



March 13, 2025

Dear Foxview Families,

Next week, we will be hosting our Annual "Internet Safety & Cyberbullying Presentation".

Who : Foxview Intermediate School Community

When: Monday, March 17 or Wednesday, March 19

\*Schedule depends on daily rotations as presentations will be held during classroom workshop time.

Why: Ensure that Foxview students understand the importance of cyber safety. We will be covering topics like: not sharing information, tracking and location settings, technology addiction, cyberbullying, and the importance of technology breaks.

If you have any questions please contact:

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## Internet Resources:

### [WI DOJ - Internet Crimes against Children](#)

Offers many resources to assist with teaching internet safety to kids. Includes the PKO (Protect Kids Online) podcast which has many episodes that discuss all things kids do on the internet.

### [Common Sense Media](#)

This site offers reviews of all things media. Curious about an app? Search it here. It will tell you what things to watch out for as well as what other parents and kids say about the app. Can also review movies, video games and more. \*\*This site used to be free but now requires a subscription (\$30/year or \$3/month). You do get 3 free reviews.

### [National Center for Missing and Exploited Children](#)

A great resource for information on sexting, sextortion, and sex trafficking. Also offers educational resources on internet safety for kids under the Education tab.

### [Stopbullying.gov](#)

This site talks about bullying and cyberbullying. Offers many resources from how to deal with haters to what apps kids are using and the dangers associated with them.

### [Entertainment Software Rating Board \(ESRB\)](#)

This is the board that reviews and gives ratings to all video games. It's similar to ratings given to movies. You can find a rating for the game as well as a description for why that rating was given. Also content descriptors to support the rating such as, comic mischief, cartoon violence to blood and gore, drugs, language, and sex. A great resource when trying to decide if a game is ok to play.

There are many other resources online. When in doubt, *Google it!*