



Online Safety Quiz

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You receive some junk mail. What should you do?

- A.** Reply to the message asking them to stop sending you mail
- B.** Open the message and read it
- C.** Delete the message without reading it



A

B

C



**If you reply to the message
they will know that they have
found a real email account and
will send you more and more
emails.**

Try Again




**If you open the message you
may accidentally download a
virus.**

Try Again



Correct



This is definitely the safest option. Junk mail is full of rubbish and contains no useful information. You might as well spend your time online doing something fun.

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Someone sends you a nasty text message. What should you do?

- A.** Tell my teacher/parents/carers and refuse to be upset by the message.
- B.** Send them a mean message back.
- C.** Text them a message asking them to stop.



A

B

C



Correct

Don't let bullies upset you. This is the best way to resolve the problem and get some advice. Take action, it's not your fault.

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**If you reply with a mean
message you may get into
trouble yourself.**

Try Again



If you reply to them then the messages are unlikely to stop as the sender will know they have upset you, which is probably what they wanted to do when they sent the first message.

Try Again



Someone sends you a nasty text message about somebody else. What should you do?

- A.** Tell my teacher/parents/carer about the message.
- B.** Forward it your friends, after all it is only a joke.
- C.** Text them a message asking them to stop.




A

B

C



Correct



You should not become part of the problem by forwarding the message and by telling an adult they will be able to help the victim of the bullying.

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**If you forward the message
you are being a bully yourself.**

Try Again



If you reply to them then the messages are unlikely to stop and you may become a target for their messages too.

Try Again



You come across a website by accident that makes you feel uncomfortable. What should you do?

- A.** Panic because it is your fault that you found yourself on this page.
- B.** Hit the stop button on your web browser then the back button. Tell your parents or a teacher.
- C.** Close the window immediately.



A

B

C



Don't panic, if you accidentally clicked on a page without knowing what was there you will not get into trouble as long as you close it down immediately.

Try Again



Correct



This is the safest option as it will get you away from the page and you will be notifying an adult who may be able to stop that page from appearing again.

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**It is a good idea to close it down
but it is better to tell somebody
about it so they can block that
page from appearing again.**

Try Again



You are designing your own personal online space. What should you do?

- A. Cover it with photos and add your address and phone number so people who read your page can contact you.
- B. Just add general information about your hobbies and interests but don't add any detailed information
- C. Add your email address so people can tell you what they think of your page.

A

B

C





**This will tell people too many
details about yourself and
could be dangerous.**

Try Again



Correct

It can be fun to tell people about your interests as long as you don't give away any personal details.

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**By giving out your email address strangers can send messages you that you may not want to receive.
Avoid giving out any personal information which could lead to people contacting you directly.**

Try Again



You are surfing the internet when a banner pops up, telling you that your computer is infected with a virus. What should you do?

- A.** Ignore it. They're likely to be selling something and wanting to pass your information onto others.
- B.** Click on it straight away and download the program they recommend to solve the problem.
- C.** Just click on the banner to see what it's all about. No harm in that.



A

B

C



Correct



Pop up banners can contain viruses which you can accidentally download when you click on them. They also ask for your contact details so that they can sell these to other companies who will send you lots of unwanted email.

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**This is the worst thing you can do.
As long as you have your own anti-virus software that is up to date you will know if your computer is at risk. By downloading their program they may be able to track you and steal your bank details and personal information.**

Try Again



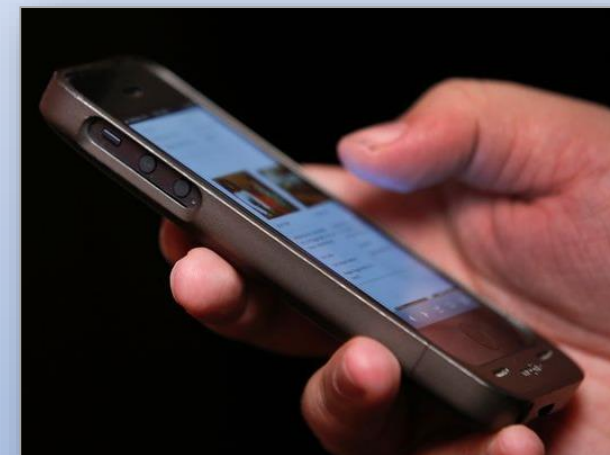
**By clicking on the banner you
are allowing it access to your
computer which could
download a virus.**

Try Again



A stranger sends you a rude picture that makes you feel uncomfortable. What should you do?

- A.** Reply to them asking them to stop sending images like that and delete the picture.
- B.** Forward the message onto somebody else, so you look “cool” too.
- C.** Tell my teacher/parents/carer and show them the picture.



A

B

C



If you reply to them then they are unlikely to stop and will probably send you more images.

Try Again




It is illegal to send some images and by forwarding them you are also committing the crime. If the image made you feel uncomfortable then it is likely to make others feel uncomfortable too so why would you do that to them?

Try Again



Correct



By telling a responsible adult you are doing the right thing and they will be able to contact people who could stop the person from sending out inappropriate images. Do not delete the image as it may be needed for evidence but you do not need to look at it again.

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A friend sends you an email with an attachment. What should you do?

- A.** Open it straight away.
- B.** Read through the message to see if the attachment is mentioned before opening it.
- C.** Open it because you are pretty sure you have anti-virus software.



A

B

C




Your friends computer may have a virus which is getting attached to their emails without them realising. By opening the attachment you are then allowing your computer to get infected.

Try Again



Correct



Better to be safe than sorry. Viruses can sometimes appear to come from people you trust. If you are still in any doubt, email the sender to check that they meant to send it before opening it.

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It is best not to open attachments unless you are sure they are safe, even if you think you have anti-virus software. Your software may not have been updated recently and so by clicking on on the attachment you are allowing a potential virus onto your system.

Try Again



You are using the web to find some information for a homework project. You find some really useful stuff. What should you do?

- A.** Cut and paste it into your work. No one will know that you didn't write it
- B.** Believe what you read – everything on the web is true
- C.** Make notes of the key points to use in your work



A

B

C



**It is against the law to copy
information and pretend that it
is your own work.**

Try Again



Not everything on the web is true. Often it is people opinions. In order to decide if it can be trusted you need to look at the information and decide if it sounds reasonable, if it is from a respected source and if it is up to date.

Try Again



Correct

Good, as long as you've asked yourself key questions about the site and are happy with the content and the author, the web is a great place to find information.

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You have met someone in a chatroom and they ask you to meet them in real life. What should you do?

- A.** Meet up because you've been chatting to them for ages and you're sure you can trust them.
- B.** Ask them to send you a photograph so you'll recognise them when you meet up.
- C.** Tell a responsible adult before deciding what to do.



A

B

C



This is extremely dangerous. Just because you have been chatting to them online does not mean you know who they really are. They may have lied to you and they are not who you thought they were.

Try Again




They could send you a photograph of anybody and you do not know who they really are. It is very dangerous to meet up with anybody you only know online.

Try Again



Correct



This is the safest option. By telling an adult they can help you decide if you could meet them. It may be safe to meet but only if you take along a parent or carer and if you meet them in a public place

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