

XOA8XR08 - Keeping Families Safe Online

Course aim

To gain knowledge and skills to help keep your family safe online. This course is suitable for all levels.

Course Outcomes

Find out how to support your child's development through technology.
Recognise and respond to risks on the internet for your family, including how to report concerns online.
Search effectively and recognise what makes a website safe to use.
Gain new skills, knowledge and confidence in a positive learning environment.

How will the course be taught?

The course will be taught online using Google Classroom. Each session will be delivered through an online video session and include lots of practical elements.

What do I need to bring / have ready?

You will need a computer and internet connection, plus a Gmail address to access Google Classroom. You won't need to print anything out as all your work will be online, but you may wish to have a pen and notepad handy to make notes.

Health and Safety / Online Safety

Your tutor will give you information about Health and Safety at the session. For information on how to keep safe online, go to https://safety.lovetoknow.com/Internet_Safety_Adult and <https://takefive-stopfraud.org.uk/> national awareness campaign. To report suspected scams, or for information on preventing scams, call the Citizens Advice on 03454 04 05 06.

Further support and progression

If you need help whilst on a course with us, our Learner Support Advisor is available to discuss your needs. We offer a range of services, subject to eligibility, which can include practical support and/or financial assistance to ensure you feel fully supported while learning with us. For more information contact alsreferrals@northnorthants.gov.uk or call 01604 368023 (answerphone available). Visit our website www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/course-info for further information about our fees and concessions. Your tutor will inform you of further learning opportunities and progression during your course.

Further Information

The course will have links to other resources to help you continue your learning. You may also want to take next steps with IT skills by progressing to an Essential Digital Skills course with Adult Learning, details at www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/adultlearning

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