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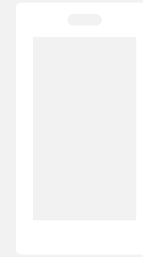


# Tips for A Child's Social Media Account

## Official "App Store"

Make sure you are downloading or installing from the official AppStore or Google Play Store. If your child wants you to download from a website, it's likely to be fake and/or malicious software they may steal your information

"APP"  
STORE



## Friend & Family opinion

Consider asking friends and family for their opinion, by sharing the app with them. You may be guided by other people's experiences

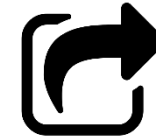


### InstaMedia

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Install

Share



4.0 out of 5



2,076 Reviews

Age  
12+

## Reviews

The higher the review rating, the better an overall experience a user has had on the App. Try reading a few to see how you feel, remember to balance the reviews with positives and negatives

## Try it

Why not try and Install the app yourself? Firstly, to know how it works and looks, secondly, you can monitor their account from your phone if you install it.

## Age Ratings

Age Ratings are important, if the age is 12+ (like most social media apps are) then that is because of the potential exposure to content that is not suitable for people who are younger

## ? Usernames

Is their Username giving away personal information like your name or age?

## ? Privacy Settings

Is the account Private? Automatically set to Public, you should find out with them and learn how to set it to Private

## ? Chatting Online

Who are they talking to? Can they add other people? If so, check in on a regular basis to see who they are adding. Ask them the question "Do you know that person in real life?"



## ? Content

Are you happy with the content? Check it with them, how do they feel with what they are seeing?

## ? Report

How can you report? Find out how and show them how to do it