

WHILE READING / LISTENING

GAP FILL: Put the words into the gaps in the text.

The increasing _____ of social networking sites and mobile phone
texting have presented society with problems in how to _____
children online. More and more youngsters are becoming victims of
Internet predators and _____. Parents are finding it more difficult
to _____ their kids are safe online. Gone are the days when Mum
and Dad could keep an eye on their child's surfing with _____.
controls on the family computer. Today's new mobile and networked
world _____ new and dangerous threats to online kids. Two
recent initiatives _____ to teach children about cyber-safety.
Internet safety will soon be taught in UAE schools, while in Indiana, USA,
parents will _____ an Internet Social Networking conference.

The UAE has _____ a nationwide programme aimed at educating
students on how to use the Internet safely and _____ suspicious
websites. Spokesman Jay Bavisi said: "Advances in _____
communication media, including the likes of Twitter, Facebook, and other
instant messaging services, _____ the very fabric of our modern
society. Parents, siblings, teachers and children _____ will need
to understand the dangers the connected world presents." The Indiana
conference will _____ topics like cyber-bullying, sexting and
online child exploitation. Local attorney Steven DeBrota said: "The
number one way to keep a kid safe is for them to be _____. If
they do not _____ automatically what people tell them, they will
be safer."

poses
ensure
protect
aim
popularity
attend
bullies
parental

instant
skeptical
avoid
alike
believe
launched
drive
explore

Write about **Internet safety**.