

CSSRC Resource Review

Review Date: 4/22/13

Name/Title: Safe Online Surfing (SOS)

Author: FBI

Media Type: (Book, CD, Flyer, Poster, Website, etc) website

Publisher/Supplier: FBI

Publication Date: launched October 2012

Re-order Source: <https://sos.fbi.gov/>

Language: English

Usefulness Rating:

1. Excellent XX
2. Good
3. Fair
4. Poor
5. Rated by: (CSSRC staff member) Alice Huyler
6. Comments: This is a website created by the FBI where students can learn about cyber safety through games, videos, and other interactive features. It teaches children in third through eighth grades how to recognize and respond to online dangers such as cyberbullying, online predators, and identity thieves. Activities are fun, challenging, informative, and colorful. The modules are available for anyone to review, however teachers can sign up to have their class compete in a nationwide contest that is reset each month. Schools with the highest test scores will receive a trophy and possibly a visit from a local FBI agent. There is no identifying information for students stored on the site. Teachers register with the site and request login information for the number of students in their class, which is provided as anonymous login codes.

Category: (Prevention, Preparedness, Response, Recovery, Promotional Item) Prevention

Topic: (Bullying, Substance Abuse, Threat Assessment, etc) Internet Safety, Cyberbullying

Audience: (Administrators, Counselors/Psychologists/Social Workers, Emergency Responders, Health Professionals/Nurses, Law Enforcement/SROs/Security, Parents, Teachers, Other School Personnel) Teachers and Students

Intended Age Group: (pre-K, elementary, middle, high, higher education) 3rd-8th Grades

Cost: 0

Additional Comments:

