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Welcome to the March edition of the Dudley Schools Anti-Bullying Pledge Scheme Newsletter, signposting you to a range of national, regional and local anti-bullying initiatives and resources.

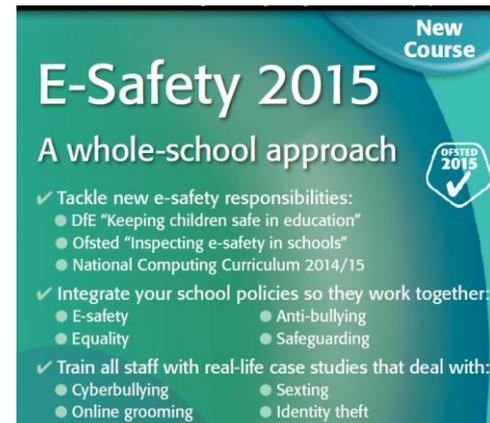


Education for All



Find out more about Stonewall's campaign to prevent and tackle homophobic bullying in schools and colleges. **Secondary schools:** DVDs, books, teaching packs, guides, reports and other resources for staff, parents and students. [Read more](#)
Primary schools: Fun, colourful, age appropriate materials and lesson plans designed to help school staff create safe learning environments for all. [Read more](#)

Adrienne Katz, author of the highly-acclaimed *Cyberbullying and E-Safety*, and the director of the Bullying Intervention Group, will be delivering a one day course in Birmingham on 10th March 2015. Adrienne has long been associated with Dudley and designed the Cyber Survey which many of our schools participated in last year. Find out more and download the brochure [here](#). There will also be an opportunity to meet Adrienne at our Anti-Bullying Regional Conference on 17th March at Himley Hall. The conference is **FREE**. Book your place here: <https://anti-bullyingdudley.eventbrite.co.uk>



E-Safety 2015
 A whole-school approach

- ✓ Tackle new e-safety responsibilities:
 - DfE "Keeping children safe in education"
 - Ofsted "Inspecting e-safety in schools"
 - National Computing Curriculum 2014/15
- ✓ Integrate your school policies so they work together:
 - E-safety
 - Equality
 - Anti-bullying
 - Safeguarding
- ✓ Train all staff with real-life case studies that deal with:
 - Cyberbullying
 - Online grooming
 - Sexting
 - Identity theft

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Don't miss out! Has your school booked a place at the Regional Anti-Bullying Conference on 17th March at Himley Hall?



Children from Quarry Bank Primary School have been composing RAPs to convey important messages about bullying and E-safety. Here is their latest effort. They will be performing "Bars and Melody" style at the regional conference.



Stay safe on the net, that's what we say
We love our consoles, we just want to play
 Xbox 360, Nintendo Wii
Our virtual world on Play Station 3
What about Facebook, some can talk all day
Just remember – be careful what you say !
Say stuff we don't like, we know what to do
Report you as a cyberbully, make sure that's not you
Don't talk to strangers, we all know the rule
It's the same on the internet, don't be a fool
Only add friends you know to be true
Be aware of the dangers, stop us worrying about you.
So listen up Mom and listen up Dad
Here are some messages that need to be had !

Do you have a contribution for the next newsletter? Can you share your experience / good practice? Email Lynda.kesterton@dudley.gov.uk

