

Activities for 11-13s

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Activity 1: Live streaming tweets

- Read 'Live streaming' Thinkuknow article – www.thinkuknow.co.uk/11_13/need-advice/live-streaming.
- Use the information in the article to write three tweets aimed at young people. The tweets should contain key information about staying safe on a live stream. They should also include:
 - A maximum of 280 characters – this is the limit set up by Twitter and includes letters, numbers and spaces.
 - A link to the Thinkuknow article so that young people can find out more.
 - Supportive information that does not blame or scare young people.

- For example, the following tweet has been written using information from the 'Things to think about' section of the article:

Some people use live streaming to record crimes or behaviour that could be upsetting to other people. If you see a live video that upsets you, speak to an adult you trust. Find out more about safe live streaming here - thinkuknow.co.uk/11_13/need-advice/live-streaming (268 characters).

- If you're able to, help a friend learn more about live streaming by sending them the tweets you've written.

Activity 2: Dealing with pressure on a live stream

- Read 'Dealing with pressure' Thinkuknow article – www.thinkuknow.co.uk/need-advice/dealing-with-pressure-online.
- Create a vlog (a short video of you talking to the camera) or presentation for young people your age on how to deal with pressure on a live stream, using information from the 'Dealing with pressure' article to help you. You may wish to include information about:
 - What pressure on a live stream might look like.
 - What a young person can do if people keep asking them to do things they don't feel comfortable with.
 - How to block and report people on popular live streaming apps.
- Share your vlog or presentation with a parent or carer. When they have seen it, help them learn more about the topic by asking them if they have any questions about live streaming.

About Thinkuknow

Thinkuknow is the online safety education programme from the National Crime Agency. You'll find lots of support and advice for young people at www.thinkuknow.co.uk.

If you are worried or upset by anything that's happened online, talk to a trusted adult or call Childline on 0800 1111.

If you are concerned about sexual abuse or the way an adult has been communicating with you online, also talk to a trusted adult, or report to us at CEOP – www.ceop.police.uk.

Parents and carers: Once a fortnight, on Tuesdays, we will produce an activity sheet to help you support your child while schools are partially closed. There's also plenty of advice for parents and carers on keeping your child safe online at www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents.