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What is Safe Websites

Learn to Spot Safe Websites for Kids!

DEFINITION

> Safe websites are online places that protect your information and are appropriate for kids. They provide reliable content without harmful material.

KEY CONCEPTS

Secure URL

Look for 'https://' in the web address, indicating a secure connection.

Age-appropriate content

Websites should have content suitable for children, avoiding violence or adult themes.

Privacy policies

Safe websites have clear rules about how they use and protect your personal information.

Trusted sources

Use websites from known organizations, schools, or educational institutions.

No personal info

Never share personal details like your name, address, or school on websites.

EXAMPLES

→ National Geographic Kids is a safe site for learning about animals.

→ PBS Kids offers games and videos that are fun and educational.

→ Khan Academy provides safe, high-quality educational resources.

MEMORY TIPS

★ Remember 'HTTPS' for secure sites - the 'S' stands for 'Secure'.

★ Think of trusted sources as 'T' for 'Trustworthy'.

★ Use the acronym 'PANTS' - Privacy, Age-appropriate, No personal info, Trusted sources, Secure URL.

COMMON MISTAKES

✗ Assuming all websites are safe just because they are popular.

✗ Not checking for secure URLs before entering information.

✗ Ignoring privacy policies or not understanding them.

QUICK RECAP

Safe websites protect your information and are suitable for kids. Always check for secure URLs and trusted sources to ensure a safe online experience.