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# *Safety in the age of social media— am I the only one losing it??*

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# LEARNING OBJECTIVES

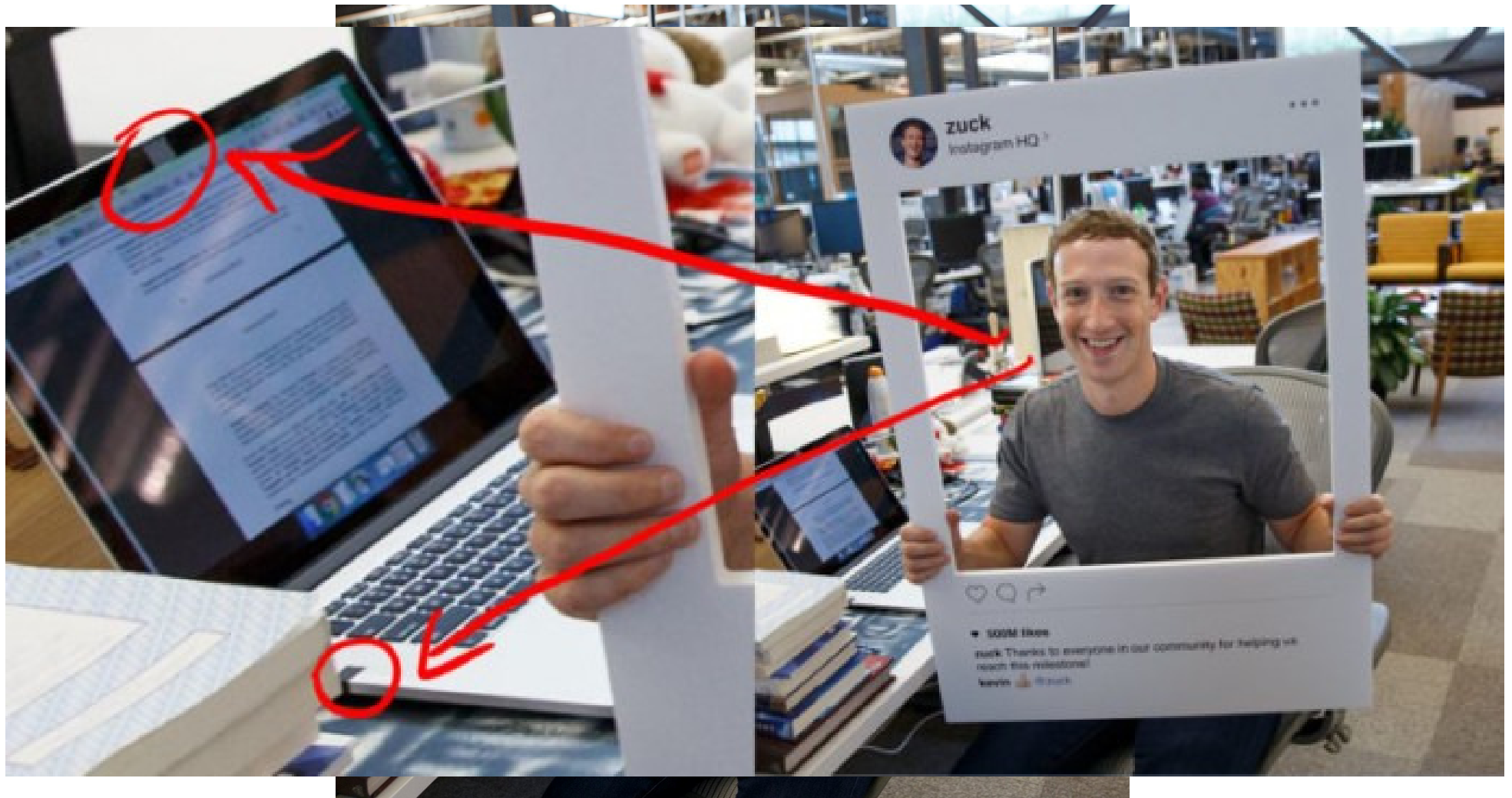
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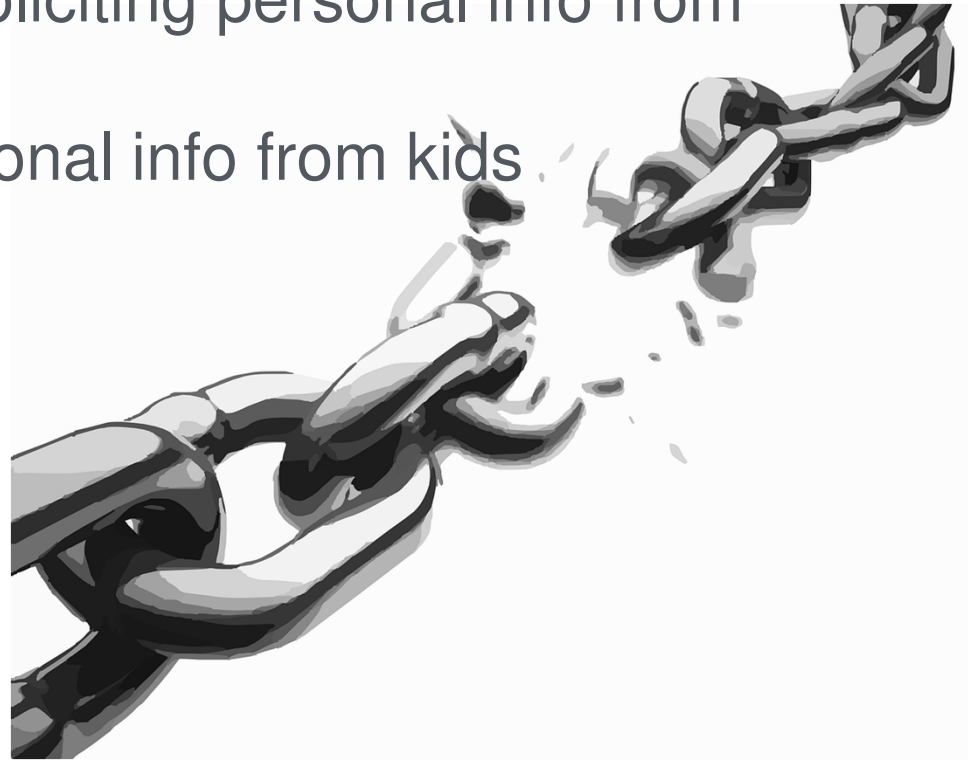


# SOLUTIONS?

# Legal Protections

Children's Online Privacy Protection Act "COPPA" requires that websites:

- Disclose privacy policies
- Get parental consent before soliciting personal info from kids
- Not retrieve unnecessary personal info from kids





# Basic Tips

- Educate yourself—have some fun!
- Check phones for apps, privacy settings, browser history
- Set guidelines and rules (contract?)
- Use common areas
- Talk about dangers and consequences



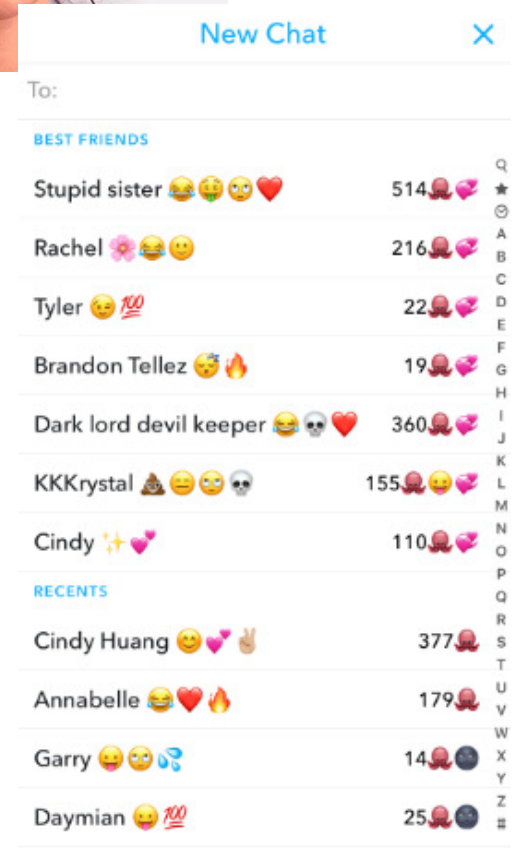
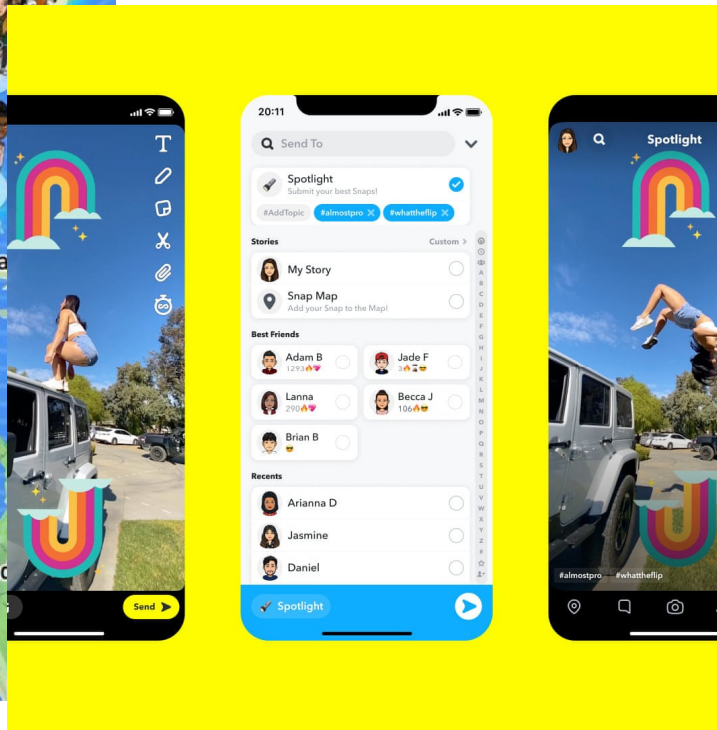
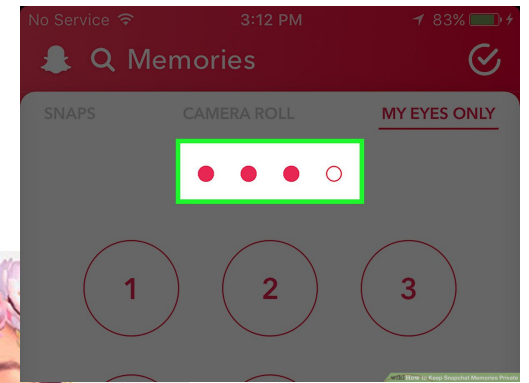
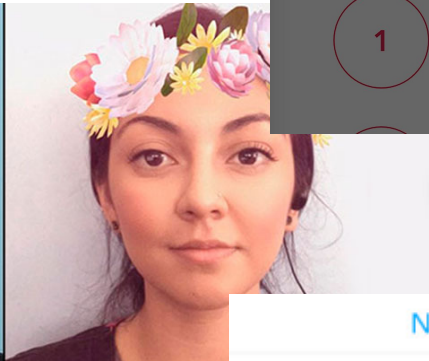
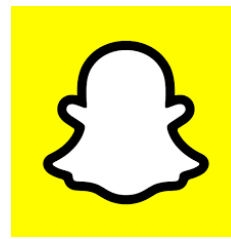
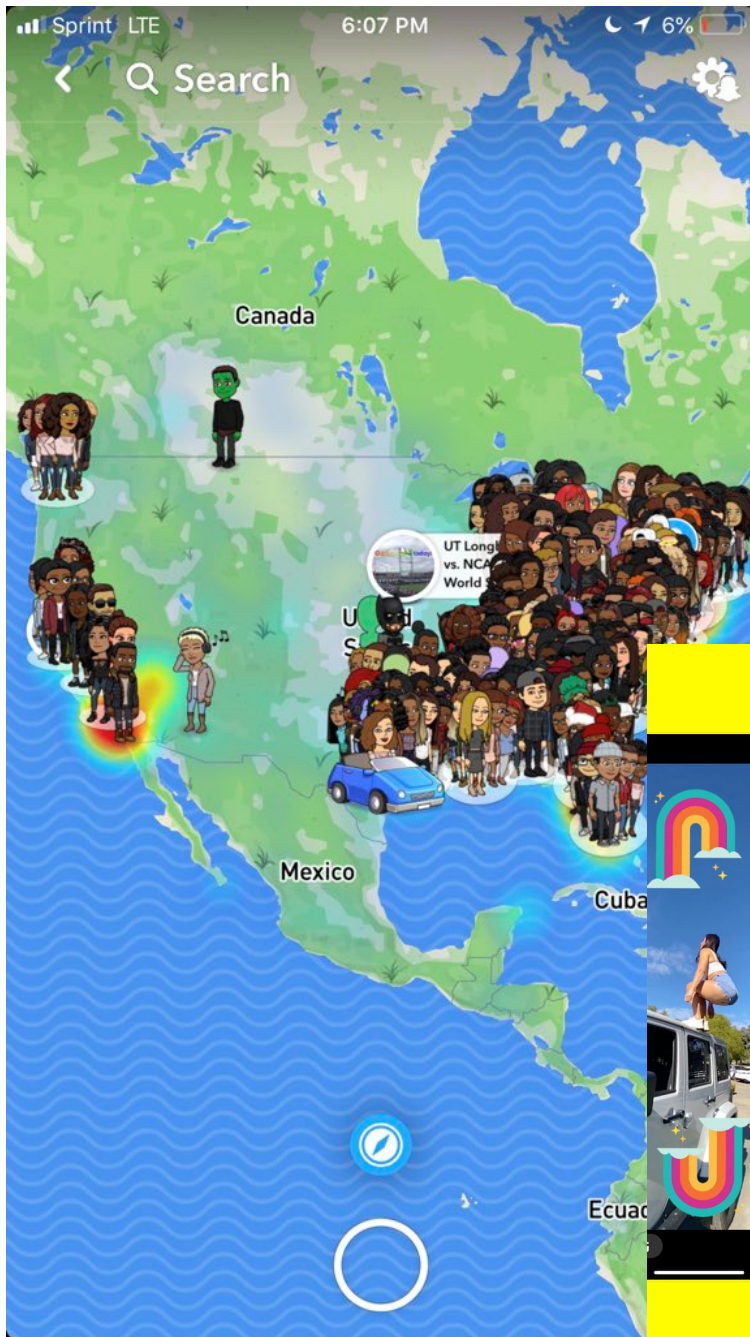
# Rules

1. Close the door!
2. Develop an exit strategy
3. Be paranoid
4. Stay in safe places
5. Tell!



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9:23

Instagram



Your Story

maddyg\_...

catherine...

sra

Karina

Hey Jalise

Hey

How's school, and how's Danik and Conner

School is fine there's already drama😏

Danik and Conner are good too

Did Danik find someone else to pick on now that I'm gone

What do you mean, Danik is just being him he's still crazy and annoying

when did he pick on you?

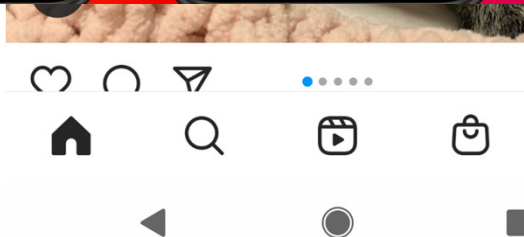
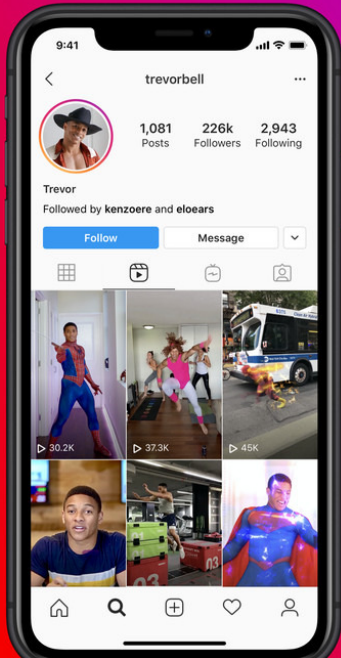
when did he pick on you?

My bad I put that twice

Any day you weren't at school he would bully me😂😂

I think it's cause I liked him and he didn't like me back

Message...





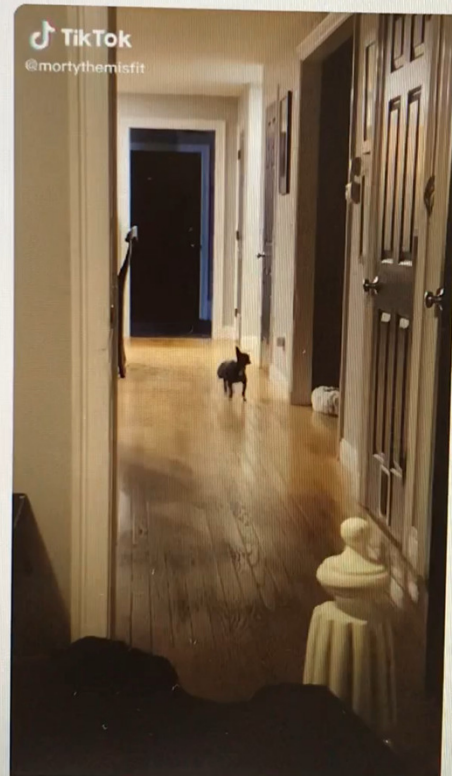
Search accounts



**mortythemisfit** Mr. Mortimer · 2-19

Dinner Patrol 🤪 #mortythemisfit #hustler #kneestoch  
#fancyfeet #shuffle #dogsoftiktok #rescueloverrepeat  
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🎵 Jump in the Line (Shake, Senora) - Harry Belafonte



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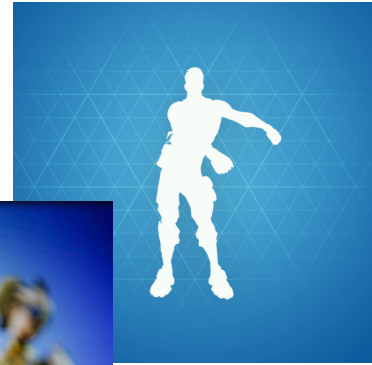
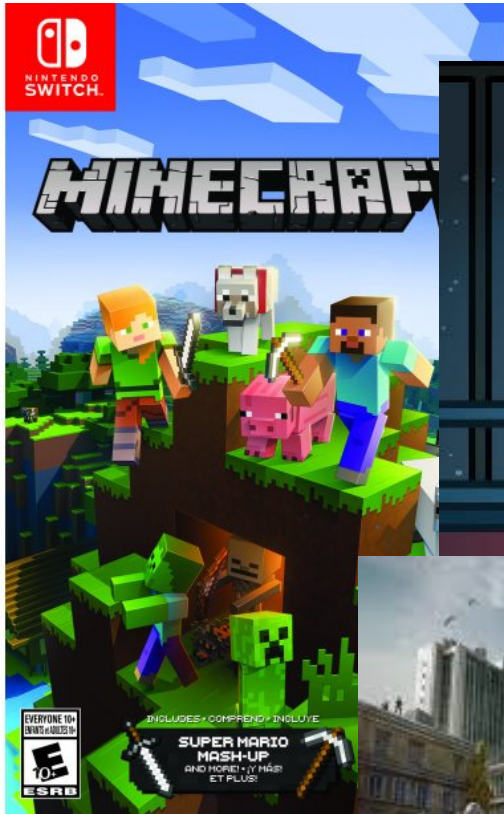


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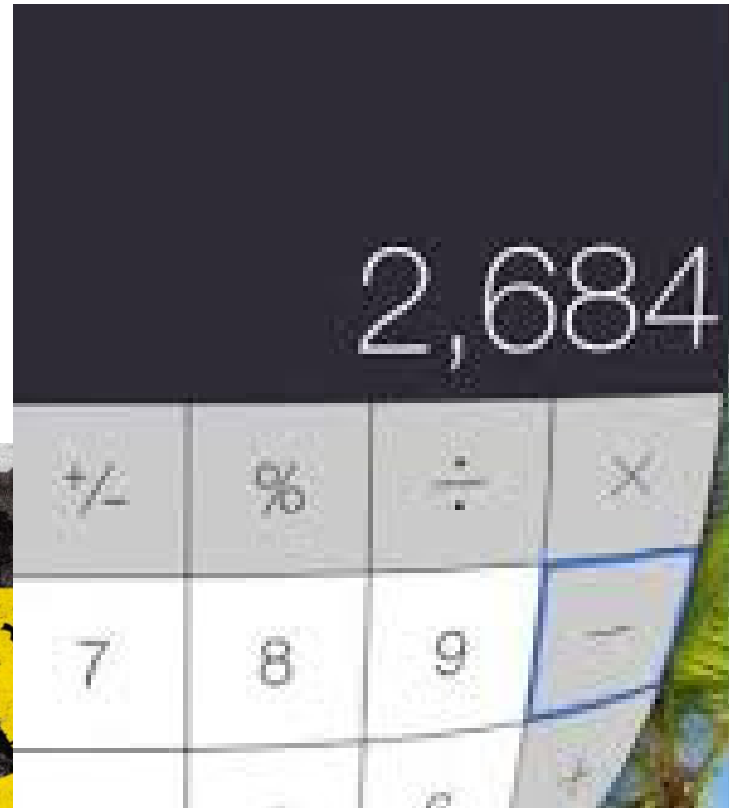
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WhatsApp







# Juvenile Sexting



- Law changed in 2018
- From felony to tiered charging
- Applies where juveniles (10 to 17) are

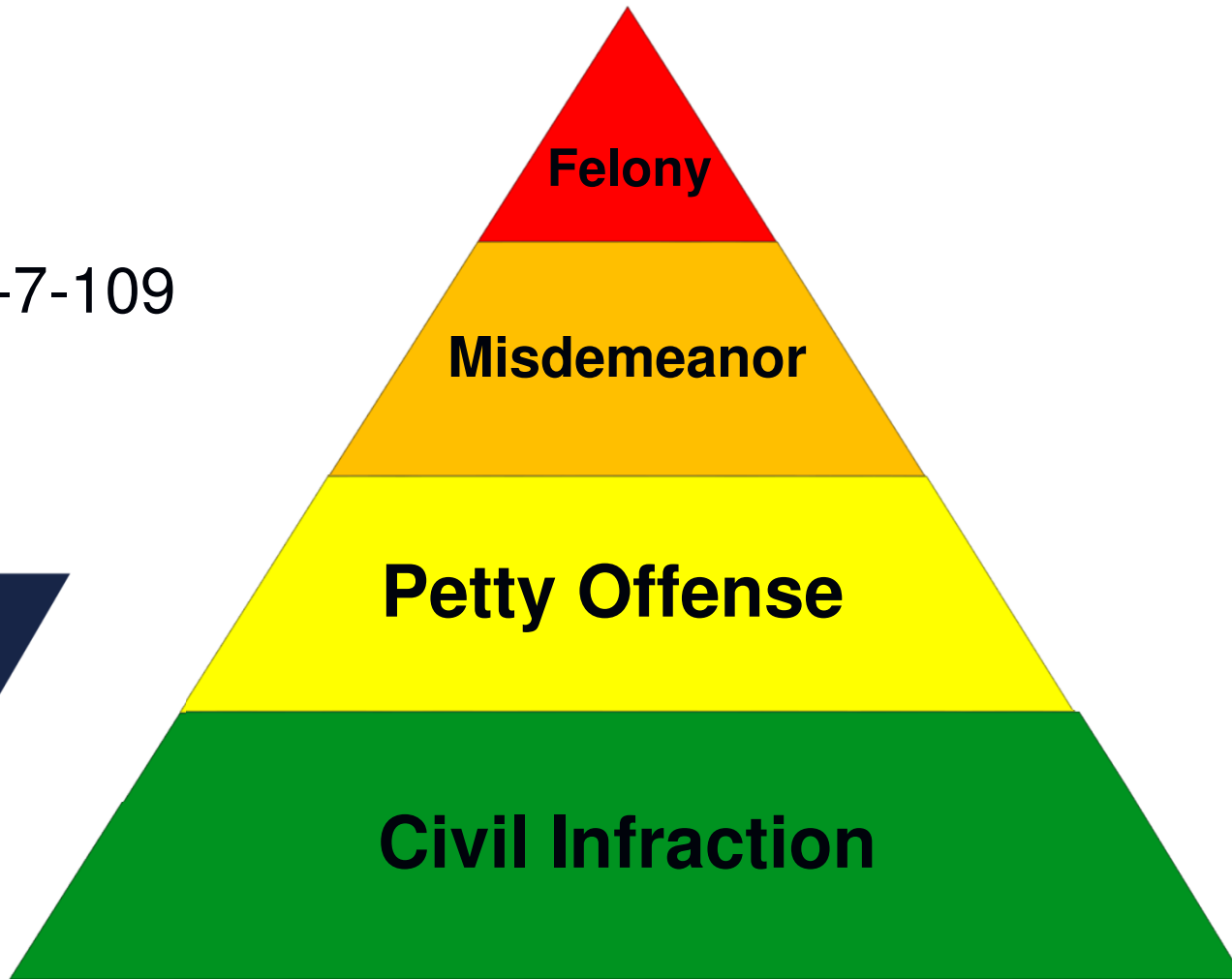
at least 14 years OR

within four years of age





CRS § 18-7-109



# Affirmative Defenses

## Report



Delete

**Petty Offense**

**Misdemeanor**



**Civil  
Infraction**





# Solutions?

# Healthy Relationships

- Empathy
- Consent





## Consent Is

- Sober
- Enthusiastic
- Right to Control Self
- Freely Given
- Repeated



## Consent Is Not

- Gender
- Dinner/Date
- Sexy Clothes
- Silence
- Assumed
- Forced



# Bullying

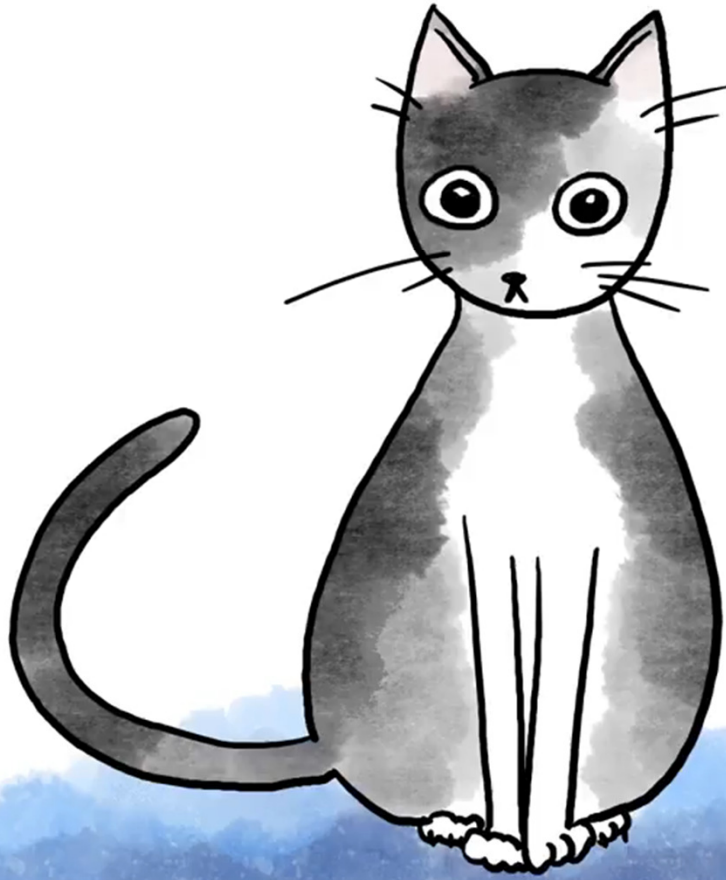
## Bullying can occur

- ✓ At school (More students report being affected by bullying at school than bullying online.)
- ✓ At home
- ✓ Online

So the issue is *bullying*, not being online




<b>Normal Conflict</b>	<b>Bullying</b>
Equal power or friends	Imbalance of power; not friends
Happens occasionally	Repeated negative actions
Accidental	Purposeful
Generally not serious	Serious with threat of physical or emotional harm
Equal emotional reaction	Strong emotional reaction from victim and little or no emotional reaction from bully
Not seeking power or attention	Seeking power, control, or material things
Generally not trying to get something	May attempt to gain material things or power
Remorse - will take responsibility	No remorse - may blame victim



OK.  
SO YOU DID  
A THING...



A close-up, low-angle shot of a person's hand holding a smartphone. The person is lying down, and the phone is held horizontally. The background is dark and out of focus. The text "COVID-19 BRINGS MORE DANGER THAN JUST SICKNESS." is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters.

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- **Commonsense.org**
- **Project Zero**
- **Netsmartz.org “Into the Cloud”**
- **Connectsafely.org**
- **SmartSocial.com**
- **Staysafeonline.org**
- **Cyberbullying.org**
- **Webwisekids.org**
- **FBI Safe Online Surfing**
- **Loveisrepect.org; 866.331.9474**
- **Google Be Internet Awesome “Interland”**
- **Everybody Knows Sarah, Sextortion  
PSA, Okay, So You Did a Thing,  
Love146.org**







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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME!**

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