

WELCOME TO CYBERIA
ONLINE WORLD
OF
DIGITAL NATIVE



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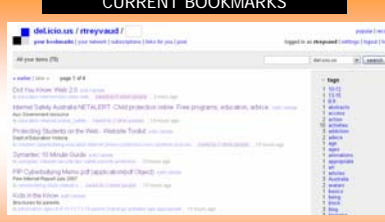
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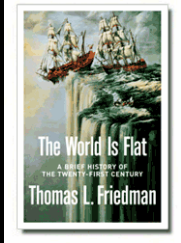


WEB RESOURCES

CURRENT BOOKMARKS




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The World Is Flat
A BRIEF HISTORY OF
THE TWENTIETH CENTURY
Thomas L. Friedman


Queensland University of Technology, 2007



Anonymous survey of 518 girls aged 11 to 15 years old
30 % bullied in person
 70% of cyber bullies did not indulge in face-to-face bullying
1:7 respondents had been victims of cyberbullying, with most incidents occurring around the age of 13 years.

Source: News.com.au September 28 2007 Cowardly acts of the Cyberbully

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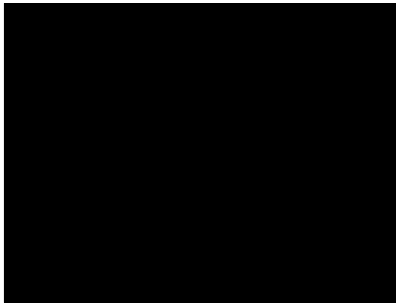
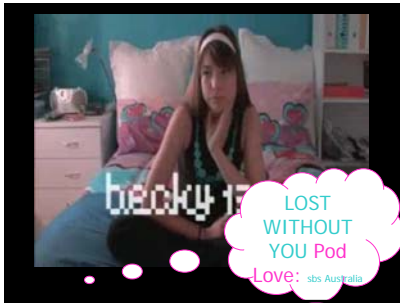
What are today's youth **really** doing online?
Does it Matter?



The Streets of Cyberia....
What's happening?



WEB 2.0



What's.....?

NORMAL..everyone does it!

Is it..
ACCEPTABLE/UNACCEPTABLE

Is it...
LEGAL/ILLEGAL

MORAL COMPASS

MAKING INFORMED CHOICES....OR NOT?

Guestbook

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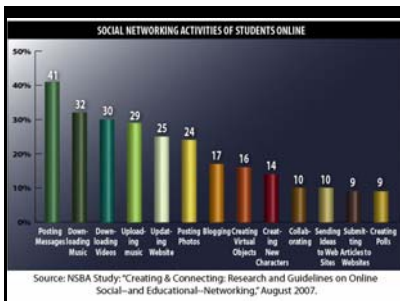
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July 2007 US

CREATING & CONNECTING: Research and Guidelines on Online Social... and Educational... NETWORKING
NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION

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Nonconformists — students who step outside of online safety and behavior rules.

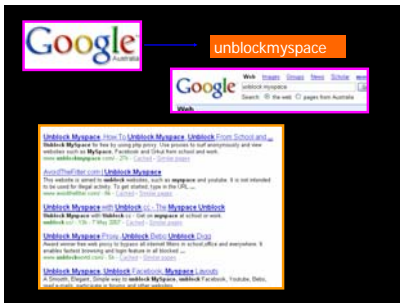
1:3 teens...report breaking one or more online safety or behavior rules

- using inappropriate language
- posting inappropriate pictures
- sharing personal information with strangers
- pretending to be someone they are not

The vast majority of districts **prohibit**...

- online chatting
- instant messaging
- sending or receiving e-mail during school
- posting on bulletin boards or blogs
- using social networking sites

Almost all use software to block certain sites and require parents or students to sign and internet use policy.



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Enter your email to our newsletter and we will email you new proxies every week.

You will get the location of new proxies before they get blocked!...once those proxies get located and blocked by security systems, you will already get next weeks email with another batch of new proxies.

That way no one can ever block you again from surfing freely!

WebAddress
www.myspace.com

A client connects to the proxy server, then requests a connection, file, or other resource available on a **different server.**

www.iloveim.com

'Another great benefit of our Web Messenger - it works behind a firewall or proxy servers...'

what are you REALLY experiencing?

Bullying & Harassment
Becoming addicted..spending too much time on MSN, games, mobile
Identity theft
Internet Security
Pornography

what is cyberbullying?

...when someone repeatedly misuses their power to try to hurt, scare or exclude another person. It can be done by one person, or a group in ways that upset the student's body, peace of mind, property, reputation or social life...using electronic means.

Source: Bullying Solutions, Editors McGrath & Noble 2006

LOOKS & FEELS LIKE.....

Cyber bullying is defined as.....

...threats or other offensive behavior sent online to a victim or sent or posted online about the victim for others to see. (Wolak, Mitchell, Finkelhor et al., 2006).

<http://cyberbullyv111.org/what-is-cyberbullying.php>

LOOKS & FEELS LIKE.....

It can take the form of a message on email or IM or a social networking site from someone who is threatening to hurt you physically.

It might be rumors posted on your profile or spread online for others to see.

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LOOKS & FEELS LIKE.....

It might be the deletion of you on a friend's "buddy list" to make you feel left out.

It could be a profile made by someone pretending to be you.

Someone hacking into your profile and writing comments pretending they're from you.

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"Flaming": Online fights using electronic messages with angry and vulgar language

"Harassment": Repeatedly sending offensive, rude, and insulting messages

"Cyber stalking": Repeatedly sending messages that include threats of harm or are highly intimidating.

"Denigration": Sending or posting cruel gossip or rumors about a person to damage his or her reputation or friendships

"Impersonation": Pretending to be someone else and sending or posting material online that damages that person's reputation or friendships

"Outing and Trickery": Sharing someone's secret or embarrassing information online. Tricking someone into revealing secrets or embarrassing information which is then shared online

"Exclusion": Intentionally excluding someone from an on-line group, like a 'buddy list'

Source: Nancy Willard, M.S., J.D., Director of the Center for Safe and Responsible Internet Use

They Bully..


- Because others are doing it
 - To get attention
 - To get what they want
- Because they think it's fun to hurt others' feelings
- To gain respect
- To become more popular
- To feel better about themselves
- To punish people they are jealous of

Cyberbullying

- Cyberbullying can occur through multiple sources:
 - e-mail
 - web sites
 - online forums
 - chat rooms
 - blogs
 - instant messaging
 - voice/text sent to mobile phones




You Can't See Me.. I Can't See You



You Can't See Me.. I Can't See You

Rationalisations


"I won't get caught." There is an eagerness to see a chance of not being properly punished. This inappropriate attitude will not cause any perceptible harm.



CYBER BULLY CATEGORIES

- Inadvertent**
 - Role-play
 - Responding
 - May not realize it's cyber bullying
- Vengeful Angel**
 - Righting wrongs
 - Protecting themselves
- Mean Girls**
 - Bored; Entertainment
 - Ego based: promote own status
 - Often do in a group
 - Intimidate on and off line
 - Need others to bully
- Power-Hungry**
 - Want reaction
 - Controlling with fear
- Revenge of the Nerds** (Subset of Power-Hungry)
 - Often Victims of school-yard bullies
 - Throw 'cyber-weight' around
 - Not school-yard bullies like Power-Hungry & Mean Girls

Source: Perry Atrish, Executive Director, WiredSafety.org



DIFFERENCES

BULLYING	CYBERBULLYING
DIRECT	ANONYMOUS
Occurs on school property	Occurs off school property
Poor relationships with teachers	Good relationships with teachers
Fear retribution	Fear loss of technology privileges
Physical: Hitting, Punching & Shoving	Further under the radar than bullying
Verbal: Teasing, Name calling & Gossip	Emotional reactions cannot be determined
Nonverbal: Use of gestures & Exclusion	

Source: www.cyberbullying.gov (Roberts & Singh, 2009; Moran & Mitchell, 2005)

Myths and Facts about Cyberbullying


Myth: Most harassment occurs on social networking sites.

30% of young people who have been harassed say it's happened on a social networking site.

40% ...while on Instant Messaging

29% ...while playing a game online.

Source: <http://preventcyberbullying.com>



Myths and Facts about Cyberbullying

Fact: Internet harassment happens most frequently by peers.
 63% of harassers are reportedly under the age of 18 years of age as compared to...
 14% who are 18 years of age and older.

Source: <http://preventcyberbullying.com/>

Do Social Networks Facilitate Cyber-Bullying?

Have you, personally, ever experienced any of the following things online?

	Social Network User	Non-Social Network User
Someone taking a private email, IM, or text message you sent them and forwarding it to someone else or posting it where others could see it	17%	12%
Someone spreading a rumor about you online	16%*	8%
Someone sending you a threatening or aggressive email, IM, or text message	16%*	8%
Someone posting an embarrassing picture of you online without your permission	9%*	2%
At least one of the forms of cyber bullying listed above	39%*	23%

Source: Pew Internet & American Life Project Parents and Teens Survey, Oct. Nov. 2006.

Online Rumors Tend to Target Girls

Have you, personally, ever experienced any of the following things online?

	Boys	Girls
Someone taking a private email, IM, or text message you sent them and forwarding it to someone else or posting it where others could see it	13%	17%
Someone spreading a rumor about you online	10%	19%
Someone sending you a threatening or aggressive email, IM, or text message	9%	16%*
Someone posting an embarrassing picture of you online without your permission	5%	7%
At least one of the forms of cyber bullying listed above	23%	36%*

Source: Pew Internet & American Life Project Parents and Teens Survey, Oct. Nov. 2006.

Online victimization: Emerging facts

Fact No. 1: Posting personal info online isn't actually what makes kids most vulnerable to predators.
 "Rather, victimization is more likely to result from ... talking about sex with people met online and intentionally embarrassing someone else on the Internet."

Source: www.blogsafety.com

Online victimization: Emerging facts

Fact No. 2: "Online victims tend to be teens with troubles offline, such as poor relationships with parents, loneliness and depression"
 The kids most at risk online are already risk-seekers and risk-takers in real life.

Online victimization: Emerging facts

Fact No. 3: A lot of sexual-victimization cases happen at the hands of peers, not adults.

Among young Internet users...
 meeting people online in multiple ways
 talking about sex with unknown people
 and having multiple unknown people in one's buddy list...MSN

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significantly higher odds of online interpersonal victimisation

Source: Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine



Digital Footprints

If people were to Google you, what conclusions would they make?
 Your parents, teachers...prospective employers?

From looking at your digital self, would people think that you are full of creativity or are you a copy-cat, mimicking the works of others without any new original thought?

What if you discover that there are images of you on other's sites which are unflattering or potentially damaging?

Digital Footprints



The White Flag

'My daughter is online all the time. She doesn't seem to have a life at all, except for MSN. She says that I just don't understand, and she's right, I don't.'

Father, Montreal, Canada

Source: 'Young Canadians in A Wired World 2005.'

Approximately 1 million children in the US have received...

- an aggressive sexual solicitation
- someone asking to meet in person
- calling on the telephone
- sending snail mail, money or gifts

Yet fewer than 1 in 5 who have experienced any of the above, have told a parent or guardian

Source: National Center for Missing & Exploited Children 2006

kidsonline@home Internet use in Australian Homes
502 children 8-13 years 2005


Parents commonly felt that as children become teenagers, direct supervision and rules become less effective, and education and trust play a greater role.

have you been cyberbullied?


Cyberbullying Quiz
Have you ever been Cyberbullied?



1. Have you ever...
Tried to sign online and found that your password had been changed?



2.
Been tricked into giving out a secret online?



Are you a Cyber Bully?

Have you ever...
Signed on with someone else's screen name to gather info?
Sent an e-mail or online greeting card from someone's account?

MSN Live Messenger IM





Ultimate Safe Chat users communicate by choosing from a predefined menu of greetings, questions, statements, emotes and actions.

Standard Safe Chat allows users to type their own messages, which go through a sophisticated filter system that blocks inappropriate or questionable words, phrases, codes or threads of conversation.

Live moderators monitor what's going on in the world and deal with any reports of misconduct. Players can be silenced or banned.

Club Penguin also adheres to a strict privacy policy and includes no advertising

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Why Join Myspace?
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MySpace is currently the world's 6th most popular English-language website and the 6th most popular website in any language

facebook

39 million profiles

60% login daily

Ave 19 min

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Responsible Social Networking

Pew Internet & American Life Project 2006

myspace.com
a place for friends

66% of teens who have created a profile limit access to it & know difference between a public and a private profile.

70% of older girls (15-17) have used a social site vs. 54% of older boys

91% of all social-networking teens say they use the sites to stay in touch with friends they see frequently

Things to help children stay safe @

Teach young people how to block someone online and report them if they feel uncomfortable

Early Warning Signal

Report online child abuse, or seek advice and support.

What Educators Can Do @

- Conduct a needs/threat assessment
 - Review school policy
- Provide opportunities for professional development of school staff (and parents).
- System of reporting (especially among peers)
- Work with authorities and ISP (Internet service providers)
 - Counselling
 - Anti-bullying programs

Parents Can Make a Difference @

In focus groups about cyberbullying, teens consistently said parents should be

- aware of what their teenagers are doing online
- be involved in their online worlds

What Parents Can Do @

- Keep computer in a place easy to monitor
 - Use monitoring software and/or blocking/filtering
- Work with the school, authorities, and ISP
 - Become more aware of internet issues
 - Communicate with children about the issues
 - Support the victims

WE Can Make a Difference @

Understand that to you, the Internet is a thing, but to young people, it's a place.

...this place is an integral part of their self-identity, relationship formation, and social support.



'In the end we will remember not
the words of our enemies, but the
silence of our friends.'

Martin Luther King, Jr