5 TIPS TO PROTECT YOUR PRIVACY ONLINE

POST

1 Think before you click!

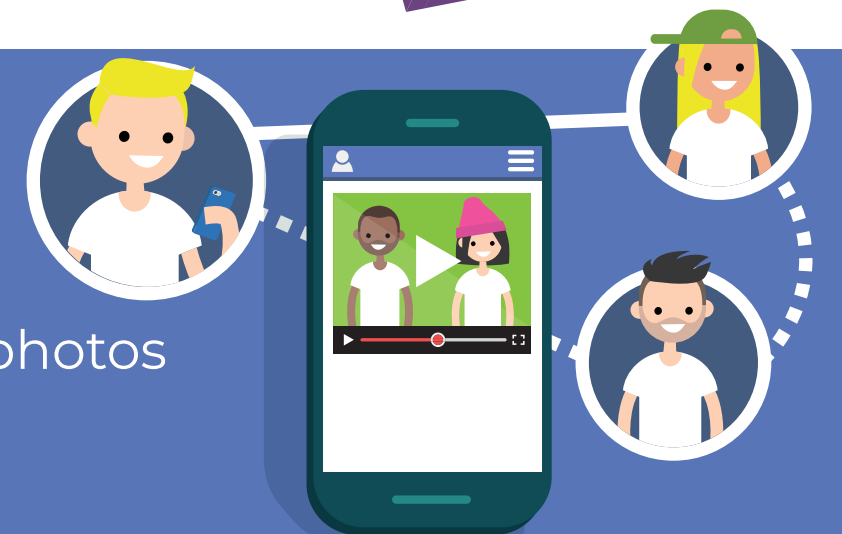Really think about the photos, comments, messages and videos you want to post online, *before* you put them there.

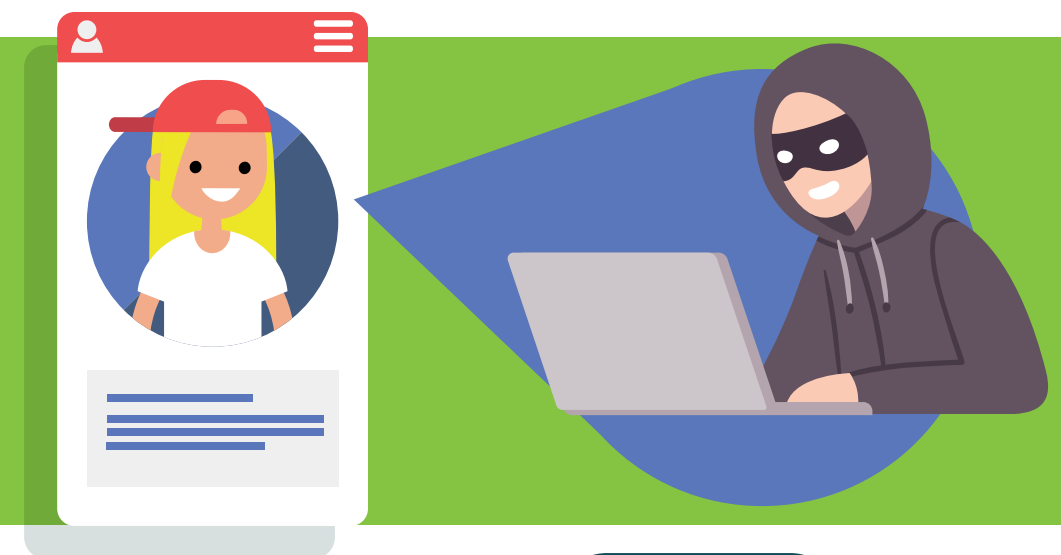## 2 Remember that things you post may not be private.

Everything is shareable. People can copy comments, messages, photos and videos that you post online and send them to other people.
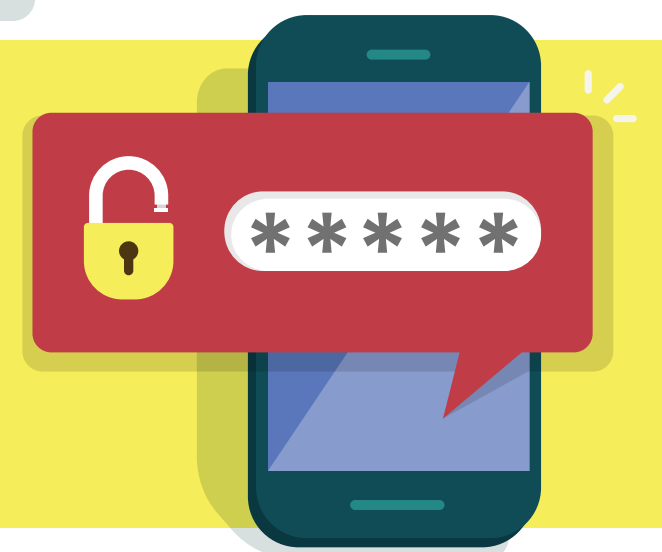
3 Know who your friends are.

If you don't know someone in person, then you can't be sure who that person is online.

4 Protect your privacy with passwords

It's important to password-protect your mobile device; use strong passwords on your accounts and don't share them with others.
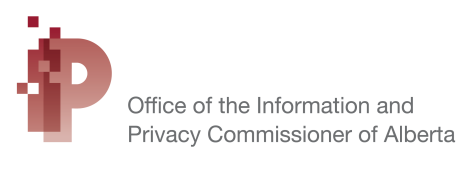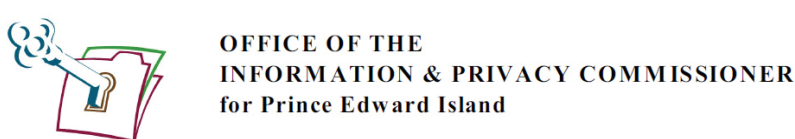
5 Respect your friends' online footprints too.

Before you post a photo or video with someone else in it, ask them if it's okay; and think carefully about what you say about others online.

⚠ If you're worried about something you see online, or have questions about how to protect your privacy, talk with an adult you trust.

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