

SOCIAL NETWORKING

Keep your personal information private.

Only add friends you know in real life.

Set your profile and blog to private.

Use a nickname that does not identify your location, gender, or age.

Never meet in person with anyone you first met online.

Contact the site administrator if someone creates a social networking page in your name.

Alter your pictures and videos before you post them to remove identifying information.

Profile and photo share only with people on your friends list.

Don't post your plans or whereabouts on your site.

Ignore harassing or rude comments posted on your profile.

Think about the possible consequences of the information and photos you post.

Never post sexually provocative photos.

WHAT TO REPORT

- Anyone you don't know who asks for your personal information, photos, or videos
- Inappropriate or obscene material from people or companies you don't know

- Misleading URLs that direct you to sites containing inappropriate materials instead of what you were looking for
- Anyone who sends you photos or videos containing obscene content of individuals 18 and younger (the possession, manufacturing, or distributing of child pornography is illegal)
- Anyone who asks you to meet in person for sexual activities- no one should make sexual invitations to you online

If any of the above happens to you or a friend, tell an adult you trust and report it to the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children's Cyber Tipline at <http://www.cybertipline.com>