

# //: SAFER INTERNET THEME DAY PROJECT://

A Theme Day or Week, where a topic is developed throughout the whole school for a number of days can add an enjoyable dimension to SPHE

## ADVANTAGES

- It highlights an important topic.
- It brings a whole school focus on an issue.
- It allows for a cross-curricular approach.
- It provides a forum for school, community and voluntary bodies to work together.
- It facilitates different types of learning to occur.

## HOW TO...

- Start to plan well in advance of the date - 4 to 6 weeks is wise.
- Involve as many subjects, students, staff and other members of the school and local community as possible.
- Remember the **Three Golden Rules** of 'event management' - Delegate; Delegate; Delegate!

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## IDEAS FOR THE WHOLE SCHOOL

- Lunch times sessions in the computer room given by students on cybersafety.
- Art, metalwork or woodwork classes might work on a sculpture that symbolises Internet Safety.
- **//school\_tube//** short video competition on Internet Safety.
- **Poster competition** positive uses of the Internet - best posted to school's website.
- Design a logo or slogan for **Safer Internet Day** next February.