

DIGITAL SAFETY QUIZ - PARENTS - HOW CLUED IN ARE YOU?

1. When chatting online, children often use acronyms and shorthand to communicate. Do you know what 'POS' means?

- a. Plate of spaghetti
- b. Parent over shoulder
- c. Prayer on Sunday

2. What percentage of young people aged 12 - 17 use the Internet?

- a. 68%
- b. 87%
- c. 95%

3. What does PAW mean?

- a. Parents are watching
- b. Plants are wicked!
- c. Plans are weird

4. What was the most popular social networking site of 2012?

- a. Hi5
- b. LinkedIn
- c. Facebook

5. Do you know what 999 means?

- a. Call for an ambulance
- b. Someone is watching - a parent or guardian
- c. I need help

6. The highest percentage of teens use the internet to:

- a. Send or read emails
- b. Download music
- c. Buy things online

7. What percentage of teens respond to strangers (via email, SMS, instant message etc) online?

- a. 25%
- b. 63%
- c. 88%

8. Cyber language - How many of these do you know?

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G2g Imho Wbu Wuu2

DIGITAL SAFETY QUIZ – ANSWERS

HOW DID YOU DO?

1. **POS** – don't say anything incriminating because **Parent Over Shoulder**
2. A whopping 77% of young people use the internet on a daily basis – so safety matters!
3. **PAW** - again, watch what you say because **Parents Are Watching**
4. The most popular social networking site in 2012 was Facebook
5. If you see 999 it's a warning – 'Someone is watching'; could be a parent or carer
6. The highest percentage of teens (92%) use the internet to send or read emails
7. Scarily, **63% of teens respond to strangers** (via email, SMS, instant message etc.) **online**

8. **Lol** – Laugh out loud

Brb – Be right back

Pos – Parent over shoulder

Atm – At the moment

Kk – Kiss kiss

Ttfn – Ta ta for now

Rofl – Rolling on the floor laughing

Idts – I don't think so

G2g - Got to go

Imho – In my humble/honest opinion

Wbu – What about you

Wuu2 – What you up to