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# CYBERSECURITY AT TSS



## WE ARE THE HOSTS!

Titus Salt School had the honour of hosting Childnet's first Digital Leaders regional event, where over 60 qualified Digital Leaders from 6 schools attended to showcase and celebrate their work in promoting online safety in their own schools and communities. Another aim of the event was to share ideas for delivering cyber security information; while also

developing key leadership skills. The Digital Leaders participated in activities and workshops throughout the day, such as e-safety quizzes and moral compass exercises, which helped to support their recent online training. To end the day, an award ceremony named "Star Awards" was held to acknowledge individual pupils nominated by their teachers for their great contributions as Digital Leaders.

## Upcoming Events

Safer Internet Day - Tuesday 5th February 2019

TSS Safer Internet Day Workshops - Wednesday 6th February 2019

Random Acts Of Kindness Day - Sunday February 17th 2019  
*(Can You Do Something Kind & Make The Internet A Nice Place?)*

National Safeguarding Day - Tuesday 26th February 2019

April Fool's Day - Monday 1st April 2019  
*(Do You Know The Difference Between Fake & Real News? How Much Do You Know About Online Reliability?)*



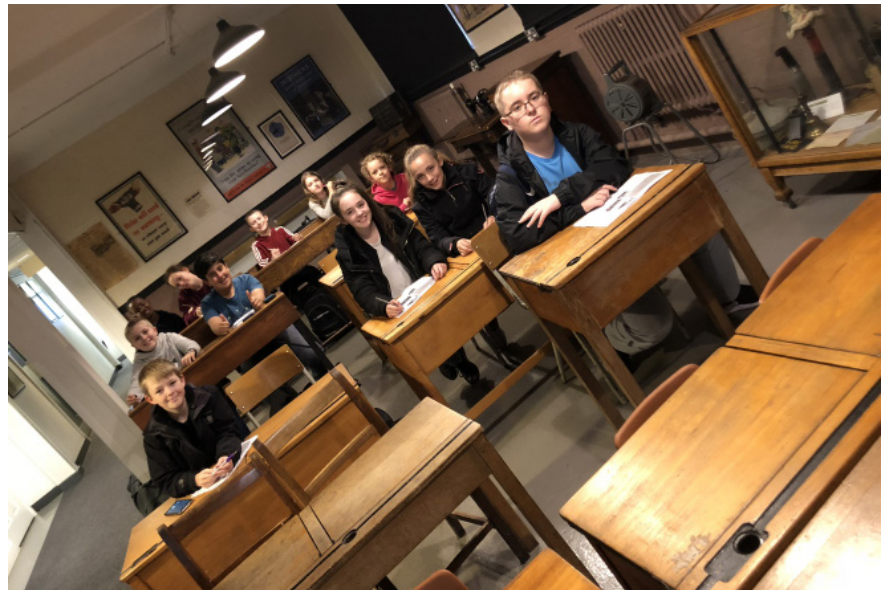
## NEED ADVICE OR GUIDANCE?



DROP IN  
SESSIONS EVERY WEEK  
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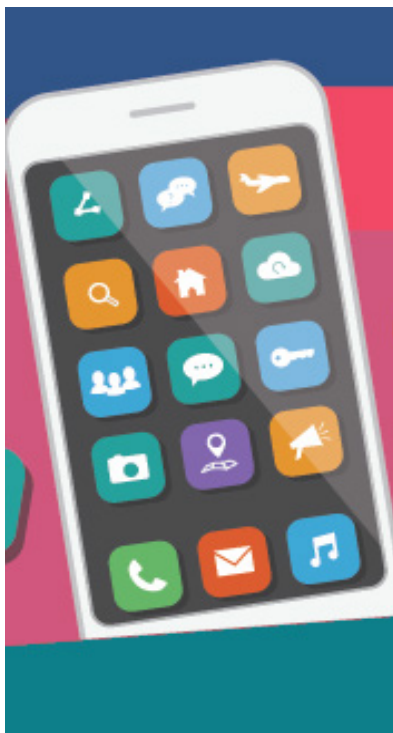
# Titus Salt Visits Bletchley

During October, over 60 computer science enthusiasts from years 7 to 13 visited Bletchley Park. This was an estate in Milton Keynes where WWII code breakers worked in order to decrypt German messages sent throughout the war. We first had a brief tour of the estate and museum, as we learnt the history of Bletchley Park and its significance to the British war effort. This included a chance to practice on an Enigma machine; one of the most critical pieces of computer hardware ever developed.



These machines allowed British personnel to decipher German communication signals throughout the Second World War. Our school also had a session covering e-safety and various online dangers such as phishing and viruses; which was

especially helpful for our Digital Leaders, as it supported their training. All pupils thoroughly enjoyed the trip and had an experience learning from and talking to teams of experts in the field of cybersecurity.



## Talking To Your Child About Cybersecurity

It is important to start a conversation with your child about online safety. **Which apps/games/websites do they frequently use?** This indicates your child's interests and how they use their device (you may be able to identify an issue they can't). New apps and games are released constantly, so it's good to keep up with this.

**Do they understand what personal information is and how to report any issues?** They should know how to report worries both online and to a trusted adult. It's possible that your child may become confused or embarrassed when confronted with these issues. **How often do they use their devices?** They should also understand the negative impacts of device/game addiction. Introduce new activities/technology limits at home if their device begins to impact school work/sleep.