



Instructions: Read the story and then answer the questions below:

It was the biggest event of the year and it was Joshes moment to shine at his schools talent show. Josh goes to the mic and begins to sing, the crowd goes wild. At the end of the talent show the judges were so impressed with Josh that he wins first place in the talent show.

After the talent show Joshes friend suggest that Josh put his awesome performance on YouVid so that the world could see how good he was. Josh thought that it was a great idea and signed up for a Youvid account and began posting his videos of the talent show online. Josh was so excited that he started posting all sorts of videos of his talents and talking to everyone that commented on his videos.

Josh wanted to get as many followers as possible that he started accepting anyone that wanted to follow his account. Soon Josh had over 1200 followers and he hoped to get many more.

- 1. What are some of the risks that Josh may face when posting videos online of himself?
- 2. Why is it not the best idea for Josh to accept everyone as a follower to his Youvid account? What are the risks?
- 3. If Josh makes a comment online what should he be careful not to do?
- 4. If someone has 1200 followers how many people do you think Josh really knows? Why might this not be safe?

## ONLINE SAFETY BE CAREFUL WHO YOU TALK TO!

Do you talk to strangers walking down the street? How might this not be safe? Why do so many people talk to strangers online?
John was in a chat room talking to cutegirl13. He decided to try and meet her at the movies. How could this put John in an unsafe situation?
Jessica has over 1800 followers on her social media account. How is this not safe? Do you think she really knows and has met all 1800 and some followers?
Why is it so difficult to know who you are really talking to online?

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

## **SURF SAFE ONLINE**

*Instructions: Read the story and then answer the questions below:* 

STORY	ANSWER
Susan has been talking online to a girl named Jessica for a few weeks. Susan told Jessica where she lives, how old she is, where she goes to school, and showed her a picture of what she looks like. Susan asks Jessica what school she goes to. Should Jessica tell her what school she attends? (What else should Jessica not tell Susan?)	
Marcus got an e-mail from someone he doesn't know but the email looks important it even has a file attached. Should he open it?	
Tom is online surfing form information on his planets project for his science class. He just got a pop up that claims that he won an I-Pad and all they need is his Name, Address, Phone Number, and Email address. What should Tom do?	
Melissa is talking online to Olivia, which is a friend from school about a history project that they are working on. Melissa wants to call Olivia to further discuss the project. Should Olivia give out her phone number Melissa?	