

Find my phone

Did you know that you can set up location settings on your phone (and for your child) so you can share your location and find out where they are? Talk to your child about why you are setting this up and when and why you will check their location. Find out more using the links below.

Apple: iCloud - Find My - Apple (UK)

or use this link if you have Family Sharing set up: [Share your location with your family – Apple Support \(UK\)](#)

Android: Be ready to find a lost Android device - Android Help (google.com)

or use this link if you have Family Link set up: [Find & manage your child's location - Google For Families Help](#)

Don't share passwords

Does your child understand that they should not share their passwords with others? The risks include the other user viewing personal information about your child, they could take control of your child's account by changing the password and then use the account inappropriately or they could spend money from your child's account.

Learn more here: [How can I keep my account secure? | Childnet](#)

Gaming – has your child been offered gifts?

It has been known for offenders to gift children items (such as loot boxes) whilst playing online games. They may do this to develop trust and a relationship with your child. This can be part of the grooming process.

Thinkuknow offer further guidance:

- Gaming: what parents and carers need to know ([thinkuknow.co.uk](https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk))
- in-game chat ([thinkuknow.co.uk](https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk))