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WHAT IS IT AND WHAT CAN I DO AS A PARENT TO SAFEGUARD MY CHILD?

## IT COVERS ALL SORTS OF THINGS

- In school, we teach the children:
- To not share personal information
- About self-image and identity
- About cyber bullying
- What to do when they are concerned when browsing the internet
- Who they can talk to about online safety
- About appropriate online relationships and their reputation online

## HOW DOES THIS CONCERN PARENTS?

- The access children have to online resources is astronomical.
- We need to put in measures to ensure children are not exposed to inappropriate content while trying to surf the internet.
- It is everybody's responsibility to ensure the safety of children online.

## WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- Most tablets or phones will have a setting where you can limit screen time.
- Turn on parental controls that are password protected (with the password only known by the adults in the household).
- Talk to your internet service provider about blocks and filters you can put in place.
- Talk to your children about it.

