

# Internet Safety Quiz

1. Draw **one** line from each key term to the correct definition.

algorithm

A piece of computer code, capable of copying itself, which is designed to have a detrimental effect, such as corrupting the system or destroying data.

browser

A set of data used to identify the user and/or track what they do online.

cookie

A series of instructions that tell a computer how to transform data into useful information, which may be used to produce targeted content.

virus

A computer program used to access the internet.

2. What is a strong password?

- a. a string of numbers, uppercase and lowercase letters and symbols
- b. something you can easily remember, such as the name of a pet or your favourite colour
- c. a repetitive sequence of letters or numbers, such as abcabc or 123123

3. Which of these indicates that a website is secure?

- a. a padlock symbol to the left of the web address
- b. no ads on the website
- c. HTTP at the start of the URL

4. Which of these are examples of online safety risks?

- a. phishing
- b. surfing
- c. grooming

5. Phishing is...

- a. downloading a virus onto your computer.
- b. pretending to be somebody else online in order to deceive or trick another person.
- c. tricking people into sharing private details via the internet, and then using this information to steal money from them.

6. What is the minimum age limit on most social media sites?

- a. 11
- b. 13
- c. 16

7. What percentage young people aged 8-11 have a social media account?

- a. 15%
- b. 30%
- c. 60%

8. Which of the following doesn't affect how safe and secure a social media account is?

- a. the strength of your password
- b. how frequently you post
- c. whether your account is private or public

9. Which of the following factors can help us identify a fake social media profile?

- a. The account has posted the same thing more than once.
- b. The account has a suspicious link in their bio.
- c. The account has no profile picture.
- d. All of the above.

10. Which of the following social media actions poses the least risk to your safety?

- a. tagging your live location
- b. mentioning where you live or the school you go to
- c. sharing your full name
- d. posting about your hobbies or interests

11. What percentage of young people aged 8-17 who play games online have played with people they don't know in real life?

- a. 36%
- b. 42%
- c. 61%

12. Young people are more likely to experience cyberbullying than face-to-face bullying.  
True or false?

true

false