

# A Parents Guide to Internet Safety

## Trustworthy sources and or search engines

[PBS: Helping Children Learn What's Real on the Internet](#)

[RESOURCES FOR SCHOOL LIBRARIANS: Kid Safe Search Sites with links to the websites.](#)

## Social Media

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: What Parents Need to Know About Social Media and Anxiety](#)

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: 11 Social Media Red Flags Parents Should Know About by Christine Elgersma](#)

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: Safe Chat Rooms and Social Sites for Kids](#)

[FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION CONSUMER REPORTS: Kids and Socializing Online](#)

## Being safe while talking to strangers

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: How to Tell Who Your Kid Is Talking to Online—and How to Keep Their Convos Cool by Caroline Knorr](#)

[LET'S TALK TEENS: Raising Teens in The Modern World](#)

## Bullying

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: Cyberbullying, Haters, and Trolls](#)

[KIDS HEALTH: Cyberbullying](#)

[FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION CONSUMER INFORMATION: Cyberbullying](#)

## **Online Safety**

[PBS: Online Safety Tips for Parents](#)

[MISSING KIDS: Games and Videos for children on how to be safe on-line](#)

[FBI KIDS: FBI Safe Online Surfing Internet Challenge based on grade level](#)

## **Mental/ Emotional Wellness**

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: How to Raise a Happy Kid in the Digital Age](#)

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: How to Protect Kids' Mental Health During the Pandemic by Caroline Knorr](#)

[COMMON SENSE MEDIA: Kids' Mental Health Tech Tools for Suicide Help, Coping Skills, and Professional Support by Christine Elgersma](#)

## **Tips and Support for Parents**

[PBS: Managing Emotions as Parents](#)

[FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION CONSUMER INFORMATION: Protecting your Child's Privacy Online](#)

[FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION CONSUMER INFORMATION: Parental Controls](#)