

Workshop on Women's Online Safety Report

Delhi Public School, Gurgaon in collaboration with Internet and Mobile Association of India (IAMAI) and Facebook organised a workshop on 'Women's Online Safety' on 20th March 2019, in the school auditorium. The workshop was conducted by Mr Rakshit Tandon, Director Executive, Council of Information Security (CIS) and was attended by parents and the teaching fraternity.

The main emphasis of the workshop was to educate women on safe surfing due to the rising menace of cyber-crimes against them. Mr. Tandon spoke about cyber-crimes like hacking, banking frauds, phishing, identity thefts, location tracking, morphing, and cyber stalking by citing real life incidences. Mr. Tandon discussed about authentication, types of strong passwords and profile picture guard, as essential part of safety and security steps to be taken while making online transactions and posting personal information on the internet.

He advised parents and teachers to ensure limited access of smart phones to children and to discourage them from playing online games which adversely affect their mental and physical health. The workshop culminated with a question answer session wherein Mr. Tandon took up the queries put forth by the audience. Overall the workshop was engaging and proved to be a great learning experience for all.

