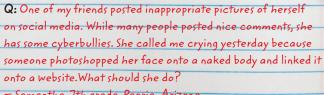
## ASK MASK With cyberstalking And Growth



Q: I have been talking online with this girl for the last few months. She tells me she loves me and she can't wait to meet in real life. Should I meether?

- Damien, 8th grade, Cave Creek, Arizona

A: Damien, it seems that you really like this girl, but how do you know that she is who she says she is? I would recommend that you DO NOT meet this girl face-to-face for your safety—she could be a predator. You never know who people are online. But if you decide to go even though it is not safe, do not go alone. Tell your trusted adult where you're going, have an exit strategy, and meet her in a public place.



- Samantha, 7th grade, Peoria, Arizona

A: This is serious. The first thing she needs to do is tell a trusted adult and call the police and ask for Internet Crimes Against Children. Then report it as spam through whatever social media site the photo was posted to. Whoever did that can be charged

Q: My best friend got a picture from this guy that she really likes. He sent her a naked photo of himself and she has been showing it to people in the halls. Is that ok?

- Amanda, 7th grade, Tulsa, Oklahoma

A: As her good friend, you should tell her that what she is doing is illegal. Remember, she can be convicted of distributing child pornography and kids go to jail for stuff like this. Tell her to delete the photo and tell him not to do that ever again.

## MASK Prep Notes

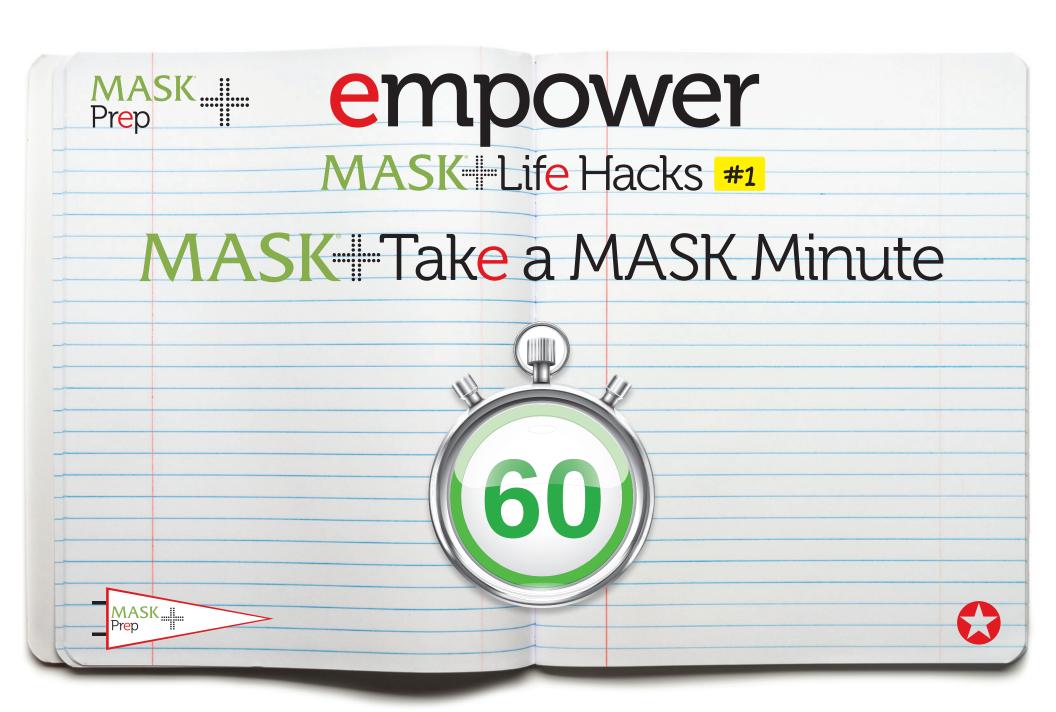
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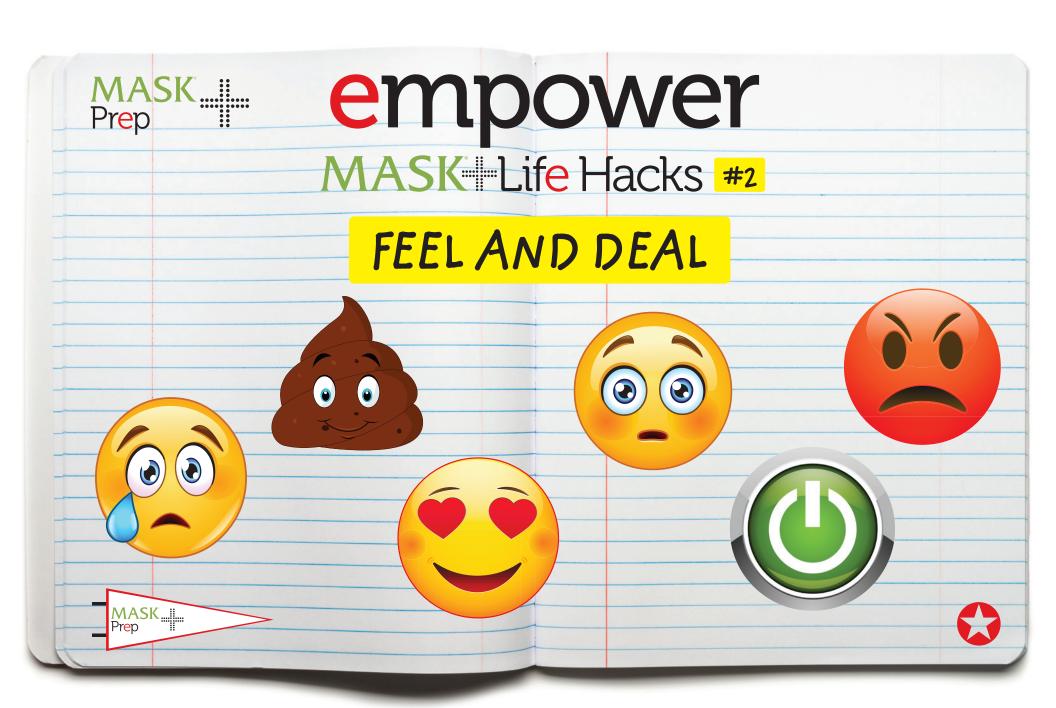


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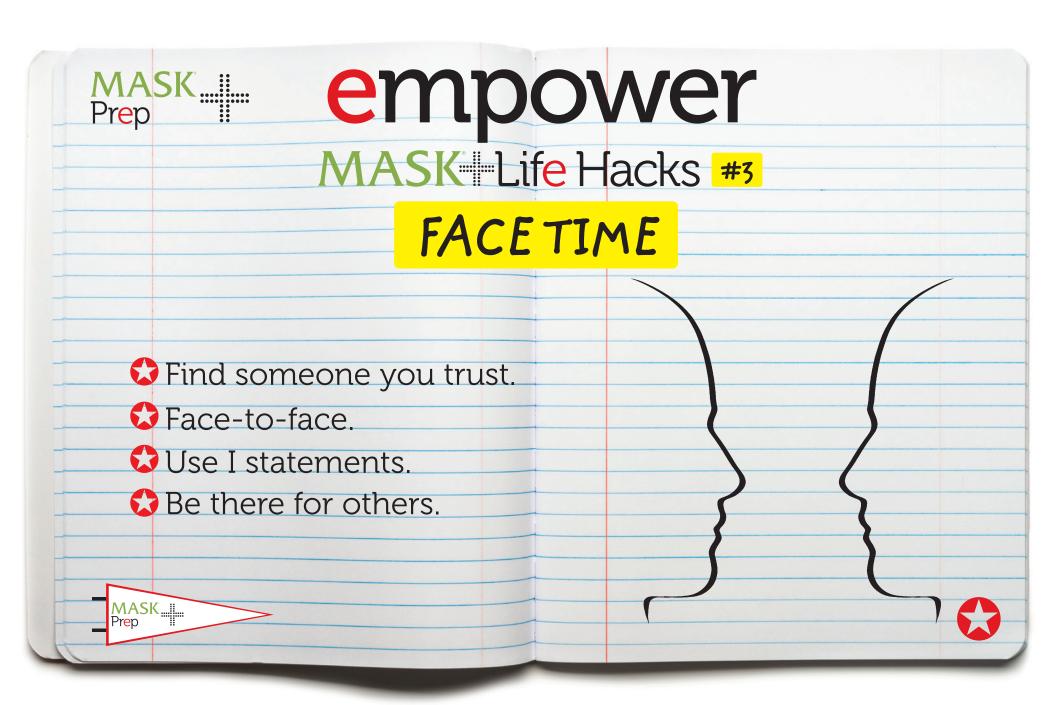


















## MASK Resources

REPORT SUSPICION OF CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION
TO YOUR LOCAL POLICE, YOUR ICAC (INTERNET CRIMES
AGAINST CHILDREN) TASK FORCE

NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN'S CYBERTIPLINE: WWW.CYBERTIPLINE.COM OR 1-800-843-5678

TEEN LIFELINE: 1-800-248-8336

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