

HCPS – Practical Cybersecurity Tips For Parents

Common Sense Media - Here is the link for website review: <https://www.commonsensemedia.org/search/category/website>

Common Sense Media is one of the best resources for seeing website and app reviews (I use this all the time to review the Apps my kids want on their phones). School librarian curriculum is developed from Common Sense Media.

Apple device families - Use parental controls on your child's iPhone, iPad, and iPod touch: <https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT201304>

With Content & Privacy Restrictions in Screen Time, you can block or limit specific apps and features on your child's device. You can also restrict the settings on your iPhone, iPad, or iPod touch for explicit content, purchases and downloads, and privacy.

Android or Google families - Family Link: Google Family Link - Home

Whether your children are younger or in their teens, the Family Link app lets you set digital ground rules to help guide them as they learn, play, and explore online.*

Resources from Tracy Cramer (HCPS Librarian)

Heads up: Stop. Think. Connect - https://www.bulkorder.ftc.gov/system/files/publications/792a_heads_up_stop_think_connect.pdf (FTC.gov) – attached as well
This downloadable PDF brochure provides tips on protecting yourself online. Topics include social media, cyberbullying, privacy, and security.

Stay Safe Online: Privacy Tips for Teens – <https://staysafeonline.org/stay-safe-online/managing-your-privacy/privacy-tips-teens/> (National Cyber Security Alliance)

StaySafeOnline is a website powered by the National Cyber Security Alliance to promote online safety. Attention is given to both a personal aspect of online security as well as the social implications. There is a section on privacy tips for teens that includes a downloadable PDF summary.

OnGuardOnline - <https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/feature-0038-onguardonline> (FTC.gov)

OnGuardOnline is a website published by the Federal Trade Commission to provide tips and online safety information to consumers. Topics include cybercrime, phishing scams, computer security, and public wi-fi safety.

Google Safety Center: Explore Safety Tools - <https://www.google.com/safetycenter/tools/>

Safety Tools is a website published by Google to provide users with privacy and security tips and assistance for Google products, which include Android devices. Users can select from a variety of topics for step by step instructions.