

My Rules For Online Safety

1. I will always ask for my parents' permission before I go on the internet.
2. I will not give out personal information such as my last name, address, telephone number, parents' work address/ telephone number, or the name and location of my school without my parents' permission.
3. I will tell my parents right away if I come across any information that makes me feel uncomfortable.
4. I will never send a person my picture or anything else without first checking with my parents.
5. I will not respond to any messages that are mean, or in any way make me feel uncomfortable. It is not my fault if I get a message like that. If I do, I will tell my parents right away so that they can contact the online service.
6. I will talk with my parents so that we can set up rules for going online. We will decide the time of day that I can be online, the length of time I can be online and appropriate areas for me to visit. I will not access other areas or break these rules without their permission.

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