

An Ofcom report in 2021 showed lots of parents had concerns about their children being online:

57% were worried that companies are collecting information about what their child is doing online.

54% were worried about their child seeing content which might encourage them to hurt or harm themselves.

54% were concerned about their children being bullied online.

To help mitigate these worries and concerns, EE has developed PhoneSmart in conjunction with safer internet organisations and charities to ensure children know exactly how to stay safe online.

WHAT IS PHONESMART?

PhoneSmart is an interactive course that will help your child navigate the online world while staying safe and being kind.

It consists of **five modules** that introduce children to best practice behaviours when online and different issues they may face, such as cyberbullying and fake news. In each module there is an **engaging animation** introducing them to relatable characters and an **interactive quiz** that will help equip young people with the skills and knowledge to keep them safe in the virtual world. There are also **tips on what to do** if they find themselves in a tricky situation.

WIN PRIZES

When your child has completed the programme, they can download their Licence certificate and you can enter them into a prize draw to **win an Xbox Series S**. Simply send the name of the school your child attends and their certificate showing a completed PhoneSmart Licence to:

phonesmart@nationalschoolpartnership.com



HOW DO I GET STARTED?

1. Simply go to eephonesmart.co.uk and click 'sign up for EE PhoneSmart'.
2. Set your child a username and password - it's quick and easy to set up.
3. Share the password with your child and send them their unique link to log in. They can now get started!
4. Don't forget, when they've completed all five modules you will need to enter them into the prize draw.

Get started

Add your details below, then add your child's to help them start their PhoneSmart Licence.

First name *	Surname *
Email *	Confirm Email *
Telephone	Password *

If you are an EE customer, please do not use any passwords you currently use on any of your existing EE accounts.

WHAT DOES PHONESMART COVER?



MODULE 1 THE BIG REVEAL

This module introduces the users to the main characters: Arlo, Jayden, Mei and Lily. It also introduces young people to some interesting facts and figures about smartphones, and gives them a short quiz to get them used to how the programme works.



MODULE 2: MEME-A-GEDDON

In this module, the friends go to see a film, and on the way Mei shares a meme of Jayden without his permission. The fall out allows young people to understand the consequences of posting photos online. The characters also see hate speech about one of the actors from the film, and work out the best course of action for what they've experienced.



MODULE 3: ZOMBIETOWN

In this module, the friends are obsessed with an online game, just like everyone else at school. However, Lily gets especially drawn into it, and plans to pull an all-nighter in order to get the new top score. The friends start to worry about Lily when she comes to school exhausted, and decide they need to find out how to help her.



MODULE 4: PHONEJACK'D

In this module, Arlo sets out to become an internet sensation by posting a video of a skateboarding trick. However, he lies about his age to create an account, and forgets to keep certain personal information about himself private. The friends need to work out how they can get Arlo online safely again.



MODULE 5: HOLY FAKE

In this module, Mei receives a tempting email inviting her to an exclusive gig of a singer she adores. However, her friends recognise that it's probably fake and warn her off. By completing the quiz, young people will learn the signs of fake news and deep fakes, as well as how to spot scams and what to do to keep their data as safe as possible.

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We think that learning how to stay safe online has never been more important. Luckily, with PhoneSmart it is fun and completely free to use for everyone who registers. Sign up your child now at eephonesmart.co.uk and don't forget to enter them into the prize draw to win an Xbox Series S once they've got their Licence.

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