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To: All Heads of Schools (State and Non-State) and Sections

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Subject: Safer Internet Day 2019 – Together for a Better Internet

Safer Internet Day (https://www.saferinternetday.org/) is a global celebration that tackles the opportunities the Internet has to offer and the importance of making it a safer place. This year's Safer Internet Day is going to take place on **Tuesday**, **5 February 2019**. The campaign's slogan is "**Together for a better internet**",

As educators we are aware of the ubiquity of computers, mobile devices and game consoles and their availability to our students from a very young age. Having a safe internet is therefore of utmost importance. The Directorate for Digital Literacy and Transversal Skills (DLTS) encourages the use of internet in a meaningful way and encourages all educators, parents and students to play their part in creating a better internet for everyone.

Head of Schools are kindly encouraged to organize activities related to internet safety. Further to this, it would be appreciated if you can help us record the activities organized in Malta in http://bit.do/saferinternetday2019

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