



Introduction:

The following data is taken from a recent questionnaire of pupils in our academy. Pupils from Y1 to Y6 were asked questions about their access, use and security as well as their knowledge of staying safe online. The data is intended for informative purposes and parental education and support. Each section represents KS1 responses and KS2 responses.

Highlights of the 2017 Hockley Heath online survey.

An average of 98% of our children surf the internet. Up to 80% of children that do, surf unsupervised.

80% of our parents demonstrate rules for the internet – but a question remains about how are these being checked if pupils are surfing unsupervised?

The risks:

18% of pupils have an Instagram account. The age for Instagram is 13. 32% have published images of themselves online. 70% of them said their parents had.

31% of KS 2 children have online social media accounts of one form or another.

96% of our children use youtube. 78% of those children use it unsupervised.

16% of our pupils have experienced online abusive behaviour. 31% have talked to strangers over online gaming. 26% have talked to strangers via other online methods.

15% of our children have been asked by someone that isn't a parent or teacher to give them their passwords. 10% of those children have done so.

KEY MESSAGE:

We don't believe in preventing access, but rather in preparing children to deal with the issues of online safety and security. Our children are exposed to an unpoliced, unsupervised online world, and need to be well prepared for the potential risks involved.

THE GOOD NEWS:

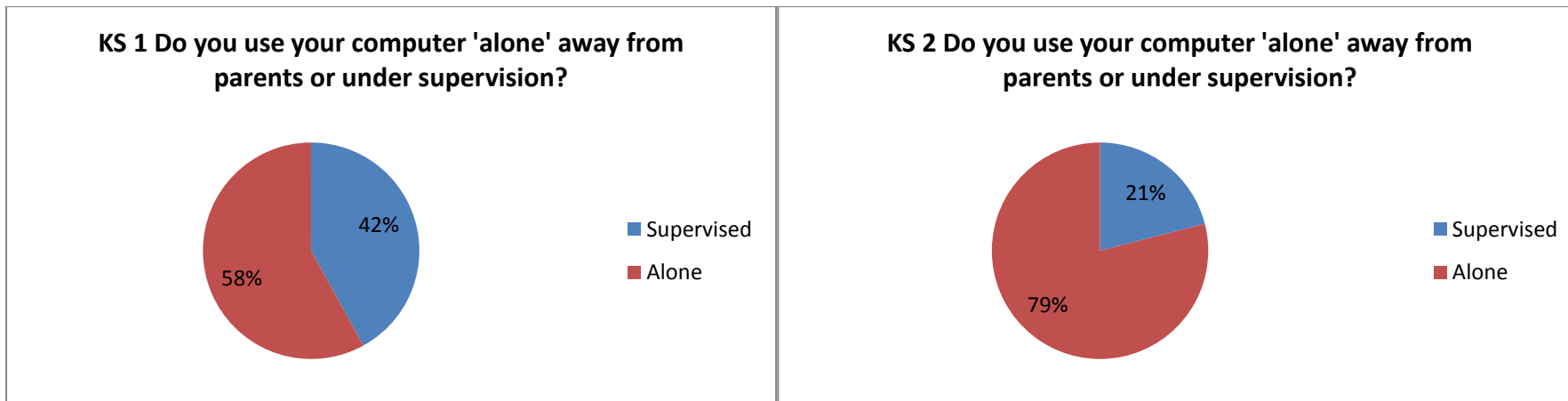
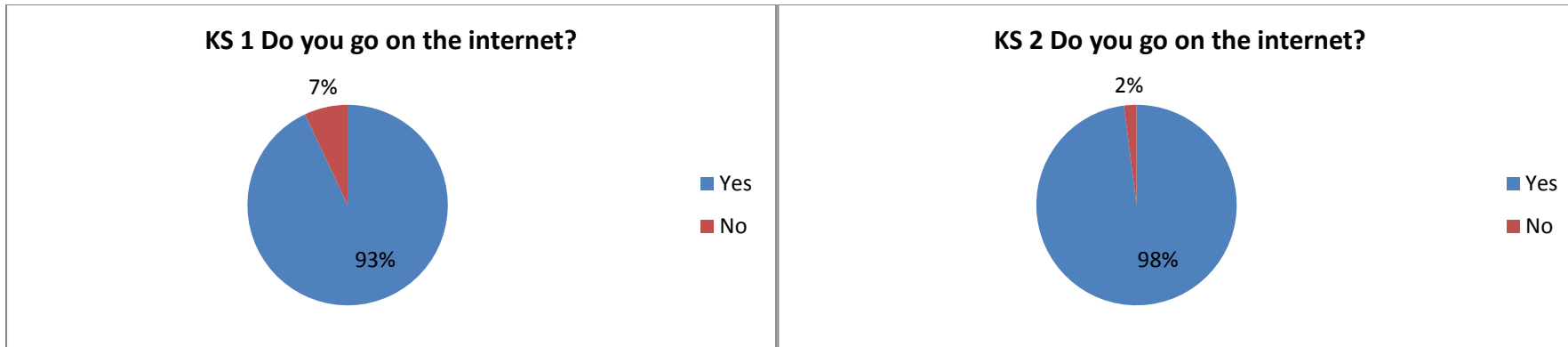
79% of parents have talked to their children about staying online.

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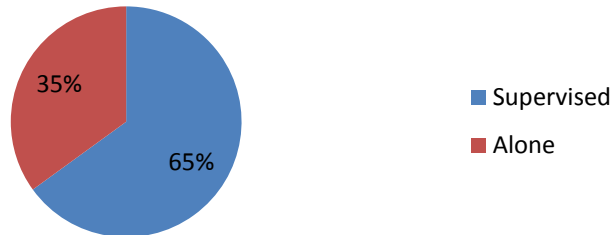
97% know what to do if they receive an image or message they aren't comfortable with.

96% know what to do if they see an image or page online that they aren't comfortable with.

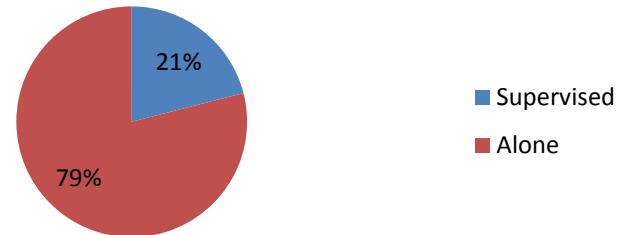
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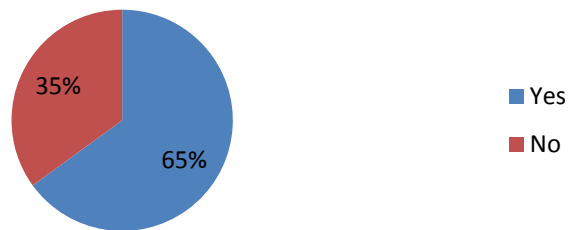
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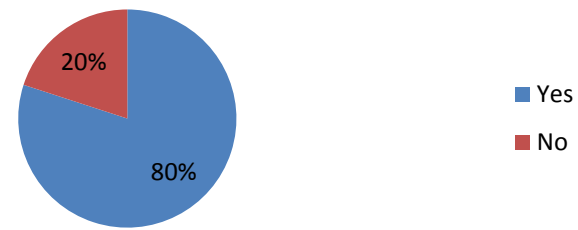
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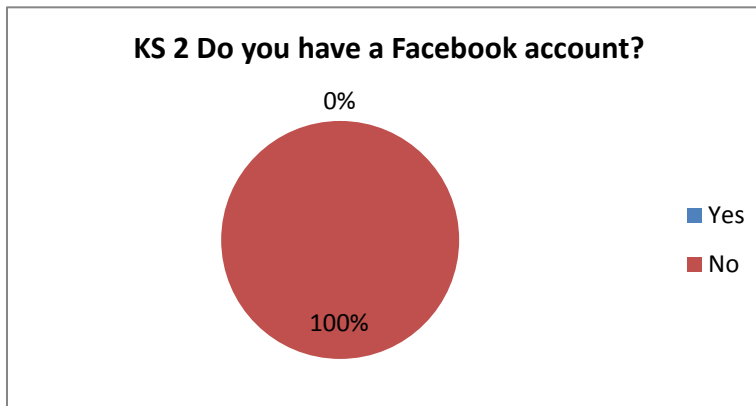
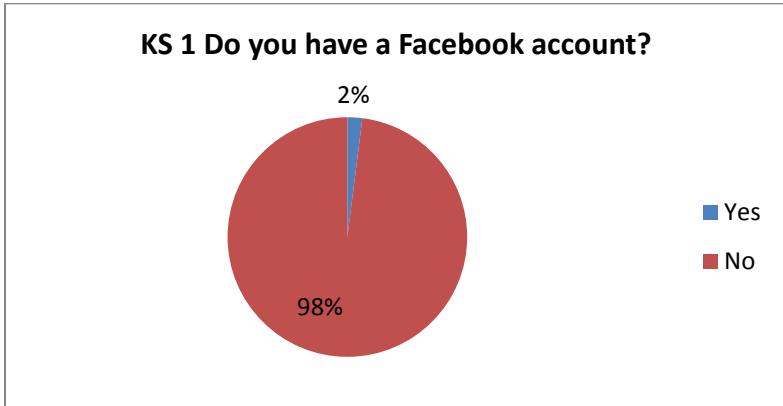


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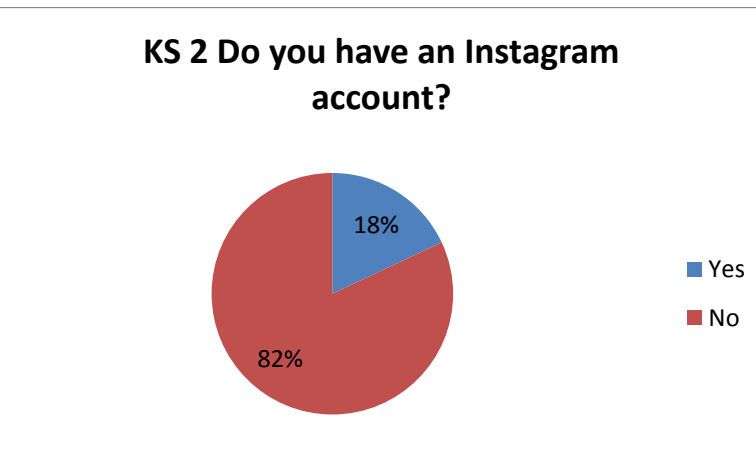
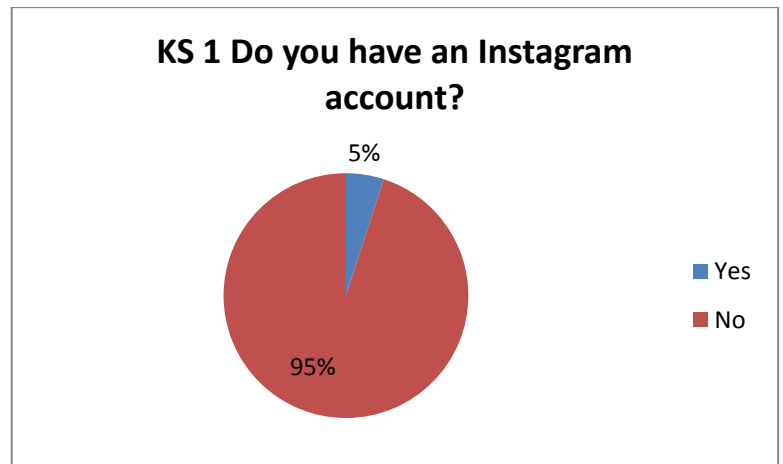




Section 2: Online 'presence.'



It is noted that the age for consent to use Facebook and similar accounts is 13 years old. This is set due to data protection laws, as companies may not store personal information about an individual under the age of 13, IT IS NOT SET DUE TO CONTENT. No children said they had facebook accounts or access in the entire KS2. This is unlikely. The minimum age to open an account on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest, Tumblr, Kik, and Snapchat is 13. For Vine, Tinder and Yik Yak it's 17. YouTube requires account holders to be 18, but a 13-year-old can sign up with a parent's permission. In exploring the question of social media further pupils were asked about other popular social media sites:

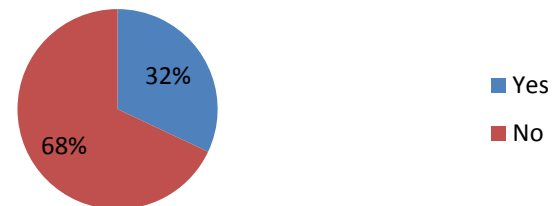




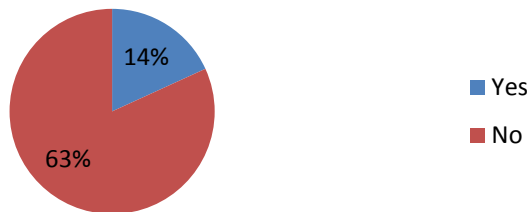
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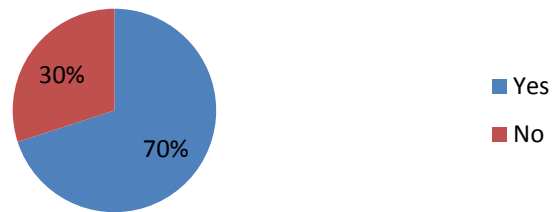
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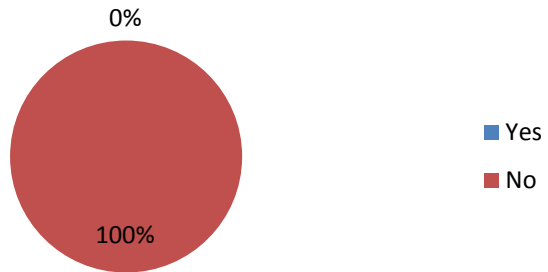


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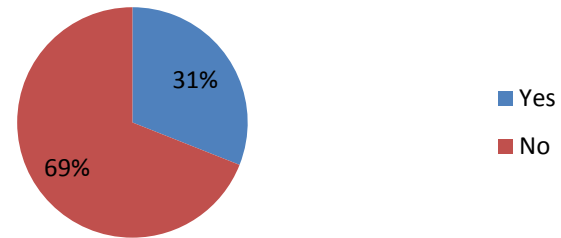




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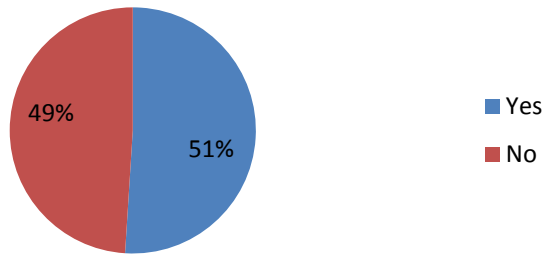
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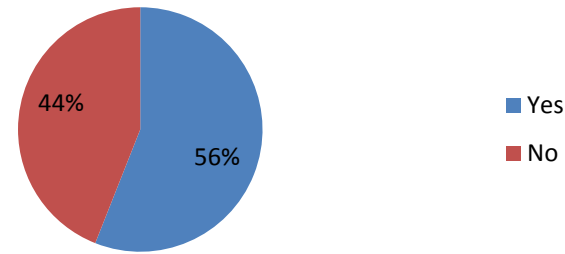


Section 3: Online 'behaviours' and activities.

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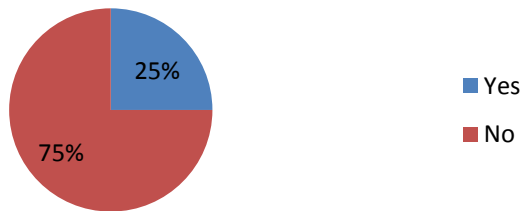


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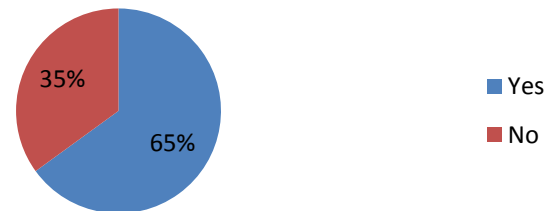


It was noted in the data that the gender split on violent computer games was marked: 67% of boys to 39% of girls (KS1) and 72% of boys to 31% of girls (KS2)

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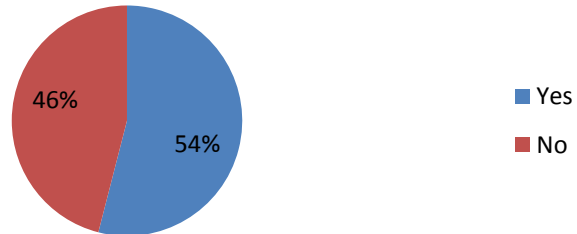


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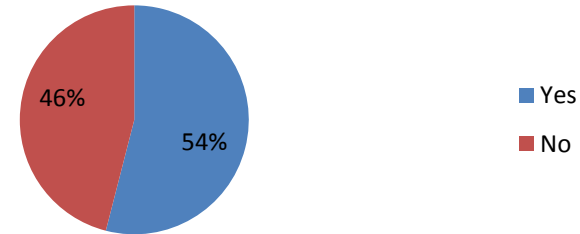




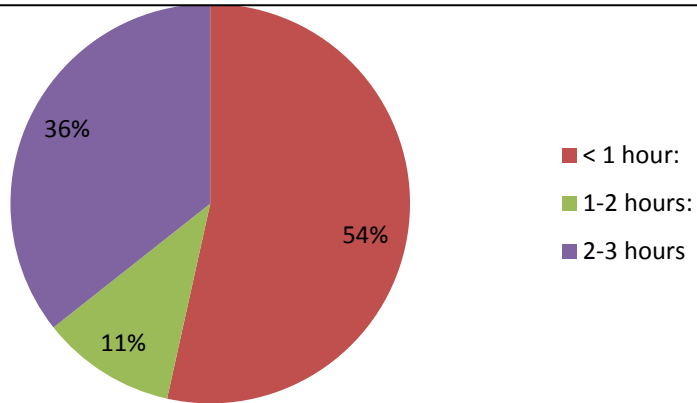
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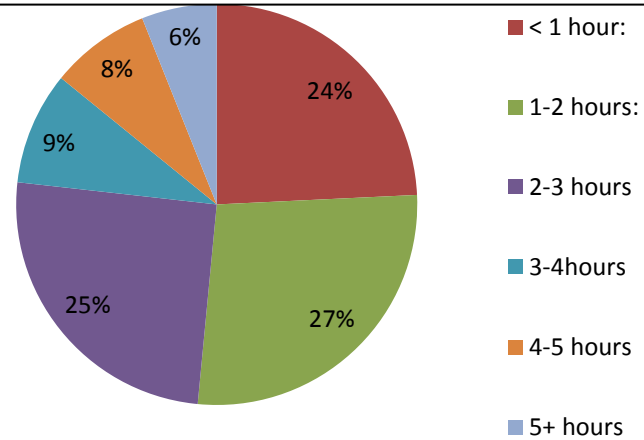
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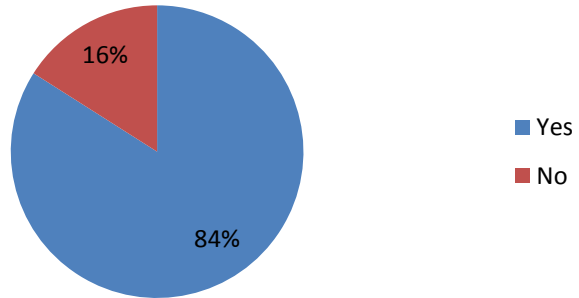


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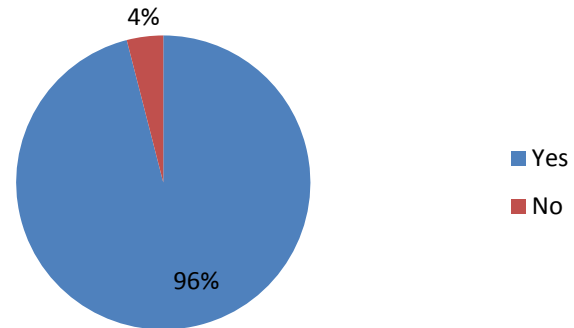




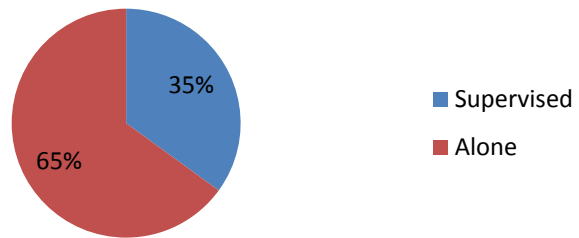
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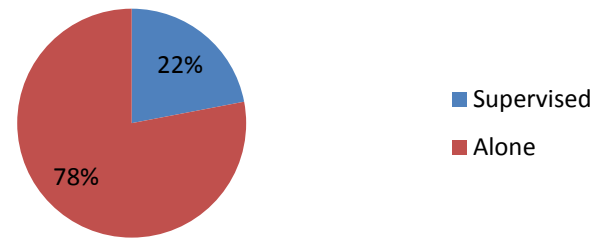
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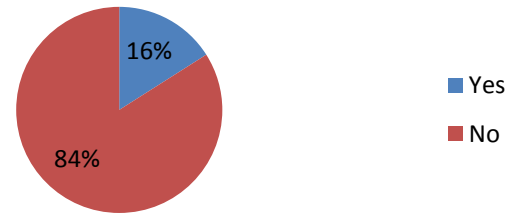
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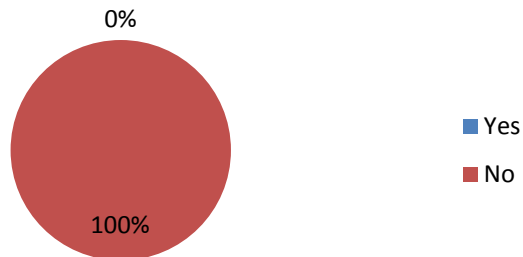
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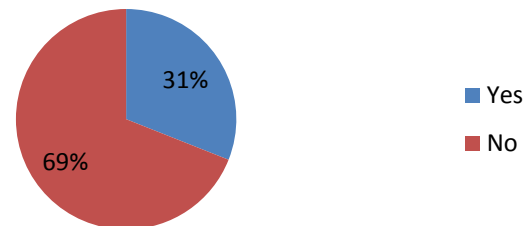
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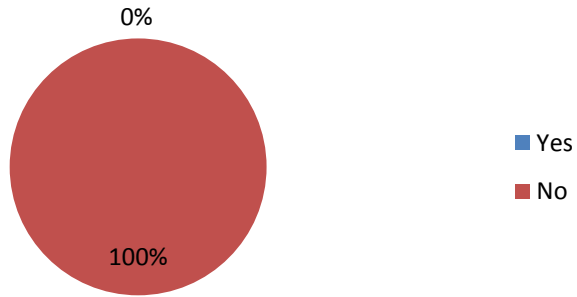


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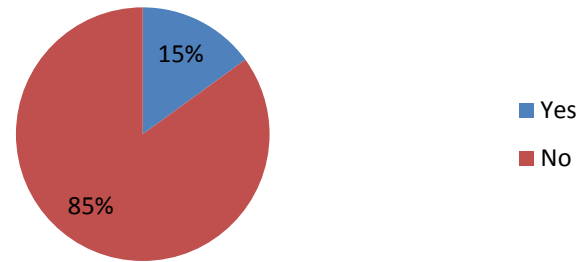




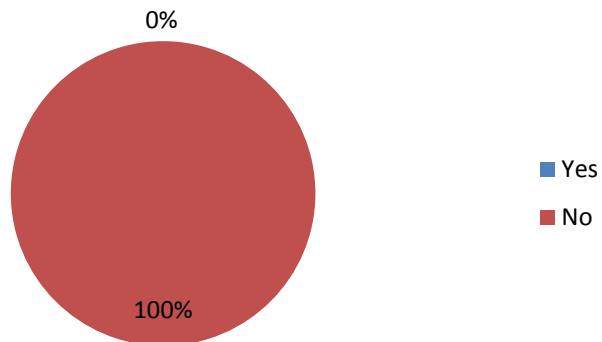
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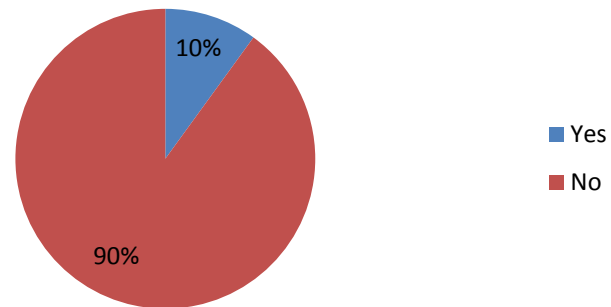
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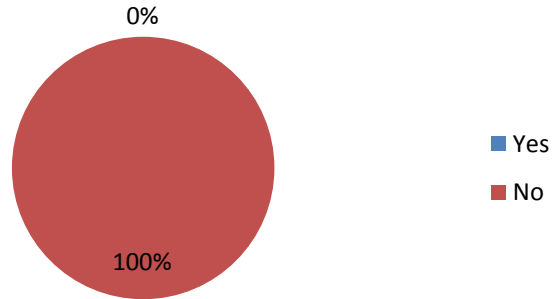


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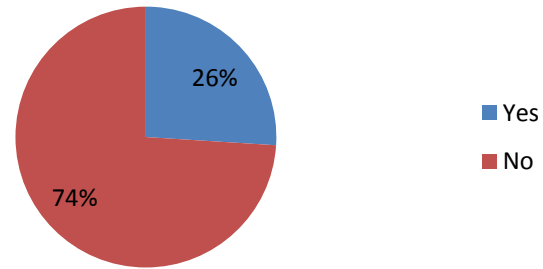




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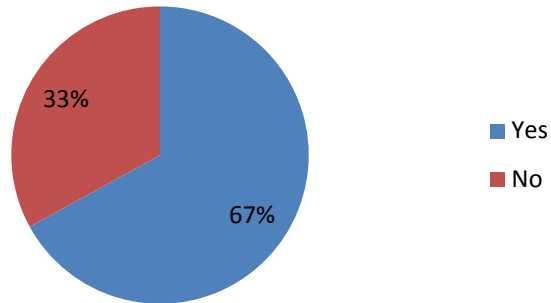
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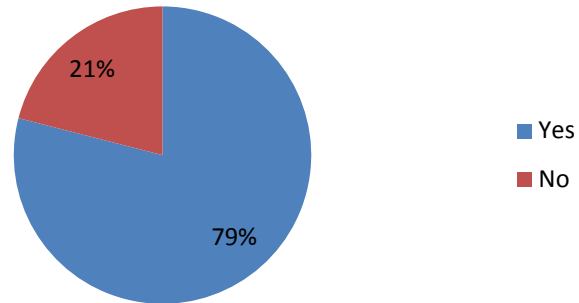


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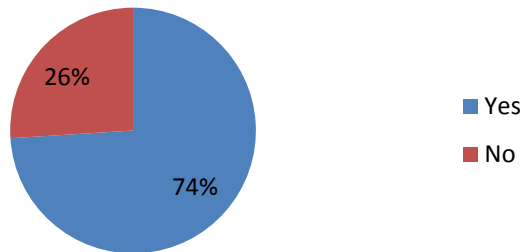
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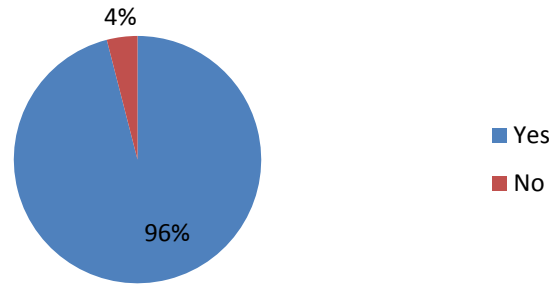
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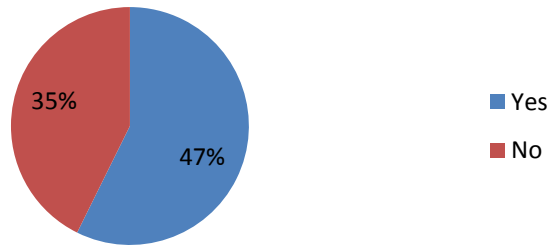


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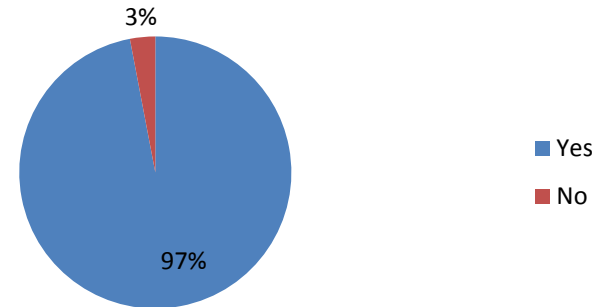




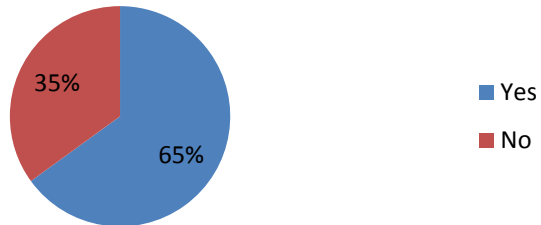
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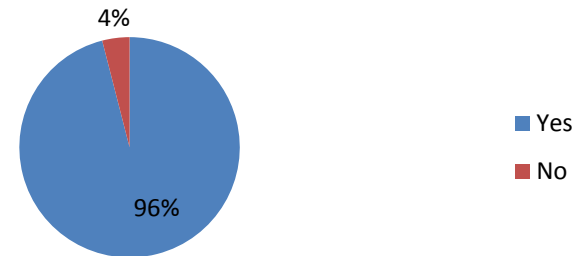
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It is noted that infant age children are less aware of dangers and threats, and this is likely because their 'online presence' is much narrower and focussed on 'safer' zones on the internet. Risk seems to grow with the age of the child, likely due to their own maturing and branching further afield, as well as due to their social, physical and emotional awareness and development. We are very pleased with the high percentage of pupils that are E-safety aware by the time they leave KS2, and also with the large majority of parents giving good online safety messages at home. This is an improved increase on our past percentages. We encourage parents to be vigilant with their children, and to look at the resources available through our website, and through the NSPCC website in order to better protect themselves and their families.