



DIGITAL SAFETY TOOLKIT FOR STUDENTS

Be Smart, Be Safe Online



Understanding Digital Safety



Avoid cyber threats

Be a responsible digital citizen

Digital safety means staying smart and protected while using the internet. It's about keeping your personal information private, avoiding dangerous or harmful content, and making good choices when you're online, like being kind, careful, and responsible in everything you do.

Think Before You Share



Once you share something online, whether it's a photo, comment, or personal detail, it can remain there forever, even if you delete it later. Screenshots, downloads, or reposts can make your content spread beyond your control. That's why it's important to think carefully before you post. Ask yourself: Would I be comfortable if my teachers, parents, or future employers saw this? Always share wisely, because the internet never truly forgets.

Never share your personal details online, like your full name, home address, school name, or passwords. These can be used by strangers or hackers to harm you or steal your information. Always create strong, unique passwords that are hard to guess, and never click on suspicious links or messages, even if they look real. Staying cautious helps keep your accounts and personal information safe.







Cyberbullying can happen anywhere online, through text messages, social media, chats, or even in games. If you experience it or see it happening to someone else, don't respond or fight back. Instead, take screenshots for evidence and report it to a trusted adult, teacher, or the platform where it occurred.

Speaking up helps stop the bullying and keeps the internet a safer, kinder place for everyone.

Avoiding Online Scams

- Don't click on random pop-ups
- Be skeptical of giveaways
- Ask a trusted adult before responding



Scammers often attempt to deceive people by pretending to offer prizes, jobs, or urgent assistance. They might send messages or links that look real but are actually fake. Be careful with messages from strangers or offers that sound too good to be true; they usually are not true! Please don't share your personal information or click on unknown links.

When in doubt, check with a trusted adult before responding.

Safe Social Media Use



Limit how much time you spend on social media so you can stay balanced and focused on reallife activities that help you grow. Be careful about who you connect or chat with; not everyone online is who they say they are. Some people may use fake profiles to trick others. Always keep your circle small and safe, and only interact with

people you truly know and trust.



Respect Others Online

Always treat others with kindness and respect online, just as you would in real life. Remember that your words and actions can affect others deeply. Respect different opinions, even if you don't agree with them, and never post or share anything hurtful, rude, or offensive. Being positive and respectful helps

Being positive and respectful helps create a safe, friendly, and supportive online community for everyone.



What to Do in Unsafe Situations

If you ever feel unsafe online, talk to a teacher, parent, or school counselor immediately.

You're not alone, and help is always available.



Stay Safe, Stay Smart

Thank You



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