



Teaching Children To Be Safe



VISITS AND SESSIONS FOR SCHOOLS

Welcome to Hazard Alley!

Hazard Alley was the first purpose-built safety education centre in the UK, designed to give young visitors a unique interactive learning experience. Having opened in 1994, we've welcomed approximately half a million children.

The centre has a life-size village built in it and includes a street, a row of houses, a shop, a small lake, rail crossing and much more. Children can learn about home, and fire safety, bullying and peer pressure, online safety as well as what to do in an emergency situation.

Years 2 to 6 can visit us for a half day tour.

For Year 5 and 6 classes, we offer a whole day visit combining a tour with taught classroom sessions around internet safety.

We're a registered charity!

Why visit us?

Visits out of school should have a clear learning purpose that enhances or complements school based learning and offers something that can't be delivered in the classroom.

Learning how to keep yourself safe is fundamentally important. Hazard Alley offers an opportunity to do this in a fun, engaging and unusual way by immersing children in familiar situations where they can explore danger and risk in safety. The interaction between tour guides with groups of children makes a highly effective PSHE visit tailored to your pupils.

Visit the link below and explore the village using virtual reality

<https://my.matterport.com/show/?m=xzxCRCEuHX&guides=0>

Our educational approach

We take a broad definition of learning – one that encompasses attitudes, values and behaviours as well as knowledge and skills.

We encourage children to understand for themselves why we do, or don't do, a particular action and teach children about consequences, as well as helping to develop strategies to get help, and how to recognise that they might be feeling unsafe.

If a child knows how to deal with a situation they might feel less afraid. They might also be able to save a family member's life or to reduce the seriousness of an accident.

A free curriculum guide is available. It maps how our learning activities can complement your school's delivery.



We can also come out to you!

In addition to bringing your class to Hazard Alley, our School Liaison Officers deliver a range of taught sessions in schools for years 2 to 6, as well as information sessions about internet safety for parents or teachers.

Sessions are taught by qualified and experienced teachers and can be booked as standalone sessions or to build on what the children have learned on a visit.



Hazard Alley Visits

Schools' Tours

On a tour of Hazard Alley young people encounter a range of hazards giving them the chance to develop vital knowledge and strategies for how to stay safe. Children are grouped, with their friendly volunteer guide, and visit a maximum of twelve scenarios in turn to learn about aspects such as fire, water, rail, road, cycle and pedestrian safety, home, personal safety, bullying, and on-line safety. They also have the opportunity to practise making a 999 call and to learn some emergency first aid.

A tour involves discussion, role play, problem solving, making choices, and understanding consequences as well as gaining knowledge, positive attitudes and behaviours around safety and citizenship.

An activity book is given to each child after their tour to enable the learning to be reinforced back at school or shared at home.



SCHOOL YEARS 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6



2 HOUR TOUR



MAXIMUM NUMBER OF CHILDREN 72

Practical information for planning visits to Hazard Alley

- ⚡ Facilities are available to eat packed lunches both indoors and outside. You can stay for lunch after a morning tour or arrive early for an afternoon one and eat first. Allow around 30 to 45 minutes to eat.
- ⚡ Allow 15 minutes either side of your tour time for arrival and departure.
- ⚡ There is free coach parking at the back of the building.
- ⚡ We have a small souvenir shop selling pocket money priced items where children can practise handling real money and use their mental arithmetic skills!



Whole Day Visits

with an **Internet Safety Focus**

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|  SCHOOL YEARS 5 & 6 |
|  2 HOUR TOUR  2 HOUR CLASS |
|  MAXIMUM NUMBER OF CHILDREN 80 |

During your day with us your children will go on a tour of Hazard Alley as well as experiencing a classroom based internet safety session.


Outline of the classroom based internet safety session

Children will learn how to keep personal information safe, recognise on-line risks including cyber bullying and learn strategies for keeping safe on the internet. The session combines presentation, discussion, and practical activities.

Following on from this, the children use the information they have gained and work in groups to develop and perform their own 'Internet Rap'. The work produced can be taken back to school and further developed or shared in an assembly.



Safety Education Sessions Taking Place at Your School

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|  75 MINUTES |
|  MAXIMUM NUMBER OF CHILDREN 30 |

For Pupils

We offer a range of lessons to complement, reinforce and extend learning about aspects of safety.

Each lesson is differentiated according to the year group and includes a mix of activities, presentations and short video clips.

They are taught by qualified and experienced teachers.

Internet Safety

Suitable for years 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6

This is one of our most popular sessions. Through a variety of age appropriate practical activities the children are taught how to recognise risks and keep safe online. For year 5 and 6 pupils we include a focus on cyber bullying.



Drug and Alcohol Safety

Suitable for years 5 and 6

This age appropriate session highlights the distinction between illegal drugs, medicines and socially acceptable drugs including tobacco, alcohol and caffeine. The children are involved in paired and small group activities including the opportunity to discuss and role play peer pressure and how to deal with it. 'County Lines' is also touched upon within the session.

Gas and Carbon Monoxide Safety

Suitable for years 5 and 6

In this session we cover what natural gas is and where it comes from, how carbon monoxide is made, what to do in a gas emergency and we use drama to explore the effects of carbon monoxide poisoning on the body.

Emergency Services

Suitable for year 2

In this session we teach the children about how to recognise the different emergency services by the uniforms they wear, the service they provide and the vehicles they drive. All pupils have the opportunity to dress in real emergency service uniforms and all learn how to make a 999 call using our special telephone system.

For Adults

Staff Internet Safety Information Sessions



80 MINUTES



MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ADULTS 50



During the school day, or a twilight as a staff meeting, or INSET session

With internet safety being so high profile, we have developed an informative and up to date presentation specifically designed to address the current issues for school staff, whether in teaching or support roles.

The following topics are covered:

- ⚡ Up to date, key research findings and statistics concerning internet safety for children
- ⚡ Risks faced by children: over-sharing, photo/live streaming, grooming, social media, gaming, cyber bullying, sexting, hate crime and radicalisation
- ⚡ Professional reputation
- ⚡ Staff Support/School Guidance
- ⚡ Curriculum Support
- ⚡ Where to go for help

Parents Internet Safety Information Session



80 MINUTES



MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ADULTS 50



During the school day, after school, or evening

With internet safety being high on everyone's agenda, we have put together an informative presentation specifically designed to address the current issues.

The session covers:

- ⚡ How children are using the internet – the positives and negatives
- ⚡ Risks associated with sharing personal information, social networking, gaming, live streaming, cyber bullying, sexting and grooming
- ⚡ Up-to-date, key research findings and statistics concerning internet safety
- ⚡ Setting parental controls on devices and implementing family agreements

Sessions are for PARENTS ONLY as the content is not suitable for children.



Contacting Us & Booking



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Tours and whole day visits to Hazard Alley

Our Marketing and Bookings Officer will be very happy to discuss your requirements with you before you book your visit to Hazard Alley.

- ⚡ We welcome pre visits – get in touch to come for a look around and a chat.
- ⚡ We recommend that you make a provisional booking with us as far ahead as possible.
- ⚡ You must confirm your booking within two weeks having made your travel arrangements in the meantime.
- ⚡ Please ask about current admission charges. You will be invoiced separately for the deposit and balance.
- ⚡ Accompanying adults are free of charge. Please follow your LEA or school guidelines for adult: child ratios when deciding how many to bring.
- ⚡ We'll need to know about any pupils with additional needs in order to make their visit as enjoyable as possible and because some of the scenarios have special effects such as strobe lighting.
- ⚡ You should bring a qualified first aider with you on the visit.

- ⚡ We are Quality badge holders through the Learning Outside the Classroom accreditation:



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Schools based sessions for pupils, teachers and parents

Please ask to speak to one of our **School Liaison Officers** prior to booking these sessions. They will talk through the session content with you as well as advise about timings, costs and their availability. You will be able to book your school's session with them directly.

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