

BLUEPRINT FOR BUILDING SAFER, SMARTER FAMILIES ACTIVITY BOOK

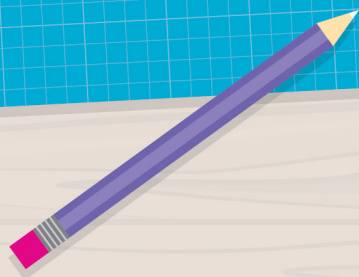
Secret Gauge

Building Personal Safety

Signs of Grooming



Safe Secrets



Safer, Smarter
FAMILIES



LAUREN'S KIDS



TATTTLING OR REPORTING?

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WARNING SIGNS OF GROOMING



Read the following scenarios. Circle the warning sign if you think that the scenario could be a sign of grooming. Cross out the warning sign if you do not think the scenario is a warning sign of grooming.

1. When you are in the grocery store with your mom, an older man asks you if you could reach a high shelf and hand him a can of tomatoes. He thanks you and continues shopping.



2. Your neighbor asks you to move some tree limbs for him after a big storm. He invites you in, gives you some money, but tells you not to tell anyone. He tells you that he always has yard work to do and will pay you, but doesn't want you telling your mom or dad.



3. Your friend's mom is teaching an exercise class in the park. She has invited lots of kids your age to join. One day you hurt your leg and she offers to take you home. You sit in the back seat of the car and she drops you off at your house.



4. Your aunt always wants to babysit at your house when your mom goes to work. She sits very close to you when you are watching tv and likes to braid your hair. You feel uncomfortable.



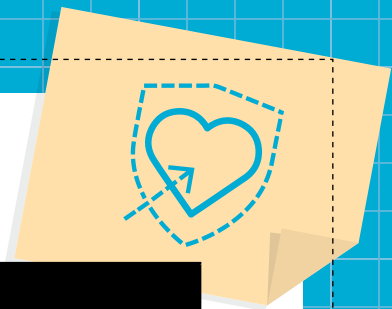
PRIVACY PUZZLE

Embarassing Things	Silly Mistakes You've Made
Social Security Number	Credit Card Number
Test Answers	Bullying
Unsafe Touches	Birthday
Passwords	Hopes
Spiritual Beliefs	Dreams
Weather Report	Unsafe Secrets
Phone Number	Compliments
Gratitude	Whom You Like
Scary Thoughts	Your Grades
Home Address	Directions
Safe Secrets (until the right time)	Grades
Email Address	Time of Day
Journal	Parents' Salary
Temperature	Diary
Threats	Injuries/Illness

WHAT KIND OF INFORMATION IS IT?

Very Personal (In Your Head and In Your Heart)	
Somewhat Private	
Factual (Numbers, Addresses, etc.)	

SHOULD YOU SHARE IT?



Never

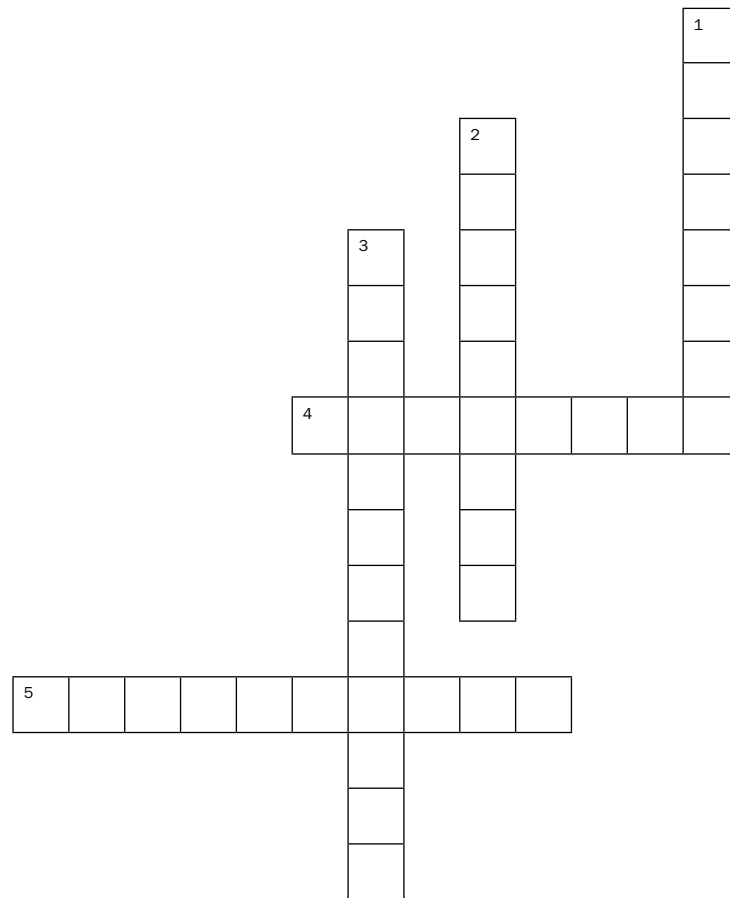
Maybe

Always



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SAFETY CROSSWORD



Use what you have learned about safety to complete the crossword puzzle!

ACROSS

- 4. Complaint that is annoying and not unsafe
- 5. Meant to be told and will bring a smile

DOWN

- 1. Process used to build trust for the purpose of doing harm
- 2. Deals with the safety of you or others
- 3. Told not to tell and is scary, uncomfortable, icky

WHAT THIS MEANS TO ME



Think about how reporting helps keeps you safe. Tell about a time you needed to report something – even if you didn’t – to help keep you or a friend safe.

SAFETY CHECK UP

See what you learned about your personal safety!

1. If an adult asks me to share my family’s password with them, I should because I know that I need to always follow the directions of adults. True False
2. What is the difference between tattling and reporting?
3. There is personal information that should never be shared outside of your family, but an _____ should always be shared.
4. I should always tell a trusted adult if an adult gives me gifts, acts too friendly toward me, and tells me not to tell anyone. True False
5. When a safe secret is told everyone will _____.

SAFETY WORDS



I J R M P S U X G L G T R A S
Y A E C E E L C J M R M U Y A
Q M P M R C Y H Q T O K H I F
O V O U S R J T U A W P W B E
D S R S O E M R K T N F G O R
Z I T I N T A U Y T U F B J P
V O I X A T R S S L P A A M P
D C N G L Y Q T A I B C A O C
L T G H M L T E F N U T N V Z
P R I V A C Y D E G D S U S L
I Q F C L C X A T U D R J T X
B U B I K V G D Y T Y U X Z V
D X J L U M J U E C W D O K U
Y P S F W C F L F B B L W E M
F U W F O P G T D P A T L P V

FIND THE SAFETY WORDS

Words can go horizontally, vertically and diagonally in all eight directions. Words may overlap.

Facts
Grown-Up Buddy
Personal
Privacy
Reporting

Safe
Secret
Safety
Tattling
Trusted Adult



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