



CAPTAIN RESCUE

Personal Safety & Awareness

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#TMI

The real dangers of
over-sharing online.

We use social media to share moments in our lives, but it's
important to understand the consequences of sharing
"too much information".





POSTING ONLINE IS PERMANENT!

The digital signature of posts will last your lifetime. Many businesses and colleges have already implemented social media screening as part of their selection process.

- YOUR REPUTATION is at stake
- You risk becoming a target for criminals
- Harassment, stalking, burglary or worst
- Putting friends or family in danger





AVOIDING DANGERS & TRAPS

Criminals can piece together information about you so that they can sound authentic, and approach you as either a real person or company.

- Criminals can easily mask their real identities online
- Always verify an organization before sending information
- If someone is flattering you online, you should be wary



KEEP IT LIGHT, SPECIFICS CAN
PUT YOU IN DANGER

PHOTO OF OUR
HOUSE ON
BELMOUNT ST.

OMG! CHECK OUT
MY NEW SCOOTER!

HERE'S **MY B-DAY**
& **SSN** FOR THE TEEN
IDOL CONTEST!



HEADED TO **THE MALL**
@3PM IF ANYONE WANTS
TO JOIN **#GALLERIA MALL**

WALKING TO MY
DANCE CLASS :)

OUT FOR A **RUN**
ON MY FAVORITE
TRAIL #KINGSTRAIL

UNDERSTANDING THE TYPES OF RISK

#1 HIGH RISK:

BAD ENVIRONMENT

BAD FAMILY

BAD LOCATION

SFF

SFD

SFS

#2 COMMUNITY:

SOCIAL MEDIA

NAIVE/NEVER HAPPEN TO ME

GAMING/CHAT ROOMS

MALL

SCHOOL

SPORTING EVENTS

CONCERTS

BEACH

#3 TARGETED:

HEIGHT

WEIGHT

COLOR HAIR

SKIN TONE

BRACES

TAN

LOOKS YOUNGER

LOOKS OLDER



TAKE STEPS TO AVOID BECOMING **A CRIMINAL TARGET**

Always keep your online identity secret from strangers.

Be careful who you give personal information to.

ADOPTING A **SAFER MINDSET**

- NEVER post your physical address
- Avoid public posting travel or daily time lines
- **Maximize your privacy settings**
- Don't add strangers to your "friends list"
- **Be careful what you share**
- Use judgment, protect you r friends & family



TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE

Keep in mind that people are not always who they say they are. If something is too good to be true, there is a very good chance that it is.

HEY, IS THAT BIKE
REALLY **FREE**?

MEET ME AND
IT'S YOURS! :)



A DISCUSSION ABOUT **INAPPROPRIATE TEXTING**

Never feel pressured or trapped in a situation, even if you've already sent inappropriate images. You are protected and can defend yourself legally if necessary.

- **It's illegal to use someone personal images**
- They risk having to register as a sex offender
- There are legal consequences for their parents too



He wants me to send
MORE IMAGES!

NEVER feel
pressured!



HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF

- Don't post inappropriate pictures or comments
- Remember that nothing is temporary online
- Don't respond to inappropriate requests
- Avoid using suggestive screen names or photos
- Keep personal information private
- Report any abusive postings
- Be smart about what you post





YOU SHOULD KNOW THESE **PROGRAMS**

Text the word “safe” and your current location (address, city, state) to **4HELP (44357)**. Within seconds, you will receive a message with the closest **Safe Place site** and phone number for the local youth agency.

TXT4HELP

For immediate help, reply with “2chat” to text interactively with a trained counselor.



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