

# Can you tell what's real and what's a scam?

## LET'S PLAY!



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### GAME RULES

1. Print this quiz or play it on a tablet/phone.
2. Read each scenario together (Parent vs. Kid).
3. Each person guesses if it's Safe or Suspicious.
4. Reveal the correct answer and discuss why!
5. Keep score for fun — but the real prize is awareness.

#### ROUND 1

##### FRIEND REQUEST FRENZY

**Scenario:** You get a friend request from someone who has no profile picture, only two followers, and just joined the platform last week. They claim to be a friend of a friend.

✓ Safe or ✗ Suspicious?

**ANSWER:** ✗ Suspicious

**WHY:** Scammers often create fake accounts to gain trust and access more personal info.

#### ROUND 2

##### TEXT MESSAGE TROUBLE

**Scenario:** You get a text that says: "[Amazon] Your package delivery failed. Click here to confirm address: bit.ly/amz-verify"

✓ Safe or ✗ Suspicious?

**ANSWER:** ✗ Suspicious

**WHY:** Official companies never send shortened links or request info this way. This is a phishing scam

#### ROUND 3

##### INSTA INVITE

**Scenario:** A popular influencer DMs you offering a chance to join their exclusive fan club. All you have to do is fill out a short form with your name, birthday, and school.

✓ Safe or ✗ Suspicious?

**ANSWER:** ✗ Suspicious

**WHY:** Asking for personal info in DMs is a red flag, especially from someone you don't know in real life.

## ROUND 4

### GAMING GROOMER

**Scenario:** You've been playing a multiplayer game with someone for weeks. They've been really nice and recently asked if you want to video chat or exchange photos.

✓ Safe or ✗ Suspicious?

**ANSWER:** ✗ Suspicious

**WHY:** This is a common grooming tactic. Just because someone seems friendly doesn't mean they are safe.

## ROUND 5

### TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE

**Scenario:** You see an ad that says, "Congratulations! You've been selected to win a free iPad. Just enter your email and phone number to claim."

✓ Safe or ✗ Suspicious?

**ANSWER:** ✗ Suspicious

**WHY:** These are often bait to collect personal data and flood you with scams.

## ROUND 6

### SAFE OR SMART?

**Scenario:** You want to post a picture of you and your friends at the pool, but you're all wearing swimsuits. You tag your school and location.

✓ Safe or ✗ Suspicious?

**ANSWER:** ✗ Suspicious

**WHY:** Even innocent photos can be misused. Avoid posting images that show too much or reveal where you are in real-time.

## SCORECARD



**5-6 CORRECT =**  
Scam Spotter Pro

**3-4 CORRECT =**  
Almost There

**0-2 CORRECT =**  
Time for a Family  
Safety Talk!

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