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"A light beneath our feet"

Best practice for iPad & online use

Setup Family Sharing

IOS 8 HAS A FAMILY SHARING FEATURE. YOU CAN SET UP YOUR CHILD WITH THEIR OWN ITUNES ACCOUNT THAT IS LINKED TO YOUR PARENT ITUNES ACCOUNT. THIS MEANS THAT WHENEVER YOUR CHILD TRIES TO MAKE A PURCHASE OR DOWNLOAD AN APP, YOU WILL RECEIVE A MESSAGE ON YOUR PHONE ALLOWING YOU TO APPROVE OR DENY THEIR PURCHASE. THIS IS A FREE FEATURE.

WWW.APPLE.COM/AU/IOS/WHATS-NEW/FAMILY-SHARING/

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON FAMILY SHARING

Enable Restrictions

IPADS INCLUDE A RESTRICTIONS FEATURE. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOU ENABLE THIS FEATURE ON YOUR CHILD'S IPAD. PLEASE MAKE SURE TO ALLOW CAMERA, AIR DROP AND INSTALLING APPS (FAMILY SHARING WILL STILL ASK YOUR PERMISSION BEFORE ALLOWING THE STUDENTS TO PURCHASE APPS)

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT IMESSAGE IS RESTRICTED.

IT IS USEFUL FOR YOU TO EMAIL YOUR CHILD'S RESTRICTION CODE TO THEIR CLASSROOM TEACHER AS SOME EDUCATIONAL WEBSITES CAN BE RESTRICTED AND NEED TO BE ALLOWED ON AN AS NEEDS BASIS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT

SUPPORT.APPLE.COM/EN-AU/HT201304

WWW.BEWEBSMART.COM/IPOD-IPAD-IPHONE/HOW-TO-RESTRICT-IMESSAGE/

Talk To Your Child

IT IS ALWAYS A GOOD IDEA TO TALK TO YOUR CHILD ABOUT WHAT'S GOING ON IN THEIR LIFE. HOW THEY'RE GOING WITH SCHOOL WORK, WHAT'S FUN, WHAT'S DIFFICULT, HOW THEY'RE GOING WITH THEIR FRIENDS. THIS HELPS TO KEEP LINES OF COMMUNICATION OPEN AND MAKES IT MORE LIKELY THAT YOUR CHILD WILL COME TO YOU WHEN THEY HAVE A PROBLEM.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT WE STRESS TO OUR CHILDREN THAT WHEN THINGS HAPPEN THAT THEY CAN'T DEAL WITH OR MAKE THEM UNCOMFORTABLE, THEY CAN COME TO THEIR PARENTS OR TEACHERS FOR HELP.

OFTEN CHILDREN FEEL HESITANT TO COME TO ADULTS FOR HELP IF THEY ARE SCARED THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE DONE THE WRONG THING AND MIGHT GET IN TROUBLE.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT WE ESTABLISH A BLAME FREE ENVIRONMENT WHERE THEY FEEL COMFORTABLE TO ASK FOR HELP. THIS COVERS FACE TO FACE INTERACTIONS AND ONLINE INTERACTIONS.

Supervision is Key

JUST LIKE AT THE SWIMMING POOL, THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR SUPERVISION. IT IS UP TO ALL OF US AS PARENTS TO MAKE SURE THAT WE ARE AWARE OF WHAT OUR CHILDREN ARE DOING. THIS IS EQUALLY IMPORTANT WITH DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS. WE NEED TO CONTINUALLY REMIND OUR CHILDREN AND STUDENTS OF THE IMPACT THAT THEIR DIGITAL FOOTPRINT CAN HAVE ON THEMSELVES AND OTHERS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION FOR CHILDREN AND PARENTS ABOUT BEING SAFE ONLINE VISIT

WWW.CYBERSMART.GOV.AU