Internet searches and safeguarding

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Introduction

Even behind the closed doors of a school, pupils are at risk of harm due to the expansive, all-encompassing nature of the internet. Risks can include cyber bullying, grooming, access to pornographic or extremist material, and access to websites and forums encouraging self-harm, eating disorders and even suicide. There is also the potential that pupils can be influenced into engaging in illegal activities – including drugs and weapons purchasing, racism, homophobia, hacking and piracy – that certain parts of the internet facilitate and encourage.

Under the Prevent duty, schools are required to protect pupils from the risk of radicalisation, including those posed by the internet. Some schools have chosen to monitor keyword usage; with various implications should a pupil enter a restricted term (be it entered into an email, social media or search engine, or present within a page or URL).

Schools may choose to block access to websites containing any of their chosen terms – preventing pupils from accessing any material that could be deemed harmful. Some schools

have systems that immediately shutdown a computer if a chosen word is entered into a search engine, for a specified time period or until a password is entered.

Both of the above methods have been criticised for preventing pupils from researching and increasing their knowledge of a subject. This may prevent pupils from learning more about legitimate subjects, such as counter-narratives to extremist views, and in turn reduce opportunities for learning and acceptance.

There are systems available enabling schools to monitor pupils' usage, whilst allowing some freedom. One such system takes screenshots or records pupils' computer use when a keyword is entered, allowing staff to review pupils' actions and intervene where necessary. Of course, such systems come at a cost and school leaders must decide whether the cost is necessary or whether another approach may be more suitable.

Schools must consider their approach carefully, as it must be balanced and allow for pupils' increased understanding of subjects, but also inhibit access to dangerous material. Of course, monitoring pupils' internet use does not entail simply spying on pupils; it can allow for early intervention and prevent pupils coming to harm.

Schools may wish to use the keywords listed below in their security settings. The list is not exhaustive and schools should amend and add to the list to meet their specific requirements.

White supremacy keywords

This series of words and phrases are used by white supremacist and far-right websites. They are also used by members of those communities to communicate with each other.

KKK	Burning cross	PEN1
Ku Klux	Celtic cross	ROA
Ku Klux Klan	Confederate	Sieg heil
33/6	Iron cross	SS
AWS	KIGY	SS bolts
AKIA	KLASP	Stormfront
Aryan	LOTIE	Swastikas
Aryan fist	National Alliance	SWP
Aryan nation	National Rebirth of Poland	The Order
Aryan knights	National Socialist Movement	Totenkopf

Blood drop cross	Nazi	Triskele
Blut unde ehre	Nazi Eagle	White Knights
The Brotherhood	ORION	White power
Boots and laces	Peckerwood	WP

Radicalisation keywords

The following words are used by terrorist groups, as well as those who wish to recruit and radicalise young people.

Dirty bomb	Nuclear facilities	Waterborne agent	Kidnap	Abu Sayyaf
Honour killings	Nuclear threat	Airborne agent	War on Islam	Tamil Tigers
Hostage	Radiation	Chemical warfare	Illegal immigrants	PLO
Explosive	Radicals	Quarantine	Terrorism	Jihad
Explosion	Biological infection	Jihadi bride	Al Qaeda	PLF
Organised crime	Chemical burn	Fundamentalism	Terror	Basque Separatists
Gangs	Biological warfare	Bomb suit	Iraq	Hezbollah
National security	Epidemic	Jihobbyist	Environmental terrorism	Suicide bomber
Screening	Gas bomb	Suspicious device	Yemen	Car bomb
Extremism	Anthrax	Violence	Eco Terrorism	Taliban
Bomb	Blister agent	Gang	Conventional weapon	Suicide attack
Looting	Chemical agent	Pandemic	Weapons grade	AQAP
Muhammad Emwazi	IED	Hamas	IRA	AQIM
TTP	Islamist	FARC	ETA	John Cantlie
Riot	Chemical weapon	Trafficking	Jihadi John	Kuffar
Pipe bomb	Nerve agent	Improvised explosive device	Enriched	Weapons cache
Hamzat	Ricin	Kafir	Nuclear	Daesh
Nuclear weapon	Sarin	Pogrom	Chemical weapon	Kuffs

Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi	Raqqa	Bataclan	Salah Abdeslam	Holy War
Chemical spill	Terror tuberculosis	Decapitated	Biological weapon	YODO
Suspicious package	Toxic agro	Execution	Ammonium nitrate	Kuff
ISIS	Islamic state	Caliphate	Weaponry	Beheading

Drug keywords

The table below demonstrates words associated with the use of illegal drugs.

Meth	Heroin	Cocaine
Needles	Marijuana	Crack
Pills	Ecstasy	Intoxicated
E	Weed	Smack
MDMA/ MD	Acid	Rehab
Mandy	Angel dust	Gluey
Bong	Come down	Chronic
Pipe	High	Huffing
Drug cartel	Narcotics	Ket
Trip	Coke	K
LSD	Hash	Spice
Spliff/Joint	2CB	Speed
Gear	Crack-cocaine	Shooting-up

Pornography keywords

The following table demonstrates keywords and phrases which are commonly used when searching for pornography related material on the internet.

Porno	Sex	Masturbation
MILF	Anal	Creampie
Gangbang	Playboy	RudeTube
PornHub	Bondage	Shemale
Blowjob	Sex tape	Spanking
Orgy	Bukkake	Incest
Squirter	Free porn	Snuff film
Hardcore	Girl-on-girl	Gay porn
Threesome	Swingers	Deepthroat
Gloryhole	Cum shot	Uncensored

Sexual keywords

This section is a list of words relating to sexual acts, sexual organs and sexual culture/industry, all of which may be used in a derogatory manner.

Penis	Dick	Cock
Vagina	Pussy	Boobs
Orgasm	Clitoris/Clit	Ejaculation
Sperm	Semen	Spunk
Tits	Arsehole/asshole	Fucking
Shagging	Erection	Masturbating

Wanking	Intercourse	Anal sex
Group sex	Dildo	Sex toy
Prostitute	Jiggalo	Pimp
Sexting	Dickpic	Phone sex

Anxiety keywords

The following are keywords and phrases related to anxiety and other similar disorders.

Depression	Nervous	Panic attacks
Stress	Relief	Emotions
Social anxiety	PTSD	Phobias
OCD	Panic	Bipolar
Personality disorder	Counselling	Negativity
Uncontrollable	Relaxation techniques	Disorder

Self-harm keywords

Self-harm terms are often searched for within social media sites, particularly image-based sites such as Instagram. You may wish to add a '#' prefix to terms and remove any spaces between words to counter this.

Suicide	Suicidal	Depressed
Cutting	Criss cross	Slashing
Scars	Burns	Bruises
Cutter	Overdose	Death
Worthless	Disorders	Self-hate
Relapse	Razors	Relief

Self-mutilation	Pain	Anxiety
Self-injury	Hurting	Negativity
Trigger	Pro-harm site	Mental health

Eating disorder keywords

Terms associated with eating disorders are often searched for within social media sites, particularly image-based sites such as Instagram. You may wish to add a '#' prefix to terms and remove any spaces between words to counter this.

Weight loss	Anorexic	Bulimic
Bulimia	Mia	Thigh gap
Anorexia	Ana	Bikini bridge
Ed	Fitspiration	Thinspo
Wannerexic	Goal weight	Pro-ana
Pro-mia	Reverse thinspo	Food porn

Abuse keywords

This series of words are commonly associated with abuse, including physical, emotional and sexual abuse.

Victim	Survivor	Violence
Rape	Beating	Assault
Sex slave	Forced marriage	Domestic violence
Grooming	Neglect	Exploitation
Running away	FGM	Manipulative
Sexual	ChildLine	NSPCC
Counselling	Injustice	Emotional
Lies	Bullying	Bruises

Controlling	Enablers	Verbal abuse

Violence keywords

This three-fold section includes words relating to physical actions of violence, dangerous objects and broader categorisations of violence.

Fighting/harming			
Punch	Smack	Hit	Beat
Bang	Scrap	Whack	Uppercut
Beat up	Smack up	Batter	Slash
Kick	Slap up	Nutt	Wound
Scuffle	UFC/Ultimate fighting championship	Thump	Head-butt
Stab	Brawl	Strangle	Injure
Jab	Bite	Attack	Bleed
Burn	Crush	Choke	Choke hold
Weapons			
Knife	Shank	Blade	Knuckle duster
Razor	Cutter	Stanley knife	Crowbar
Gun	Piece/gear	Shooter	Bat
Axe	Sword	Dagger	Rock
General/sexual violence			
Rape	Sexual assault	Grope	Violence against women
Gang rape	Drug rape	Sexual abuse	Hate crime

Bully	Date rape	Sexual harassment	Abuse
Domestic violence	Stalking	Forcible sex offense	Shooting
Alcohol-fuelled violence	Manslaughter	Child abuse	Harassment
Neglect	Death	Massacre	Slaughter
Suicide	Murder-suicide	Kill	Murder
Riot	GBH	ABH	Assault

Discrimination keywords

The following list is subcategorised into different types of discrimination that may occur and be experienced. There are some common discriminatory slang terms as well as more extremely offensive and criminal language.

Racial, ethnic and religious		
Nigger	Wog	Darkie
Coon	Blackie	Coloured
Half-caste	Brownie	Chink(y)
Chinaman	Slit-eye	Paki
Yid	Bible basher	God botherer
Raghead	Towel-head	Mussie/muzzie
Terrorist (in reference to certain cultures/ religions)	Gypo	Pikey
Disability		
Cripple	Retard	Flid

Freak	Lame	Invalid
Mental	Nutter	Crazy
Dwarf	Midget	Imbecile
Mong	Downy	Spaz
Spastic	Handicapped	Pyscho
Sexual orientation and gender		
Gayboy	Queen	Homo
Fag/ faggot	Poof	Queer
Bender	Rent boy	Lady-boy
Lezzer/lezza	Dyke/dike	Tranny
She-man	She-male	Nancy
Fairy	Whore	Sket
Slapper	Wench	Bitch
Slut	Slag	Skank

Bullying and cyber bullying keywords

These two lists – bullying and cyber bullying – entail words associated with (cyber)bullying, as well as possible terms and phrases that might be used by people involved.

Bullying		
Harassment	Ganging up	Teasing
Taunting	Insulting	Intimidating

Aggressive	Hostile	Excluding
Anger	Depression	Loneliness
Suicide	Suicidal	Shaming
Stealing property	Tormenting	Shunning
Anxiety	Social anxiety	Body-shaming
Cyber bullying		
Bullicide	Chat rooms	Cyber threats
Flaming	Happy slapping	Trolling
Spamming	Catfish	Catfishing
Blackmail	Masquerading	Outing
Harassment	Exclusion	False identity
Fake account	Abusive messages	Malicious posts

Piracy and copyright keywords

Below is a list of phrases associated with illegal streaming, downloading, software and websites that may be in breach of copyright law(s).

Torrent	Torrenting	Streaming
Live stream	Kickass Torrents	The Pirate Bay
TorrentDownloads	Putlocker	Watch Series
Copyright Law	EZTV	Pirate copy
Black market	Dark web	Tor

TorrentFreak	Megaupload	Pirate Movies
Proxy	VPN	BitTorrent
Direct download	Napstering	Mediafire

Hacking keywords

This set of words is relatively basic hacking terminologies that connote types of hacking actions, hacking organisations and areas of the internet associated with hacking.

Anonymous	Bot	Dark web
Deep web	Encryption	Spam
Phishing	Clone phishing	Spear phishing
Virus	End-to-end encryption	Metadata
Hackivist	Malware	Tor
Wikileaks	Rootkit	Bitcoin
Spyware	Spoofing	Trojan horse

Unusual terms and their definitions

Mia: A slang term for bulimia, often talked about as if they were a friend.

Bikini bridge: When a girl in a bikini lies down and her hip bones protrude well past their flat stomach causing their bikini bottom to stretch across and gap is formed.

Ana: Slang term for anorexia, often talked about as if they were a friend.

Ed: Slang term for eating disorders.

Wannerexic: Someone who does not meet the diagnostic criteria of anorexia but who yearns to develop the illness as a means of dieting.

Fitspiration: Images, videos and quotes designed to inspire exercise.

Bukkake: A fetish which involves the repeated ejaculation on a female by several men.

Creampie: The act of a man ejaculating inside a woman.

Gangbang: When multiple partners engage in sexual intercourse with a single willing partner.

MILF: A slang term meaning a mother I would like to fornicate with.

OCD: Obsessive compulsive disorder.

PTSD: Post-traumatic stress disorder.

FGM: Female genital mutilation.

Jihadi bride: A woman convinced that it is her Islamic duty to travel to join a jihadi organisation, such as Isis, and marry one of its fighters. Searching for this term may indicate vulnerability to radicalisation or support for Islamist extremism.

John Cantlie: British journalist kidnapped and held hostage by Isis since 2012. He appears in several Isis propaganda videos.

War on Islam: Phrase often used by Islamists and jihadis to perpetuate the narrative that the West is at war with all Muslims, which is crucial to their radicalisation and recruitment aims.

Jihobbyist: Someone who sympathises with or supports jihadist organisations but does not commit the offence of becoming an active member. Searching for this term may indicate support for jihadism.

Pogrom: An organised massacre or persecution of an ethnic or religious group, particularly Jews. Searching for this term may indicate support for far-right extremism.

YODO: Acronym for 'you only die once', a jihadi parody of YOLO (you only live once). The term is used to promote suicide bombings and recruitment to Isis.

Storm front: White supremacist neo-Nazi organisation.

Kuffs/kuffar/kafir: The Arabic term for infidel, it is a form of hate speech used by Islamists to denote non-Muslims.

Message to America: Isis propaganda video series featuring beheadings of Western hostages and threats to kill more.

Daesh: A derogatory term used in reference to Islamic State, Isil and Isis. The plural form 'daw'aish' means bigots who impose their views on others.

T.H.E: 'The happy extremist'.

UFC/Ultimate Fighting Championship: Popular global sporting franchise in which competitors fight in a ring with very few rules – fights often show extreme violence and significant injury.

Shank: Slang word for some kind of knife or blade.

Bullicide: The suicide of an individual whose primary reason for taking their own life was due to bullying they were experiencing.

Flaming: Online harassment of a person through private messages or public posts.

Catfish: When somebody poses online as someone else (often a fake identity), fooling others online for the purpose of personal gratification or with the aim of embarrassing someone.

Outing: When somebody's private/personal information is unwillingly shared online – could be messages, personal details or pictures.

Metadata: Large data sets that describe and give information about other data and internet users – can be used for surveillance and spying purposes.

Dark web: Certain types of internet browsers that are often used for illicit purposes. Users' addresses and details are encrypted (hidden) by software which enables them to buy drugs, weapons and general purchase illegal goods/services.

Tor: Tor is one of the dark web's most popular internet browsers.

Phishing/spoofing: A hacking technique aimed at extracting personal details from a person such as passwords or bank details through bogus emails in which the hacker poses as an official body.

Bitcoin: Online currency which has an exchange rate with regular currencies – used as the primary currency on the dark web to purchase goods and services.

Rootkit: Type of malware (malicious software which hackers use).

Trojan horse: A hacking phrase that refers to a type of malicious software that is hidden inside a seemingly innocuous piece of software, tricking the person downloading and leaving them unaware they may be being hacked.

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