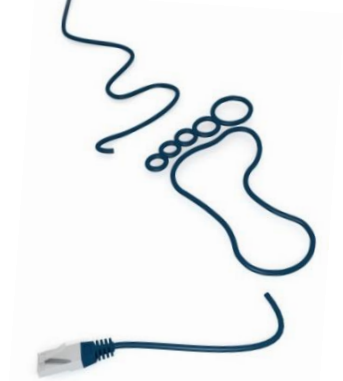


Tweens, Teens & Social Media HELP SHEET



BE PROACTIVE: Practice Good Digital Parenting

Connect Safely <http://www.connectsafely.org>

Family Online Safety Institute: <http://tinyurl.com/FamilyOnlineSafety>

Common Sense Media Classroom Curriculum <http://tinyurl.com/SoMeTeachers>

Online Safety Contract Templates:

- State of MI Cyber Safety Initiative <http://tinyurl.com/7t9gp35> (customizable contracts)
- Internet Safety House Rules <http://tinyurl.com/qygs7c> (contract for young children)
- Family Contract for Online Safety <http://www.safekids.com/contract.htm> (kids, teens, parents)

BE AWARE: Monitor Social Media Culture

Texting/Sexting Terms <http://tinyurl.com/SextingTerms>

Urban Dictionary <http://www.urbandictionary.com>

15 Sites and Apps Kids Are Heading to BEYOND Facebook <http://tinyurl.com/ggzdgju>

9 Social Media Red Flags Parents Should Know About <http://tinyurl.com/SocRedFlags>

Twitter Safety & Security Review <http://tinyurl.com/TwitterSafetySecurity>

Online Opt-Out (“Doxxing Defense”) <http://tinyurl.com/OnlineOptOut>

BE PREPARED: If You Need to Take Action...

- 1) SCREENSHOT the abuse (if bullying; delete if porn)
- 2) NOTIFY your school district’s police liaison officer, or your local police department
- 3) REPORT the issue to the social media platforms involved
- 4) SUPPORT your child with open communication/professional assistance

TWITTER

HOW TO BLOCK a Tweeter via COMPUTER, iOS & Android Mobile <http://tinyurl.com/BlockTwitterUser>

HOW TO REPORT Online Abuse to Twitter <http://tinyurl.com/ReportTwitterAbusers>

HOW TO REPORT Twitter Violations <http://tinyurl.com/ReportTwitterViolations>

FACEBOOK

HOW TO BLOCK a Facebooker via COMPUTER

- On FACEBOOK ‘Personal’ ACCOUNTS <http://tinyurl.com/BlockFacebookFriend>
- On FACEBOOK ‘Business’ PAGES <http://tinyurl.com/FacebookPageAdmin>

HOW TO REPORT Online Abuse to Facebook <http://tinyurl.com/ReportFacebookAbuse>

HOW TO REPORT Facebook Violations <http://tinyurl.com/ReportFacebookViolations>

INSTAGRAM

HOW TO REPORT/BLOCK ABUSE on Instagram <http://tinyurl.com/ReportInstagramAbuse>

[NOTE: To improve response time from social networks, always report that a **MINOR** is involved in the issue.]

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