

Kit's Guide to Digital Guardianship

Be a Digital Detective: Think Before You Click!

- Why is it vital to keep personal information, such as your full name, home address, or school location, private when using online platforms?
- How can you create a strong, complex password that is difficult for others to guess but easy for you to remember?
- What steps should you take if you see something online that makes you feel uncomfortable, worried, or sad?
- Why should you be cautious when clicking on links or downloading attachments from people you do not know in real life?
- How does the 'Golden Rule' of treating others with kindness apply to digital communication and social interactions?

Did you know? Did you know? Every time you post a comment, share a photo, or visit a website, you are adding to your 'digital footprint'. This is a permanent trail of your online activity that can be seen by others long after you have logged off. Like footprints in the sand, they are difficult to erase completely, so make sure your path is one you are proud of!

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