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WEEK 1

CHILDREN ARE OUR CYBER FUTURE!

Teach them well and let them lead the way!

MAKE YOUR KIDS ALERT & AWARE

About cyber hazards online. They'll spread the word!

Girl Saves World...all before lunch!

7:40AM: Natalie discovers something amiss on her Aunt's MyFace page...

But Aunt Carol never wears sunglasses...

7:53AM: Aunt Carol is found at the coffee shop!

OMG! Your account was hacked! You need to change your passwords right away!



7:47AM: Susie's MyFace page has a stranger lurking...

Susie doesn't know anyone named NotaFakeTeenager62...

7:56AM: Susie is found a quick bike ride away at the park!

OMG, Susie! You're not really telling that random Internet guy where you live, are you? How do you know he is who he says he is?

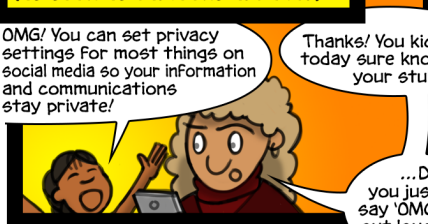


8:42AM: Natalie is surprised by her neighbor's page...



I bet she didn't mean for everyone to see this!

11:58AM: Natalie lets Harriet know (as soon as cartoons are over).



OMG! You can set privacy settings for most things on social media so your information and communications stay private!

Thanks! You kids today sure know your stuff!

...Did you just say 'OMG' out loud?

NCSAM Tips of the Week!

Back in the 80s, kids were showing their parents how to use the VCR. These days, they're showing us how to use social networking and do cool stuff with our smart phones.

While kids may be better at working technologies, grownups are still better at foreseeing trouble coming.

Learn about cybersecurity warning signs, and share some tips with your kids about staying safe online. The more they know about cyber hazards, the more their friends and family will know.

ONLINE SCAMMERS 101

Cybersecurity is not only a concern for when you're working at IHS. Your family's security is important too! Share these simple tips with your kids, and keep them safe from online scammers.

- Be a wary surfer. Lots of scam sites are out there, and even legitimate sites can be infiltrated.
- Don't blindly trust that someone online IS who they SAY they are.
- What happens online, STAYS online. You can never truly delete anything posted on the Internet.
- Never trust a link or attachment from someone you don't know.
- Use good sense when posting about yourself and your family on social media.
- Thoroughly investigate ALL apps and downloads before launching them.