CLICK WITH CAUTION: ONLINE SAFETY FOR SCHOOLS

CYBER SAFETY

In today's fast-paced digital world, learners are growing up in an online environment. This means increased safety risks. From cyberbullying to fake profiles, online predators, and inappropriate content, schools need strong digital boundaries and confident educators.

This set of workshops is designed to empower your learners, staff, and parents with the practical tools and real-world awareness needed to safely navigate the internet, social media, and digital learning spaces.

We don't sugar-coat it! Real risks, real tools, REAL CHANGE.

WHY DOES YOUR SCHOOL NEED THIS WORKSHOP?

South Africa ranks 5th globally in cybercrimes, of which, schools are one of the biggest targets.

COVERS ALL AGES, GRADE R–12

Each learner session is tailored to the age group, from basic online safety for younger kids to sexting, scams, AI misuse, and mental health for teens. Every child gets the right information for their stage.

SACE-ACCREDITED EDUCATOR TRAINING

Educators gain 5 SACE points and practical tools to handle online risks in the classroom and support learners in crisis. Includes memorandums and certificates, immediate value for teachers and school leadership.
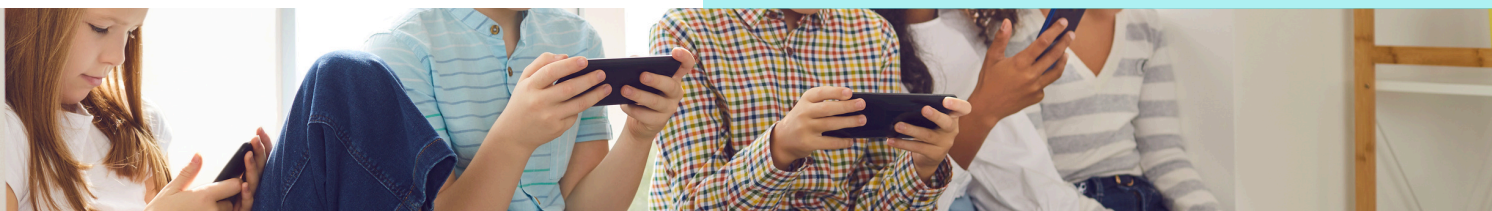
INCLUDES A POWERFUL PARENT SESSION

Parents are brought into the loop with a 1-hour talk that breaks down the apps, risks, and red flags they need to know. Stronger awareness at home means safer learners all round.

UNFILTERED, REAL-WORLD ONLINE SAFETY EDUCATION

Presented by cyber security engineer Michael Buswell, the content is honest and eye-opening. Real risks, real examples, and real tools that lead to lasting change.

BOOSTS SCHOOL SAFETY AND REPUTATION

Show parents and your community that your school is proactive, current, and serious about learner safety. This workshop builds digital confidence and sets your school apart.

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LEARNER TALKS

Our learner talks are carefully tailored to suit each age group, ensuring that every child receives information that is both age appropriate and relevant to their developmental stage. We address the risks that learners often run into online, as well as safe preventative and response measures.

LEARNERS GRADE R-4:

- What is cyber safety?
- Online stranger danger.
- Cyber netiquette basics.
- Safe online habits.
- Popular apps overview (TikTok, YouTube, WhatsApp, discord)
- Dangers of gaming: Games like Fortnite and Roblox, are they safe?
- Gaming safely & screen time limits.

LEARNERS GRADE 5-7

- Recognizing Online predators and asking for help.
- Cyber bullying awareness and how to help.
- Sexting, sexual grooming, and where to find help.
- Privacy settings and managing online profiles.
- Respectful online communication and the impact of words.
- Understanding the dangers of social media and specific apps (TikTok, YouTube, Instagram, Whisper, Snapchat, Omegle, Yubo and more.)
- Protecting yourself from scams, malware, and account impersonation.
- Online gaming risks.
- Healthy online habits.

LEARNERS GRADE 8-12

- The profile of an online predator.
- Sexting, sexual grooming, and where to find help.
- Cyber Crimes Act basics.
- Cyber netiquette.
- Understanding the dangers of social media and specific apps (TikTok, YouTube, Instagram, Whisper, Snapchat, Omegle, Yubo and more.)
- Mental health, peer pressure and social media.
- Recognizing misinformation and online manipulation.
- Risks of oversharing and digital footprints.
- Protecting yourself from scams, malware, and account impersonation.
- Online gaming addiction
- Managing screen time.

EDUCATOR WORKSHOP: EMPOWERING TEACHERS IN THE DIGITAL AGE

Our 2-hour workshop is designed to equip educators with the knowledge and practical tools to confidently support learners' online safety and navigate their own digital presence responsibly.

TOPICS COVERED:

- What is cyber safety?
- Understanding the profile and tactics of online predators.
- Social media protocols for educators: maintaining professionalism online.
- Strategies for managing boundaries with students and parents online.
- The dangers of social media and understanding what kids are getting up too online.
- Recognizing signs of cyberbullying, digital addiction, and online distress in learners.
- What to do when a learner is in danger online.
- When and how to involve parents, police, or social workers.
- Protecting your own digital identity: passwords, privacy, and security tips.
- How to create a safe, positive, and smart cyber classroom environment.
- Using AI tools like ChatGPT: spotting misuse and encouraging ethical practices and other dangers.
- Real case studies and practical scenarios to guide your responses.

Includes: Workshop memorandums, certificates, and 5 SACE-accredited points

OUR PRESENTER:
Michael Buswell is a cyber security engineer, educator, and the founder of That Cyber Safety Guy on TikTok and Instagram. With over 20000 followers, he simplifies online risks for parents, teachers, and learners through accessible, honest, and educational content. Michael has worked with schools across South Africa to build safer digital learning environments.

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