

CYBER SAFETY for KIDS

The internet and technology devices have become essential educational tools for kids at school and at home. However, there are serious safety risks involved. Parents/Guardians have a responsibility to be aware of the risks and take steps to minimize them.

Parents/Guardians

Please join us to learn tips on how to keep our kids safe online

When: Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at 6:00pm

Where: Jonas E. Salk Elementary School (Multipurpose Room)

Who: Cathie Bledsoe, ICAC Task Force Youth Educator from the Indiana State Police

What: Presenter will touch on topics that help prevent victimization in the areas of:



- Online child sexual solicitation
- Online child extortion, also known as sextortion
- Online production of child pornography
- Online bullying, also known as cyberbullying
- Online radicalization mitigation to reduce the recruitment of youth by terrorists and criminal extremists.



According to [Online Victimization: A Report on the Nation's Youth](#), a recent study conducted for [The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children \(NCMEC\)](#)

- One in four regular Internet users younger than 17 was exposed to unwanted sexually oriented pictures online *during the past year*.
- One in five youths received an online sexual solicitation or approach *during the past year*.
- One in 17 was threatened or harassed online *during the past year*.
- One in 33 received an aggressive sexual solicitation online involving offline contact or a request for offline contact *during the past year*.

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