

June is Internet Safety Month





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INTERNET SAFETY: CLICK ON THE REALITY

MYTHS

-  Most Internet access is monitored.
-  The PC is most commonly used to access the Internet.
-  "My child has never been harassed or harassed anyone online."
-  Cyberbullying is harmless.

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REALITY

-  47% of surveyed parents admit they have a limited ability to monitor Internet access.
-  The Internet can be accessed using cell phones, blackberrys, PDAs and i-Phones.
-  58% of surveyed students admitted using the Internet unsafely, inappropriately, and illegally, and 43% admitted being cyberbullied.
-  The impact of cyberbullying can cause depression, a drop in grades, loss of self esteem, and other violent acts.



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