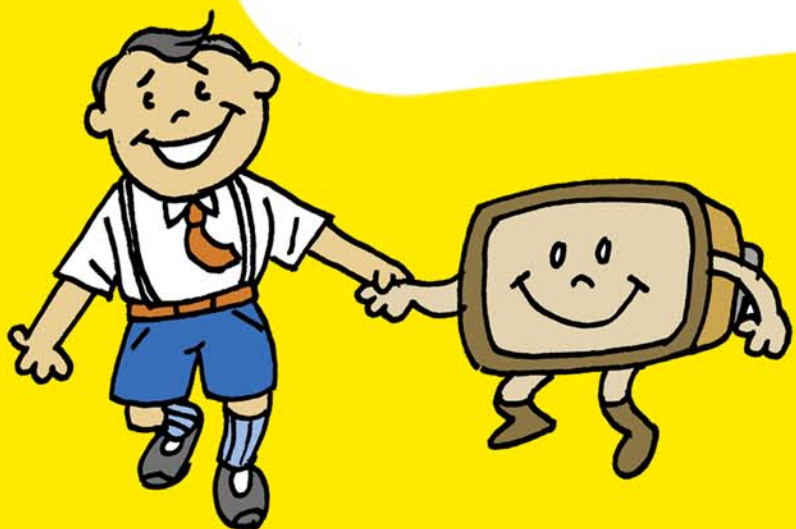


# Information Security Safety and Ethics Guidelines for Children



- Never send your picture through e-mail to cyber pals/strangers
- Don't open e-mails, files or web pages received from people you really don't know or trust
- You can play vital role in providing safety for your cyberpals. Don't send/forward unknown/untrusted messages to your cyberpals
- If somebody sends you something that makes you uncomfortable, bring it to the notice of your parents, they know what to do
- Don't give out information about yourself like your name, your phone number, where you live, or your school details, family details etc without the knowledge of your parents.
- Avoid face-to-face meetings with cyberpals, because people in real life can be very different from how they are online. But in case if you feel it is required, bring it to the notice of your parents
- Don't reveal your password to others, except to the responsible adults in your family.
- Always follow your family's rules in using Internet. These rules are made to make sure you have fun and stay safe online. Please sign the Internet usage contract.
- Don't do anything that could cost your family money unless your parents are there to help you do it.
- Cyberspace helps you in accessing the required information within no time. Using the online services in a right way, will definitely contribute to your personality



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