and staff access to technology

Question: Are staff and pupils allowed to use USB sticks on school computers?

Answer: Yes, but how staff and pupils are allowed to use their USBs is clearly stipulated in our Acceptable Use Policy.

Question: Are mobile phones and other digital devices allowed in school?

Answer: Use of mobile phones is encouraged in class as learning tools where considered appropriate by the teacher.

Data protection

Question: How is the storage of school records and other documentation dealt with over time?

> **Answer:** We have a school retention plan specifying how long specific kinds of records are being kept and how they should be archived/disposed of.

Question: Do you have separated learning and administration environments in your school?

Answer: Yes, we have separated learning and administration environments.

Question: Do you consistently inform all school members about of the importance of protecting devices, especially portable ones?

Answer: Yes, we provide training/manuals around issues like these.

Software licensing

Question: Does someone have overall responsibility for licensing agreements?

> Answer: Yes.

Question: How is the software and license status managed?

> Answer: It is part of responsibility of the IT responsible to be able to produce an overview of software and

license status at any moment.

IT Management

Question: Once new software is installed, are teachers trained in its usage?

> Answer: Yes, when we roll-out new software, training and/or guidance is made available.

Policy

Acceptable Use Policy (AUP)

Question: Does the school have a policy on the use of mobile devices / mobile phones?

> Answer: Yes.

Question: How does the school ensure that School Policies are followed?

> Answer: Teachers and pupils have to sign the policy. In the case of pupils it is read and discussed in class.

Reporting and Incident-Handling

Question: Is there a clear procedure if pupils knowingly access illegal or offensive material at school?

> **Answer:** Yes. This is included in written guidance for staff.

Question: Does your school have a strategy in place on how to deal with bullying, on- and offline?

> **Answer:** Yes, we have a whole-school approach, addressing teachers, pupils and parents. It is also embedded into the curriculum for all ages.

Staff policy

Question: Do you inform teachers about the risks that come with potentially non-secured devices, such as smartphones?

> Answer: Yes, they are clearly formulated in the School Policy and discussed in regular intervals.

Pupil practice/behaviour

Question: Is there a school wide hierarchy of positive and negative consequences to address pupils' online behaviour?

Answer: Yes and this is clearly understood by all and applied consistently throughout the school.

Question: Does your school have a policy that states how pupils should communicate electronically at school?

> Answer: Yes, these are defined in the AUP and taught to pupils across the curriculum.

School presence online

Question: Does your school policy contain a section on the taking and publishing of photographs of, and by, pupils, parents and staff?

> **Answer:** Yes, we have a comprehensive section on this in our School Policy.

Question: Is it possible for pupils to take part in shaping the school online presence?

Answer: Yes, pupils have the possibility to feedback on our online presence.

Question: Is someone responsible for checking the online reputation of the school regularly?

> Answer: Not officially, but the ICT coordinator/a senior teacher assumes this role.

Practice

Management of eSafety

Question: Is there one single person responsible for ICT usage and online access in your school?

> Answer: Yes.

Question: Does the school have a designated member of staff responsible for eSafety?

Answer: It is a shared responsibility for all staff.

eSafety in the curriculum

Question: Are pupils taught about the risks of sexting?

> Answer: Yes, sexting is integrated into our eSafety and our sex education teaching at appropriate times.

Question: Are all pupils in your school taught about eSafety?

> Answer: Yes, all pupils in all year groups.

Question: Is eSafety taught as part of the curriculum?

> Answer: Yes, in the ICT curriculum.

Question: Are legal consequences of online actions discussed with pupils? Topics would include terms and conditions, online payments, copyright.

> **Answer:** Yes, in all grades.

Extra curricular activities

Question: Does the school provide eSafety support for pupils outside curriculum time?

> Answer: Yes.

Sources of support

Question: Do pupils have a means to address a trusted adult in confidence if an online incident occurs outside the school?

Answer: Yes, the school counselor is knowledgeable in eSafety issues.

Staff training

Question: Are teachers aware about the technology that pupils spend their freetime with?

Answer: Yes, this is part of the training and/or information package provided to teachers.

Question: Are teachers trained on the topic of cyberbullying?

> **Answer:** Yes, every teacher.

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