**Keeping safe on-line / on-line safety at home - April 2020**

Just to reiterate part of what Wendy Human, UK Commissioner for Programme Assurance said in her email at the beginning of the month: 'Keeping young people and volunteers safe is the number one concern for all of us at Scouts. That’s why we all need to continue to follow the [Code of Behaviour set out in the Yellow Card](https://scouts-news.org.uk/31ME-10W6D-5Q3DK0-MXJGB-1/c.aspx?fbclid=IwAR2U3QPnKsS8sbHRE8EtnLVimVNzrwa4Jvb6iLdgxErFt7k-Y-S2kIeu8Sc) when connecting with young people online. Online as much as in the real world, a young person should never be in a one-to-one situation with an adult. For more information, including safeguarding measures relating to different online activities, take a look at our guidance about staying safe on-line. The link is:
[https://tinyurl.com/wyavqsu](https://tinyurl.com/wyavqsu?fbclid=IwAR1jJFh48DWy7k7F1cHOhHxhXwificqs2asJWtd9SEN72-YUXEt5W_IlWPQ)

**There is other information available**, mainly directed at parents and school staff, which is equally useful for The Scouts:

**South West Grid for Learning** has provided advice:
<https://swgfl.org.uk/magazine/coronavirus-staying-connected-and-keeping-safe-at-home/>

**thinkuknow/CEOP** have produced some ‘OnlineSafetyAtHome’ packs, which contain age related activities; they have also developed advice for parents and carers about making sure their child's experience of video chat is safe and fun:
<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk>