

# Online Safety

## Squid Game

Squid Game is a Netflix show which has been rated 15 and carries additional warnings regarding sexual and violent content as well as suicide

The show mimics children's games however it ends with participants being violently killed if they lose.

There have been some concerning reports recently about children and young people 'playing' Squid Game whilst at school.

Parents are advised to be vigilant about what children and young people are accessing and make sure the content is appropriate. Parental controls are available on apps/websites and can help keep children safe.



### **BBFC Film Ratings**

- The BBFC is independent, nongovernmental and not-for-profit
- Squid Game is rated 15 and should not be viewed by anyone below this age



### Further information

www.bbfc.co.uk
More information about BBFC Film Ratings

Useful information on protecting children from harmful content

- <u>www.internetmatters.org/issues/inappropriate-content/learn-about-it/</u>
- <u>https://safeguardinghub.co.uk/protecting-children-from-</u> harmful-content-on-television-guide-and-resources/
- <u>www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/parental-</u> <u>controls/</u>

## www.saferrotherham.org.uk