

# RAISING DIGITALLY RESPONSIBLE LEARNERS

This presentation for parents will focus on all things digital



CONNECTING STUDENTS  
TO THEIR FUTURE

Thursday March 8, 2018

## YOU ARE INVITED

Your child has now entered into their digital media lives, where cell phone ownership doubles, video game use explodes and they dive into the world of social media and hypertexting. Your child is rapidly developing their personal identity with cell phone in hand and you need to be prepared. Family rules, parental controls and developing a family tech plan will be outlined as well as recommendations for monitoring your teen's digital life.

As a parent, you must lead the charge as a digital role model and help your child develop a strong digital citizenship foundation while reminding them that their digital footprint is a reflection of their real and online selves. At this age, they will encounter situations that will challenge their independence, including cyberbullying (and more commonly – cyberexclusion), the dangers of anonymity, privacy, sharing intimate images, and inappropriate websites, and you need to be there to provide support and guidance during this critical period. Finally, to better equip you for your digital parenting strategy, a snapshot of the current trends and concerning apps will be provided.



## ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Nick Chernoff's background working in schools started with his role in the Surrey School District in the Safe Schools Department as a Safe School Liaison where he spent five years of his career. He also worked as an outreach worker for youth at-risk of gang involvement with the Surrey WRAP program. Nick has been a member of the Canadian Forces for over five years in the Infantry Regiment and works closely with various Military Intelligence Units.

As a member of the Safer Schools Together team, Nick specializing in Social Media Awareness and Digital Data Collection. As a lead analyst, he collects social media data that is used to assist schools both in Canada and the United States in addressing worrisome and threat-related online behaviours. As a speaker, he provides presentations and workshops to students, staff and parents on social media awareness and online personal and public safety.



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6:30pm – 8:30pm  
**This session is 90 minutes  
with an additional 30  
minutes for Questions &  
Answers**



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