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**Resource List for Protecting Your Online Presence**

**Social Media**

Basic Privacy Settings & Tools: Facebook Help Center

<https://www.facebook.com/help/325807937506242/>

What you really sign up for when you use social media

<http://www.cnbc.com/2015/05/20/what-you-really-sign-up-for-when-you-use-social-media.html>

**Private Browsing**

Apple/Mac/iOS

<https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT203036>

<https://support.apple.com/kb/PH19216?locale=en_US>

Firefox

<https://support.mozilla.org/en-US/kb/private-browsing-use-firefox-without-history>

Google Chrome

<https://support.google.com/chrome/answer/95464?hl=en>

Internet Explorer/Microsoft

<http://windows.microsoft.com/en-us/internet-explorer/products/ie-9/features/in-private>

Disconnect Browser Extension (free and premium versions available) protects from hackers and trackers

<https://disconnect.me/>

**Domains and Authority**

The Difference Between .com, .net, .org, etc.

<http://www.howtogeek.com/126670/the-difference-between-.com-.net-.org-and-why-were-about-to-see-many-more-top-level-domains/>

**General Resources Concerning Security and Privacy**

OLA Intellectual Freedom Toolkit includes Privacy section full of resources

<http://www.olaweb.org/intellectual-freedom-toolkit>

Portland Community College: Privacy Online (explains who is tracking you and how)

<http://guides.pcc.edu/privacy>

Portland Community College Information Security Resources

<http://www.pcc.edu/resources/tss/info-security/>

Google’s Privacy Policy includes what information, of yours, they share with others

<https://www.google.com/policies/privacy/?hl=en>

**American Library Association**

ALA Privacy Toolkit includes section for School Libraries

<http://www.ala.org/advocacy/privacyconfidentiality/toolkitsprivacy/privacy>

ALA Choose Privacy Week includes relevant articles and posts year round

<https://chooseprivacyweek.org/>

ALA Privacy, Surveillance, and Cybersecurity

<http://www.ala.org/advocacy/advleg/federallegislation/privacy>

**More Resources for Educators**

Internet Keep Safe Coalition: Resources for Teachers concerning privacy and child protection acts

<http://ikeepsafe.org/>

[iKeepSafe Privacy K-12 Curriculum Matrix](http://ikeepsafe.org/privacy-k-12-curriculum-matrix/) : Outlines age appropriate ways to teach students about online privacy and security

<http://ikeepsafe.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/PDF_iKeepSafe-Privacy-K-12-Curriculum-Matrix_8.05.2015.pdf>

**Password Management**

Dashlane: Free Password Manager (free for one device, fee for syncing multiple devices)

<https://www.dashlane.com/>

LastPass: Password Manager (free for one device, affordable Premium version only $12/yr. to sync multiple devices)

<https://lastpass.com/>

How to create a strong password from How-To Geek

<http://www.howtogeek.com/195430/how-to-create-a-strong-password-and-remember-it/>

**Search engines that don’t track you**

DuckDuckGo

<https://duckduckgo.com/>

startpage

<https://startpage.com/>

**Next Level Software for Protecting Anonymity**

[Tails](https://tails.boum.org/index.en.html): The Amnesiac Incognito Live System (free)

<https://tails.boum.org/>

Tor (free, open source)

https://www.torproject.org/

**Legislation**

Children’s Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA)

<https://www.ftc.gov/tips-advice/business-center/privacy-and-security/children's-privacy>

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

<http://www2.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/fpco/ferpa/index.html>

**Free Publications**

Federal Trade Commission publications for consumers with Parent/Teacher section for preserving online safety, security, and privacy

<https://bulkorder.ftc.gov/>

**Product Reviews**

PCMag: Excellent source for looking up specific or browsing reviews and comparing products.

<http://www.pcmag.com/>

**Current issues and articles regarding privacy and security**

American Libraries Magazine. “Toward the Post-Privacy Library? Public policy and technical pragmatics of tracking and marketing”

by Eric Hellman - June 16, 2015

<http://americanlibrariesmagazine.org/2015/06/16/toward-the-post-privacy-library/>

ACLU on NSA Surveillance

<https://www.aclu.org/issues/national-security/privacy-and-surveillance/nsa-surveillance>

SaveCrypto.org: a new national campaign opposing federal surveillance “co-launched by ALA”

<https://savecrypto.org/>