Year 3 Summer 1– Online Safety

Big Question

How can I be Safe Online?

Key Vocabulary for the unit:

Auto complete: When software guesses what you are typing and suggests a word or phrase.

Belief: Something we accept to exist or be true, usually without proof.

Fact: Something that can be proven to be true by evidence.

Fake news: Online news or stories that are not true.

Opinion: A view or judgement about something.

Privacy settings: The controls put in place to manage what kind of information and how much of your information can be shared with or seen by other people and companies.

Social media platforms: Websites and apps where people can share information about what's

Powerful knowledge/skills for this unit:

♦ To know that not everything on the internet is true: people share facts, beliefs and opinions online.

♦ To understand that the internet can affect your moods and feelings.

♦ To know that privacy settings limit who can access your important personal information, such as your name, age, gender etc.

♦ To know what social media is and that age restrictions apply.

What I should already know from Year 2:

♦ To understand the difference between online and offline.

♦ To understand what information I should not post online..

♦ To know techniques for creating a strong password.

♦ To know that you should ask permission from others before sharing.

Useful diagrams for the unit:

If something online makes you feel uncomfortable or scared: Block it and report it | Check your device and privacy settings | Tell a trusted adult

It is important to think about what information we share online. Digital devices are communicating all the time and sharing our personal information between themselves.