

Staying Safe Online with Kit the Fox

Learning objective: To understand the importance of keeping personal information private and how to report concerns when using the internet.

Read each question carefully and use your knowledge of online safety to provide clear, helpful answers. Remember, Kit the Fox always thinks before they click!

Kit the Fox is building a digital map for their friends. While exploring online, Kit remembers that keeping secrets safe is just as important as solving puzzles. Being a smart digital citizen means knowing what to share and what to keep private.

Word bank: Personal information · Password · Report · Trustworthy · Privacy settings · Adult

1. Kit is signing up for a new educational website. Why should Kit never share their home address or school name with people they meet online? (2 marks)

2. Imagine you see something on a website that makes you feel worried or uncomfortable. What are the two most important steps you should take immediately? (2 marks)

3. Why is it important to create a 'strong' password that includes a mix of letters, numbers, and symbols instead of using your pet's name or your birthday? (2 marks)

4. If a stranger sends you a message online offering you a free gift in exchange for your phone number, what should you do? Explain your reasoning. (2 marks)

5. List three pieces of 'personal information' that you should keep private when using the internet. (3 marks)

Draw: Draw a 'Digital Safety Shield'. Inside the shield, draw three symbols representing rules for staying safe online, such as a padlock for passwords or a hand for 'stop and think'.



Extension challenge: Create a 'Safe Search' poster for your classroom. Write a catchy slogan that reminds Year 4 students to talk to a trusted adult if they are ever unsure about something they see on a screen.