



Activities for 8-10s

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Activity 1: Positive and negative attention

- Explain to your child that this week's activity is going to explore different types of attention. Discuss the meaning of the word 'attention' (where someone takes notice of you). Explain that sometimes people get attention for doing positive things (e.g. helping a friend; putting effort into a piece of work) but sometimes people might do negative things to get attention. Can they think of any examples?
- Now point out that when someone gives somebody else attention, this can also be positive (e.g. saying well done) or negative (e.g. making a mean comment, paying them too much attention, or trying to put pressure or persuade them to do something they might not want to do).
- Read the task on p.2 with your child, and ask them to complete the activity. Discuss their answers using p.4 to help you, Explain the importance of telling a trusted adult if they experience negative attention online or if anything worries or upsets them.

Activity 2: Battle of the Bands: Selfie's livestreamed show

- This activity recaps the learning from both Activity 1 on this sheet, and Home Activity Pack 2 (find at: www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/support-tools/home-activity-worksheets/8-10s/)
- Read the scenario on p.4 with your child and ask them to write a message to Selfie to advise them on what they should think about when live streaming their performance (e.g. privacy settings, understanding the difference between positive and negative attention). They can also use the 8-10s website to help them: www.thinkuknow.co.uk/8_10/stay-safe/

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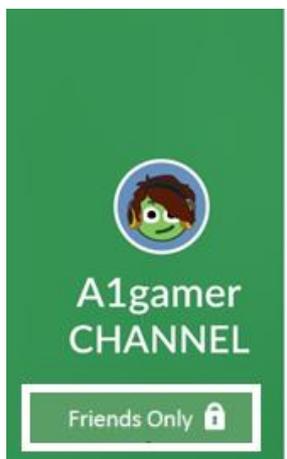
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Positive and negative attention

Alfie is live streaming while playing his favourite game. He notices some comments on his stream. Can you help him decide if these are examples of positive attention or negative attention?



	Positive attention	Negative attention
Ellie comments saying that Alfie is really funny and she likes watching him gaming		
Someone has sent Alfie 20 messages saying he has to live stream and play games with him		
One of Alfie's friends comments to tell people how Alfie helpful was when he was trying to get to the next level in the game		
Someone in Alfie's class keeps offering him lots of emojis and gifts in return for his password		
One of the Popcorn Wizards comments asking him to make fun of their teacher on his live stream. They tell him it will get more people to watch him		
Alfie's mum comments to say how confident he is when live streaming		



Answers

	Positive/negative attention?
Ellie comments saying that Alfie is really funny and she likes watching him gaming	Positive Ellie is a trusted friend, and is paying him a positive compliment.
Someone has sent Alfie 20 messages saying he has to live stream and play games with him	Negative Someone is putting Alfie under pressure to do something he doesn't want to do. It is best for Alfie to ignore this person and block them, and to tell a trusted adult.
One of Alfie's friends comments to tell people how helpful Alfie was when he was trying to get to the next level in the game	Positive Alfie's friend is doing something kind: telling people that Alfie is a good friend.
Someone in Alfie's class keeps offering him lots of emojis and gifts in return for his password	Negative This is an example of someone putting Alfie under pressure to do something. Alfie should never share his password with anyone. Alfie should ignore this person or say no, and tell a trusted adult.
One of the Popcorn Wizards comments asking him to make fun of their teacher on his live stream. They tell him it will get more people to watch him.	Negative This is an example of someone putting Alfie under pressure to do something mean. Alfie should ignore this person or say no, and tell a trusted adult.
Alfie's mum comments to say how confident he is when live streaming	Positive Alfie's mum is saying something positive - how good he is at doing something.

