

Text Slang Decoded

- **AF** – As f**k
- **A mood** – A relatable feeling or situation (often shortened to the single word, “mood”)
- **And I oop** – Used when something is really surprising or provocative
- **And that’s on [something]** – Used to indicate that you’ve just shared a truth that needs no further discussion
- **ASL** – Age/sex/location
- **Bae** – Significant other or crush
- **Basic** – Someone who is viewed as boring or a conforming person
- **Bet** – A response indicating agreement. *Example: “Wanna go to the store?” “Bet.”*
- **Bih** – Short form of b*tch
- **Body count** – The number of people someone has slept with
- **Bruh** – “Bro”; can be used to address anybody
- **BTS** – A Korean boy band popular with tweens and teens
- **Bussin’** – Awesome. *Example: These tacos are bussin’.*
- **Cappin’** – Lying
- **CEO of [something]** – To be a representative of some activity or thing. *Example: “Taylor is the CEO of sleeping in late.”*
- **Cheugy** – Used to describe someone or something that is basic, out of date, or trying too hard
- **Cursed** – Used to describe something (usually an online image) that is unsettling or creepy
- **Cringe** – Causing feelings of embarrassment or awkwardness
- **Daddy** – An attractive man, usually older, who conveys a sense of power and dominance
- **Ded** – Used when something is really funny or embarrassing. *Example: OMG that meme has me ded!*

- **Dope** – A way to describe something as cool or awesome
- **DTF** – Down to f*ck
- **Egirl / Eboy** – A young person with emo-inspired, punk-rock style
- **Facts** – An emphatic way to acknowledge the truth of someone's statement
- **Fam** – Friends
- **FBOI** – F**k boy; a guy just looking for sex
- **FINSTA** – Fake Instagram account
- **FOMO** – Fear of missing out
- **Fire** – Amazing
- **FWB** – Friends with benefits
- **Gas** – Can refer to marijuana, be used to describe something that's cool, or be used as a verb to mean "hype someone up"
- **Ghosted** – Ending a relationship by completely disappearing with no further communication
- **Goals** – Something you want or aspire to
- **GOAT** – Greatest of all time
- **GTG** – Got to go
- **Gucci** – Something good or cool
- **Hentai** – Graphic anime pornography
- **High key** – 1. Very interested in 2. Actively spreading information
- **Hits different** – When something is better than it normally is because of different circumstances. *Example: "A cold soda just hits different when it's super hot outside."*
- **ISO** – In search of
- **IYKYK** – "If you know you know"; meant to imply that there's an inside joke

- **Juul** – Type of e-cigarette that is small and discreet; ‘pods’ are used for smoking
- **Karen** – Used to refer to an entitled mom
- **KMS** – Kill myself
- **KYS** – Kill yourself
- **Lit/Turnt/Turnt Up** – Something that’s active or popular, can also refer to being stoned or drunk
- **LMAO** – Laughing my ass off
- **LMP** – 1. A term that means “like my pic” or 2. Sometimes stands for “lick my p***y”
- **LOL** – Laugh out loud
- **Low key** – 1. Somewhat interested in 2. Keeping information secret
- **Meal** – Someone who looks good enough to eat. *See also: “Snack” or “snacc”*
- **Netflix and chill** – Getting together and hooking up
- **No cap** – Used to indicate that someone is not lying
- **NP** – No problem
- **OFC** – Short for “of course”
- **OK, Boomer** – Calling out an idea that is outdated or resistant to change
- **OMFG** – Oh my f**king god
- **Plug** – Term used to refer to someone who can “connect” you with drugs; a drug dealer.
- **PMOYS** – Acronym that stands for “put me on your Snapchat”
- **ROTFLMAO** – Rolling on the floor laughing my ass off
- **Salty** – To be bitter or cranky about something
- **Same** – “I can relate”
- **Shading** – Where teens gossip about another party without naming them; also “throw shade” means to talk about someone

- **Ship** – Short for “relationship”; also used as a verb to indicate a desire to see two people together. Ex.: /ship Taylor and Jamie.
- **Sis** – Short for “sister” but can be used to address anybody; usually used to express that drama has occurred
- **Skeet** – To ejaculate
- **Smash** – Means to have casual sex
- **SMDH** – Shaking my damn head
- **SMH** – “Shaking my head,” meaning “I don’t believe it” or “that’s so dumb”
- **Snack** – Describes an attractive person
- **Snapstreak** – Created when friends send snaps every day, creating a streak
- **Snatched** – On point, very good, or well styled
- **Spam** – A fake social media account
- **Squad** – Close friend group
- **Stan** – A teen slang term meaning an overzealous or obsessive fan of a particular celebrity
- **STFU** – Short for “shut the f**k up,” can be used as an expression of disbelief or to cyberbully
- **Swoop** – To be picked up in an automobile
- **TBH** – To be honest
- **Tea** – Gossip or interesting news shared between friends
- **Thicc** – Having an attractive, curvy body
- **TF** – The f**k, as in “who TF you think are?”
- **Thirsty** – Desperate for attention, usually sexual attention
- **Thot** – Stands for “that ho over there” and is often used instead of “slut”
- **Trash** – “Terrible,” “unacceptable
- **Turnt** – Excited and having a good time, often with the help of drugs or alcohol

- **V** – “Very”
- **Vibing** – Chilling out, having a good time, or identifying with a certain kind of energy
- **VSCO girl** – A style characterized by Hydro Flasks, Crocs, and scrunchies
- **WAP** – Wet ass p*ssy
- **Woke** – Socially or politically conscious
- **WTF** – What the f**k?
- **WYA** – Where you at?
- **WYD** – What you doing?
- **YAAS** – A very emphatic yes
- **YEET** – 1. A very strong word for yes. 2. To throw something.
- **Zaddy** – A well-dressed, attractive man of any age