Subject: Computing – DIGITAL LITERACY	Year group: Year 4	Topic:Digital Literacy	Initiation & activation
Prior knowledge required: to know ho	ow to keep personal information safe and secure	Vocabulary:	activities:
Programme of Study: Year 3 & 4	Implementation:	Impact –lesson sequence:	Evaluations and assessments:
Understand the opportunities [networks] offer for communication and collaboration Be discerning in evaluating digital content Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptabl e behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact	 E-Safety Online Research Use internet search engines to gather resources for their own research work. Be aware of different search engines and discuss their various features (e.g. Google image & video search). Show children how to change the 'Search Settings' to Strict in Google. Understand the importance of framing questions into search criteria when conducting web searches. Be aware that not everything they find online is accurate and that information needs to be checked and evaluated. E-Safety Communication & Collaboration Children use online communication tools to exchange and develop their ideas in a range of curriculum opportunities. Use sensitive and appropriate language when using online communication tools. Use email as a form of communication, use the "To" box and add a subject heading. Add an attachment to an email. Develop understanding of when it is unsafe to open an email or an email attachment. E-Safety E-Awareness Children understand and abide by the school's 'Being SMART Online' rules and aware of the implications of not following the rules. Children understand that a password can keep information secure and the need to keep it a secret. 		

Knowledge skills and understanding

- Do they understand the need for rules to keep them safe when exchanging learning and ideas online?
- Can they recognise that information on the internet may not be accurate or reliable and may be used for bias, manipulation or persuasion?
- Do they understand that the internet contains fact, fiction and opinion and begin to distinguish between them?
- Can they use strategies to verify information, e.g. crosschecking?
- Do they understand the need for caution when using an internet search for images and what to do if they find an unsuitable image?
- Do they understand that copyright exists on most digital
- images, video and recorded music?
- Do they understand the need to keep personal information and passwords private?
- Do they understand that if they make personal information available online it may be seen and used by others?
- Do they know how to respond if asked for personal information or feel unsafe about content of a message?
- Can they recognise that cyber bullying is unacceptable and will be sanctioned in line with the school's policy?
- Do they know how to report an incident of cyber bullying?
- Do they know the difference between online communication tools used in school and those used at home?
- Do they understand the need to develop an alias for some public online use?
- Do they understand that the outcome of internet searches at home may be different than at school?

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- Do they follow the school's safer internet rules?
- Do they recognise the difference between the work of others which has been copied (plagiarism) and restructuring and representing materials in ways which are unique and new?
- Can they begin to identify when emails should not be opened and when an attachment may not be safe?

Can they explain how to use email safely?
• Can they use different search engines?