

eCadet meeting – Wednesday 6th October



1. The mission of the eCadets

To ensure that they keep up to date with online safety and educate others to the best of their ability in staying safe online.

Duties include:

- Deliver class and whole school assemblies on areas relating to online safety
- Help improve behaviour in the online world
- Reduce safeguarding issues online
- Monitor and update areas of website linked with online safety
- Review and comment on e-safety page
- Test and review new ICT resources with the computer ambassadors from classes.
- Share skill and knowledge of e-safety
- Give support to peers
- Promote internet safety
- Be a good role model

Following a reminder of our mission statement, the group discussed how classrooms look after equipment. They commented that sometimes children were not using equipment safely or respectfully. The eCadets acknowledged how important it is to look after the equipment and that they felt it was their role to ensure children use equipment properly in class. They acknowledged how lucky we are to have a large amount of computing equipment. Michael recommended creating a poster for classrooms to help ensure children looked after the equipment in class. All

eCadets agreed that this would be beneficial to classes. Posters will be made over the next few weeks and presented in class at the start of next term.

The eCadet challenges

The eCadets looked at the safer gaming presentation and notes from the e-cadet website. They discussed the importance of PEG ratings and why games are rated as they are. They acknowledged the importance of parents/ children understanding what some games entail and how the peg rating can assist children in playing appropriate games. The eCadets also discussed the effects these games would have on children's behaviour if they accessed games that are inappropriate to their age. The eCadets discussed ways to enhance the PowerPoint to the needs of children within our school.

Children voted to split into 3 groups, each led by a year 6 eCadet to work on their presentation for classes. As a group eCadets decided that they would like to complete the extra challenge in class to enhance children's knowledge of safer gaming. Children shared ideas amongst the groups and worked well in their teams.

Groups are as follows: -Alex, Olly, Michael Nathaniel. Elliot, Preston Amanda, Bentley, Alex

In the next eCadet meeting (date to be confirmed), teams will finalise their presentations ready to deliver in class.