Acronyms

9	Parent Watching
143	I Love You
182	I Hate You
420	Marijuana
A/S/L	Age/Sex/Location
ADR	Address
CU46	See You For Sex
DM	Direct Message
F2F	Face To Face
FML	F*** My Life
FYEO	For Your Eyes Only
GNOC	Get Naked On Camera
GYPO	Get Your Pants Off
IWSN	I Want Sex Now
KFY	Kiss For You
KMS	Kill Myself
MIRL	Meet In Real Life
MorF	Male or Female?
PIC	Picture
RU18	Are You 18?
S2R	Send To Receive
SMASH	Casual Sex
SUS	Suspicious
TDTM	Talk Dirty To Me
WYCM	Will You Call Me?

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TIPS FOR PARENTS

Take time to learn from your children about how and why they use technology

Set up ground rules and consequences before any issues arise

Set time limits for technology

Examine and be aware of your child's social media accounts

Know who your child is communicating with

Discuss safety early and often

Let your kids know to come to you with questions

TIPS FOR KIDS

Never share personal information

Never take or share a picture you would not want the world to see

Do not do anything online you would not do offline

If something goes wrong or you are not sure, tell a trusted adult immediately

Slow down before you post, share, forward, like, or comment. Your words have impact so think before you get involved



Questions/Conversation Starters for Safety

Starting conversations about safety with our children may be challenging. Here are some suggested questions that could help start the process.

What kinds of things do you think should stay private?

What apps or games are you using most right now? Can you show me how they work?

What would you do if you got a message or image you weren't expecting and should not see?

How do you decide what pictures are okay to post or share with others?

What should someone do if they're being bullied online? Do you know who you could go to for help?

Do you think it's ever okay to share personal information while gaming, like your name or where you live? Why or why not?

If something ever goes wrong or feels unsafe on social media, who would you talk to?

What are some ways you can build a positive "digital tattoo"?