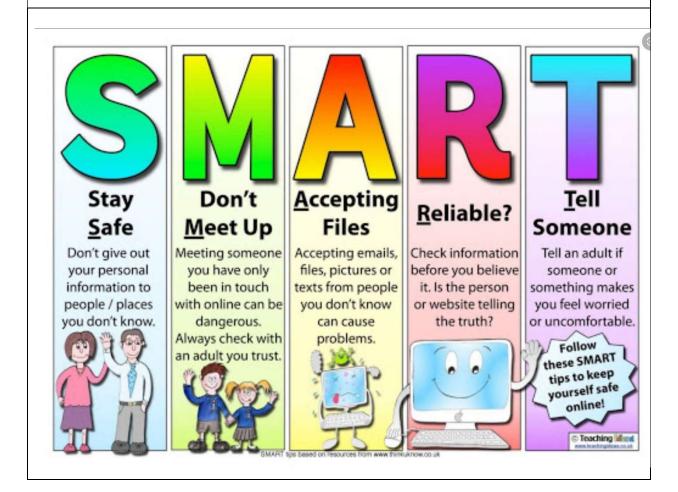


Internet Safety

Safe Surfing Video: https://youtu.be/yrln8nyVBLU



Key things to remember:



You are responsible for what you post!

- Consider privacy, slander, harassment, and copyright laws.
- You can be sued.

Don't Tell Secrets!

- Once you put it up, it is there forever.
- Respect privacy laws when posting names, photos, and other information.

Be Truthful!

- Never misrepresent yourself or pretend to be someone else.
- Remember EVERYTHING is traceable.

Most Importantly - Be Respectful!

- Don't send emails that may hurt others or are against the law.
- Don't be rude or use abusive language in chats or email.
- Don't send emails when you are angry. Save it as a draft and reread it the next day before sending.
- Don't share other people's private information.

My Internet Safety Checklist ☐ I don't give out my passwords. ☐ I have a "checker" friend who helps me keep my privacy safe and could help me if someone is being inappropriate or harmful to me online. ☐ I set time-limits for myself or try to maintain a fairly low percentage of time online or gaming online. ☐ I don't "friend" people I don't know, and I understand how to "unfriend", "unfollow" or say "no" in order to manage my online life. ☐ I don't click on links or images from people I don't know. ☐ I make sure I'm not posting other people's private information when I share posts. ☐ I don't post any personal information online. I don't share information that could allow someone to harm me. ☐ I am truthful, safe and respectful in all of my online dealings.

Friend or Foe

Brainstorm what makes a person a friend, or a foe. Are you familiar with any of the images below?





Consider Friend or Foe

- <u>Stranger danger</u>. The people you chat and play games with are strangers. Don't share personal information with them no matter how nice they are, or what they say.
- Really? A person's virtual character (a character or name they have created to use in the game) is not always a true representation of who that person is. Don't assume a man is a man and a woman is a woman, or that they are who they say they are.

"Stranger Danger" of the Past: Links and Malware

• With Threats. Hackers used to have it so easy. You'd be watching skateboarding or dog videos, and then DING!, a new email would come in. It'd be someone telling you that you owed money and must pay up or else. But we've gotten smart about that kind of thing. So now hackers have a new way of getting personal information from us. How are they doing it?

"Stranger Danger" of Today: Impersonation

- Or Treats! By impersonating a legitimate person with whom the victim has a pre-existing relationship. Maybe the email would be from your friend John, and he'd have a funny video you just had to see.
- Of course, your friend John is actually the victim of a hacker using his identity. They just wanted you to click their link!