

Internet Safety Tip Sheet



Minimum Age Is 13

The minimum age is 13 to sign up for Snapchat, Twitter, Instagram and Facebook



Content posted on Snapchat can be screenshot or recorded to be shared

Location of a user is available with Snap Maps - must enable Ghost Mode to hide it

Family Sharing is available to see who your child is friends with, see who they messaged and report abuse

Content

In the Terms of Service you agree to grant the app license to use any and all content that is uploaded, posted, sent, received, and stored within that App.



Be aware of dangerous TikTok Challenges

Family Pairing, Screen Time Management, and Restricted Mode is available

Restrictions on content viewed available

Time limits available



Make usernames vague - avoid using first and last name

Be aware of followers - does your child know who's following them?

Do not tag location or check-in

Make sure there are no identifiable location markers in the background



Know who your kids are playing with

Do not reveal addresses or other information that can indicate location

No credit card information

Be aware of "Swatting" - an online gaming fad that calls in a fake emergency requiring a SWAT team to respond.



Scan the QR Code to find quick "How To" videos on enabling some of the tips mentioned above.