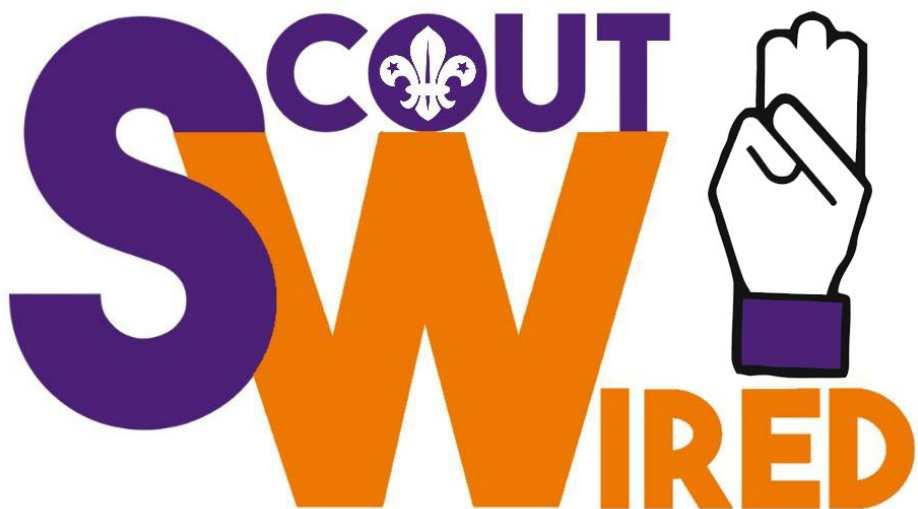




# STAYING SAFE ONLINE

**A POCKET GUIDE  
FROM**



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# INTERNET SAFETY

Most people, young and old, can use a computer and mobile phone these days. Using computers, mobile phones, 'Tablets' (like the ipad) and the internet can be fun and let you keep in touch with friends and family.

But have you ever thought about what can go wrong? Have you ever had somebody say things or ask you things that you didn't like or felt awkward about? Have you ever been made to feel bad by what others say or do when using the internet or mobile phones? Have you ever been tempted to meet or actually met somebody you got to know over the internet or by mobile phone? **Knowing what can go wrong before it does can keep you safe.** Knowing what to do when it does go wrong can keep you safe. When you're safe you can enjoy all the good stuff the internet and mobile phones can let you do....



# CYBER BULLYING

Cyber bullying is when someone uses computers, mobiles or other gadgets to cause you hurt and harm. It could be by writing things about you that are not true or things that are private and you don't want anyone else to know. Calling you names or Posting pictures of you you don't like. This can be very scary and make you upset, anxious and sad. A cyber bully can do all these things at any time of the day and they don't have to be in front of you to bully you. They can do it on social network sites like Facebook, SnapChat, Twitter or by texting or phoning and on video hosting sites like You Tube.

If it happens to you, first of all be aware that you can do something about it. Keep evidence of bullying. Save texts and take note of the time the time you got the call at and what was said. Don't respond to the messages or calls. This only lets the cyber bully know that they are being successful and are more likely to continue.

Let someone you trust know that this is happening to you. The person you trust could be a family member or relative, teacher, Scout Leader Or any of the ScoutWired Team. Dealing with cyber bullies is easier when you have help.

The CEOP REPORT service can help you

[www.ceop.police.uk](http://www.ceop.police.uk)



# MOBILE PHONES/PERSONAL DETAILS

Mobiles, especially 'Smart' phones can do a lot more than make voice calls and send texts. They have cameras, map positioning and internet access. This means bullies and nasty people can hassle you if they know your number, which they may get from social networking sites if you post your number there.

## NEVER GIVE OUT YOUR PHONE NUMBER ONLINE!

Our team will NEVER ask for personal details such as your home address or phone number. If Someone says they are on the Scoutwired Team and asks you for personal information find another member of the team (Identified by Flags on TS3 or Ranks on Minecraft) and report them.

A Full list of our team can be found here:

<http://www.scoutwired.org/our-team/>

# **BE ONLINE SMART**

## **STAY SAFE**

Don't give out your personal information to people you do not know!

## **DON'T MEET UP**

Meeting Someone you have only been in touch with online can be dangerous. Make sure to bring an adult with you

## **ACCEPTING FILES**

Accepting Emails, Links, Pictures or files from people you don't know may cause problems such as Viruses or Content you do not want to see.

## **RELIABLE**

Check Information before believing it. Is the person/ website telling the truth?

## **TELL SOMEONE**

Tell an Adult if something makes you feel uncomfortable.  
(see more on the back page)

**IF SOMETHING ONLINE SEEMS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE.**

**IT PROBABLY IS...**

# WE CAN HELP

Here at Scoutwired We are committed to keeping young people safe online. If While Online you feel **threatened or uneasy** about anything You can talk to a member of the team.

We can provide total support inside of our networks that covers up to and including **Permanently banning** another user of the network. BUT we can also provide help outside of our services. If Someone is **Harassing** you on **Facebook or Twitter** or any other service our team is always here to offer you support you and offer advice and assistance.

All of our team are **verified Scout Leaders** in their respective countries and have undergone **ScoutWired's Own Safeguarding Training** to ensure they are competent and up to date with our safeguarding Policies.

If you would like to speak to someone. You can contact us via:

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