



The online world needs heroes...

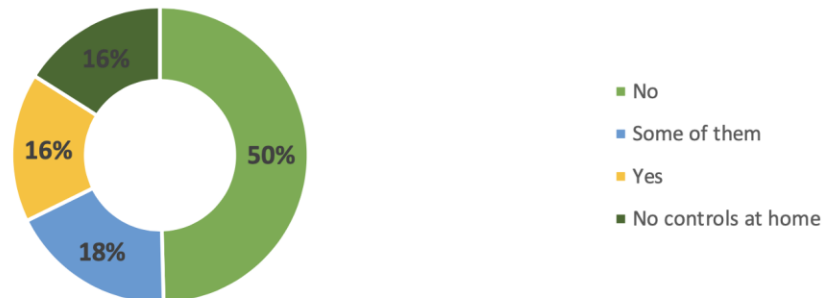
Dear Parents and Carers,

At St Joseph's Catholic Voluntary Academy we know that we are increasingly living in a digital age. In light of this we understand the importance of teaching children and parents about how to be safe online to enable to them to get them most out of their time on the internet.

We have invited Traci Good, who specialises in Online Safety to deliver a workshop to parents about the amazing opportunities that being online has to offer our children, and also a look at some of the risks that our children may face and how to deal with them if they happen.

Derby & Derbyshire

Do you know how to get around the parental controls that are on your devices?



Traci says "Firstly, and most importantly this isn't a session to tell you how to parent your children! As parents and carers we need to understand some of the risks our children face and how we can support them, and where we can get help ourselves if we need it. The above chart shows the responses from 12,000 Derby and Derbyshire primary children when we asked them if they knew how to get around the parental controls on their devices.

Children are making and sharing their own content online from reception class to year 6, using apps like YouTube, TikTok, Twitch and Roblox, which also allows them to connect with others.

Whilst being online offers amazing opportunities for our children, we can't ignore some of the risks that some children may be exposed to. I can almost promise that you will learn something new so please join us, it will be great to meet you"

The meeting will take place on Monday 28th November at 3.15pm in the Y6 classrooms.