Distance Learning has become a big part of all of our lives over the recent times.

Undoubtedly, there are many benefits to the online platforms we are using to support our learners, however it is important that we work together to ensure that we are promoting safe online activity for all of our learners and families throughout the school.

Here are some 'Top Tips' to support you and your child when working online:





Encourage your child to use written English at all times when communicating with teachers or friends when learning. Make sure your child has regular breaks from screen time and agree a 'shut down' time when they will not respond to Seesaw tasks.



Ensure your child is fully clothed during video posts. We want to encourage good online habits from a young age so that children develop good practice for when they begin to use social media platforms independently.



Ensure that your child keeps their personal information, usernames and passwords safe and secure at all times. This information should not be shared when online.



Encourage your child to think carefully before clicking on links, adverts or requests. These can contain digital viruses that can lead to problems with your ICT equipment.

3.

Encourage your child to be kind and respectful to others when typing comments or feedback online. Encourage them to read over what they have typed before posting anything.



Make sure your child is aware that if something or someone makes them feel upset, worried or confused online then it is important they share this information with a trusted adult.



For more advice on safe internet use please visit www.childnet.com or www.safetynetkids.org.uk #KPCARES