

YHGfL Learning and eSafeguarding Services for Schools

As part of the membership of YHGfL the Learning Services Team provide:

- Unlimited online advice and guidance on all things eLearning and eSafeguarding related
- Regular news mailers and email updates
- A wealth of resources, information and updates via the YHGfL website and eNews blog

www.yhgfl.net

<http://shareit.yhgfl.net/enews/>

YHGfL Key Online Resources:

ShareIT Blogging – safe, secure, flexible blogs which allow text, images, videos, podcasts. Content hosted by YHGfL - no adverts, no potentially inappropriate links and no use of or selling-on of data.

<http://shareit.yhgfl.net/>

eViews – video/audio hosting from within the regional grid (faster upload/download and streaming of content). Use links to stream content to school websites etc. Find educational videos.

<http://eviews.yhgfl.net/>

Podcast – hosting service which also enables streaming to iTunes for schools wishing to make media available to a global audience. New Pasture Lane School, example:

<http://podcast.yhgfl.net/eastriding/newpasturelane/>

eSource – Moodle based collaborative online space for course support.

<http://esource.yhgfl.net/>

Audio Network – access to over 40,000 audio clips free to download from within the school.

<https://audionetwork.lqfl.org.uk/terms.aspx>

Making the News 2 – students create and publish news stories including video reports.

<http://mtn2.e2bn.org/mtn/>

YHGfL Loc8 – mapping service covering the Yorkshire and Humber region.

- Overview: shows Yorkshire & Humber in the context of the UK
- Aerial photography: high-resolution, high-quality photographs
- OS raster: Ordnance Survey mapping
- Land use: showing urban, industry, village, park, open, forest etc.
- Land line plus: additional detail eg water, rail, roads, terrain and vegetation
- Gazetteer: directory of information about places across the region

<http://www.yhgfl.net/Resources/Curriculum-resources/Mapping-Resources/Loc8>

Weather Stations – access to live data from YHGfL maintained weather stations all around our region.

<http://www.yhgfl.net/Resources/Curriculum-resources/Weather/YHGfL-weather-stations>

Video Conferencing and Online Teaching

We are leading the way on the use of VC and desktop communication tools within education. Each term we provide a minimum of one free VC session with accompanying resources and support. Examples are:

- Speaking and listening with Father Christmas
- Exploring drawing and manga art with Kate Holden
- Story telling with Wes McGee

Online CPD

Each week we provide an online CPD session for teachers (details and booking via the website) Examples are:

- Using Scratch to create simple animations
- Image editing for the web using free software
- Programming using free software

Schools can request free online CPD sessions on any technology based subject.

YHGfL Resources Training Sessions

Awareness raising or training on any of the YHGfL resources is free of charge.

We will attend meetings or training days to give presentations about YHGfL.

We will also deliver specific training to minimum groups of 10 delegates. Each workshop focuses on use of YHGfL resources - ShareIT, eViews, Loc8, Audio Network etc. Examples are:

- Blogging and podcasting to engage boys in reading
- Creating and publishing media in the classroom
- Using weather data within the curriculum
- Parental and community engagement using Loc8 for local mapping

eSafeguarding

<http://www.yhgfl.net/eSafeguarding>

The YHGfL website hosts a wealth of excellent resources which have been developed specifically in response to the identified needs of our schools. YHGfL Advocate Schools work closely with us to ensure the resources are fit for purpose.

eSafeguarding Consultations

We are currently offering all schools an eSafeguarding MOT. This is a consultation visit from eSafety and eSecurity experts lasting around an hour. The school will receive a 'traffic light' report which highlights good practice and offers recommendations and advice for areas of development.

eSafeguarding Update Sessions for Senior Leaders

YHGfL will deliver half day update sessions for senior leaders, these will include information and advice about latest trends such as Facebook issues; guidance on eSecurity as set out by the Information Commissioners Office and information on local and national agendas e.g. tackling radicalization and child exploitation.

Unlimited Online Advice and Guidance

We provide expert advice and guidance on any and all eSafety and/or eSecurity issues. We are members of a range of national bodies including the Internet Watch Foundation; CEOP; Anti Bullying Alliance and UKCCIS the UK Council for Child Internet Safety.

Accreditation

For those schools particularly keen to have eSafety accreditation we support the 360 Degree Safe - eSafety Mark.

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CPD Booking Service

Local authorities and Schools wanting to advertise events, workshops and CPD can use the YHGfL CPD area of the website. Delegates can book through this system if required.

<http://www.yhgfl.net/CPD/CPD-programme>

For more information on any of the above please email:

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