

Keeping *Your* Kids Safe *On-Line*

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Your Challenge

- Convey and demonstrate good Internet safety practices to your children.
- Strike a balance between privacy and supervision with your child(ren).
- Learn your way around your computer.
 - Ask your child,
 - Take a class,
 - or find someone who can show you.

12 Rules for On-Line Internet Safety

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 1

- Do not make the mistake of using the computer as a babysitter.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 2

- Never allow children (including teenagers) to have unsupervised access to the Internet.
 - Keep the computer in a public area of the home, never in a child's bedroom.
 - Make it a habit to periodically, and without warning, observe what they are doing on the Internet.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 3

- Use the Internet as a group or family activity in which all members of the household can participate.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 4

- Learn the services provided by your Internet Service Provider (ISP) or On-Line Service, so that you know how it works.
 - Determine whether the system allows you to block your child from accessing certain areas, such as chat rooms and newsgroups, and take advantage of those types of services.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 5

- Instruct children that whenever they communicate on-line, they should **NEVER** give out identifying information.
 - i.e. phone numbers, addresses, last names, social security numbers, or names of the schools they attend.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 6

- Remind children that whatever they are told on-line may or may not be true.
 - A person who states that she is a 12 year old girl may, in fact, be a 50 year old man.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 7

- Never respond to messages or bulletin board postings that are suggestive, obscene, belligerent, or harassing.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 8

- Children should never upload pictures of themselves to people that they do not personally know.
 - They could be sending it to a predator.
 - It could be “recycled” or posted on the web.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 9

- Instruct your child never to arrange a face to face meeting with someone they have met on the Internet.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 10

- Children should never download pictures from an unknown source as there is a good chance that it is pornography.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 11

- Monitor the times of day that a child accesses the Internet or on-line service, and the duration of his or her on-line session.
 - Excessive time on-line, especially during the evening or late night hours, may be indicative of a problem.

On-line Safety for Children

Rule 12

- If you become suspicious that your child is misusing the computer, discuss your concerns with the child.
 - If warranted, consider examining the computer for inappropriate material.

Internet Parenting 101

(or, what you have to know to be half as smart as your Internet generation child)

Do you know .gif?

What we will cover:

- Windows 95/98 using Internet Explorer
 - The Basics
 - Hard Drive
 - Start Menu and Desktop
 - Internet Explorer
- Chat and Messengers

Warning!

- This is not a complete list for all sources of information on your computer.
- If you do not fully understand what you are doing in the sub-directories or areas we are referring to:
 - *Do Not Delete, Rename, Or Change Any File Or Setting On Your Computer!*

The Basics

- Always use virus scanning software!
- Be careful of unknown file types, especially “executable” and “script” program files:
 - .exe, .vbs, .js, etc.
- No matter what you find, don’t delete any files or jump to any conclusions.
 - There may be a simple explanation for what you find but, if not, your computer may be the only evidence of the suspect’s crime.

The Basics

- Browser
 - Software used to navigate the Internet (WWW)
 - Microsoft “Internet Explorer”
 - Netscape “Navigator”
 - Others
- Operating System
 - Windows, Macintosh, Linux, etc.
- Clicking the Mouse
 - Single, double, right, what?

Your Hard Drive

- Program files
- Temporary files
- Cookies

Double Click the "My Computer" icon



My Computer

Displays the contents of your computer.



My Documents



Internet Explorer



Network Neighborhood



MindSpring 4.0



Recycle Bin

Start

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Paint Shop Pro

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- My Computer
- My Documents
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- Recycle Bin

Double Click "Drive_c C:"

The screenshot shows the 'My Computer' window with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Go, Favorites, Help) and navigation buttons (Back, Forward, Up, Cut, Copy). The address bar shows 'My Computer'. A table lists the drives and folders:

Name	Type	Total
3½ Floppy (A:)	3½ Inch Floppy Disk	
3½ Floppy (B:)	3½ Inch Floppy Disk	
Drive_c C:	Local Disk	12
(D:)	CD-ROM Disc	
(E:)	CD-ROM Disc	
Printers	System Folder	
Control Panel	System Folder	
Dial-Up Networking	System Folder	
KODAK DC265 Zo...	System Folder	
My Digital Camera	System Folder	
Scheduled Tasks	System Folder	

The status bar at the bottom indicates '11 object(s)' and 'My Compute'.

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Double Click "Program Files"



Drive_c (C:)

File Edit View Go Favorites Help

Back Forward Up Cut Copy

Address C:\

Name	Size	Type
parents		File
Program Files		File
psfonts		File
Recycled		Rec

1 object(s) selected My Compute



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File Edit View Go Favorites Help

Back Forward Up Cut Copy Paste Undo Delete Properties

Address C:\Program Files

Program Files

Warning

Modifying the contents of this folder may cause your programs to stop working correctly.

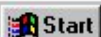
To add or remove programs, click Start, point to Settings, click Control Panel, and then click **Add/Remove Programs**.

Select an item to view its description.

3Com I-modem	Accessories	AccessRamp	AT&T Global Network
AXIS Utilities	Chat	Common Files	DBG_Setup
DirectCD	Directx	Easy CD Creator	eFax Messeng...
Excite	FrontPage Express	lcoq	InstallShield Installatio...
Internet Explorer	Iomega Tools	Kodak	Messenger
Microsoft Internet E...	Microsoft Office	MindSpring 4.0	Mjuice Media Player
Msmq	NetMACE	NetMeeting	NetZero

11.0KB My Computer

Is there anything unusual here?



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Paint Shop Pro - 3-program...

Program Files



12:40 PM

Locate the
c:\windows\temp
directory

Name	Size	Type	Modified	Attributes
_istmp0.dir		File Folder	3/20/00 3:00 PM	
_istmp1.dir		File Folder	11/22/99 10:54 AM	
_istmp2.dir		File Folder	4/26/00 12:28 PM	
_istmp3.dir		File Folder	7/14/00 8:37 PM	
~exb0000		File Folder	9/21/99 6:30 PM	
Cache		File Folder	3/20/00 3:00 PM	
Dc265.tmp		File Folder	11/22/99 11:05 AM	
Getdata		File Folder	12/30/99 4:12 PM	
install		File Folder	4/12/00 6:20 PM	
netzero		File Folder	9/28/99 3:03 PM	
pft5341~TMP		File Folder	7/14/00 8:37 PM	
pft65~TMP		File Folder	3/20/00 3:00 PM	
pftC206~TMP		File Folder	4/26/00 12:28 PM	
Saved		File Folder	3/20/00 3:00 PM	
tmp1193		File Folder	1/7/00 10:17 AM	
Vbe		File Folder	10/14/99 11:49 PM	
Word8.0		File Folder	10/14/99 11:49 PM	
_setup.1	631KB	1 File	3/23/97 12:02 AM	A
_setup.lib	196KB	LIB File	3/23/97 12:02 AM	A
~df1288.tmp	2KB	TMP File	12/21/99 11:41 PM	A
~df129b.tmp	0KB	TMP File	12/21/99 11:41 PM	A
~df14c5.tmp	0KB	TMP File	11/2/99 8:42 AM	A
40Comupd.exe	428KB	Application	1/21/99 9:31 AM	A
50comupd.exe	499KB	Application	1/5/00 3:17 PM	A
910A7F0C.txt	40KB	Text Document	4/14/00 7:21 PM	A

Is there anything
unusual here?

Cookies

Is there anything unusual here?

Files, Dates, Times

- What are they?
 - Information stored on your computer by web sites to later identify you to the website

Name	Internet Address	Type	Size	Expires	Last Modified	Last Accessed	Last Checked
28@morningstar.com	Cookie:28@morningstar.com/	Text Document	1 KB	5/20/02 9:00 PM	10/4/00 6:59 PM	10/4/00 6:59 PM	10/4/00 6:59 PM
28@www.co.ba.md.us	Cookie:28@www.co.ba.md.us/	Text Document	1 KB	9/26/37 7:00 PM	10/5/00 3:47 PM	10/5/00 3:47 PM	10/5/00 3:47 PM
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28@www.stileproject.com	Cookie:28@www.stileproject.com/	Text Document	1 KB	10/23/05 11:48 AM	10/23/00 11:48 AM	10/23/00 11:48 AM	10/23/00 11:48 AM
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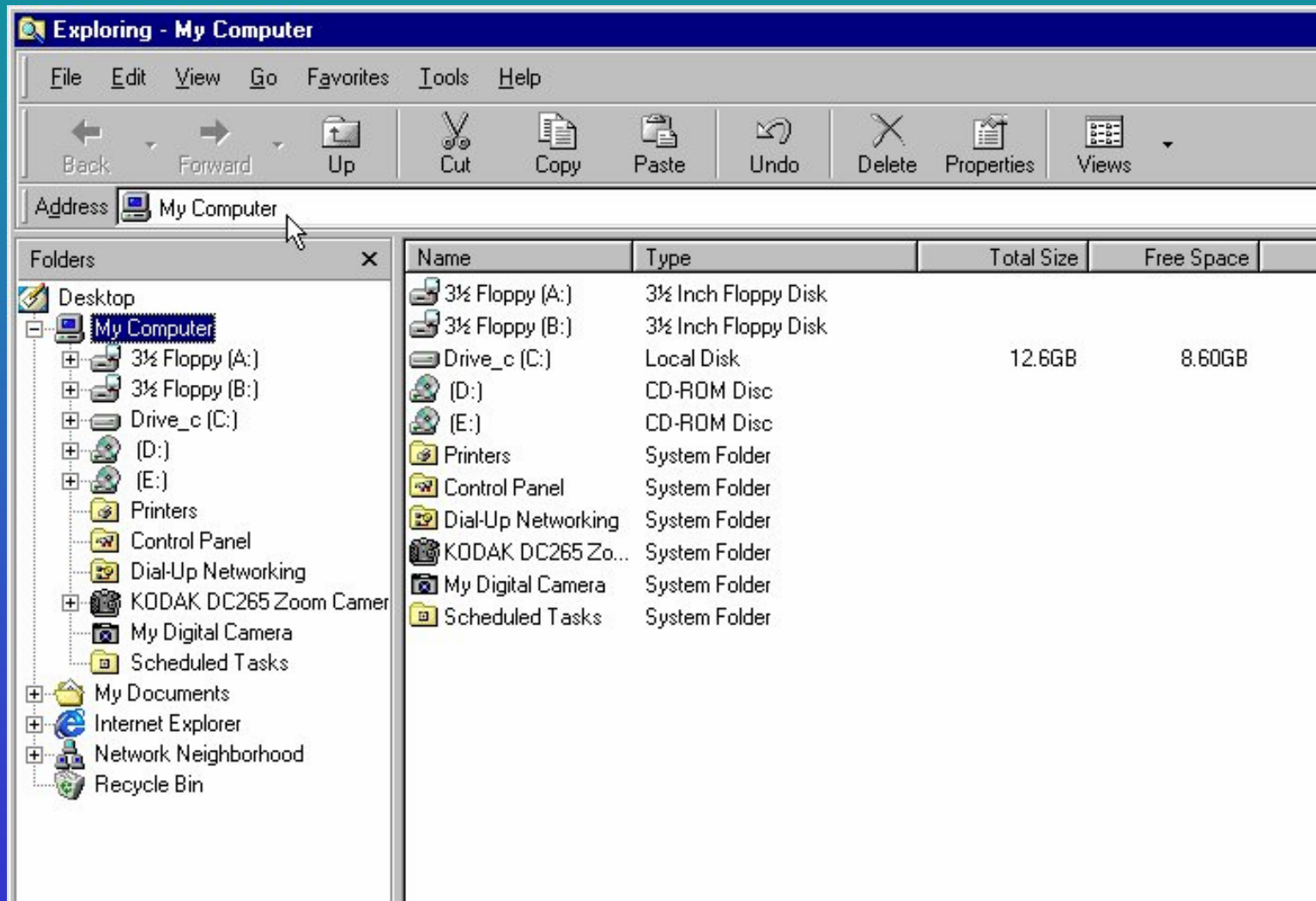
302 object(s)

“Explore”



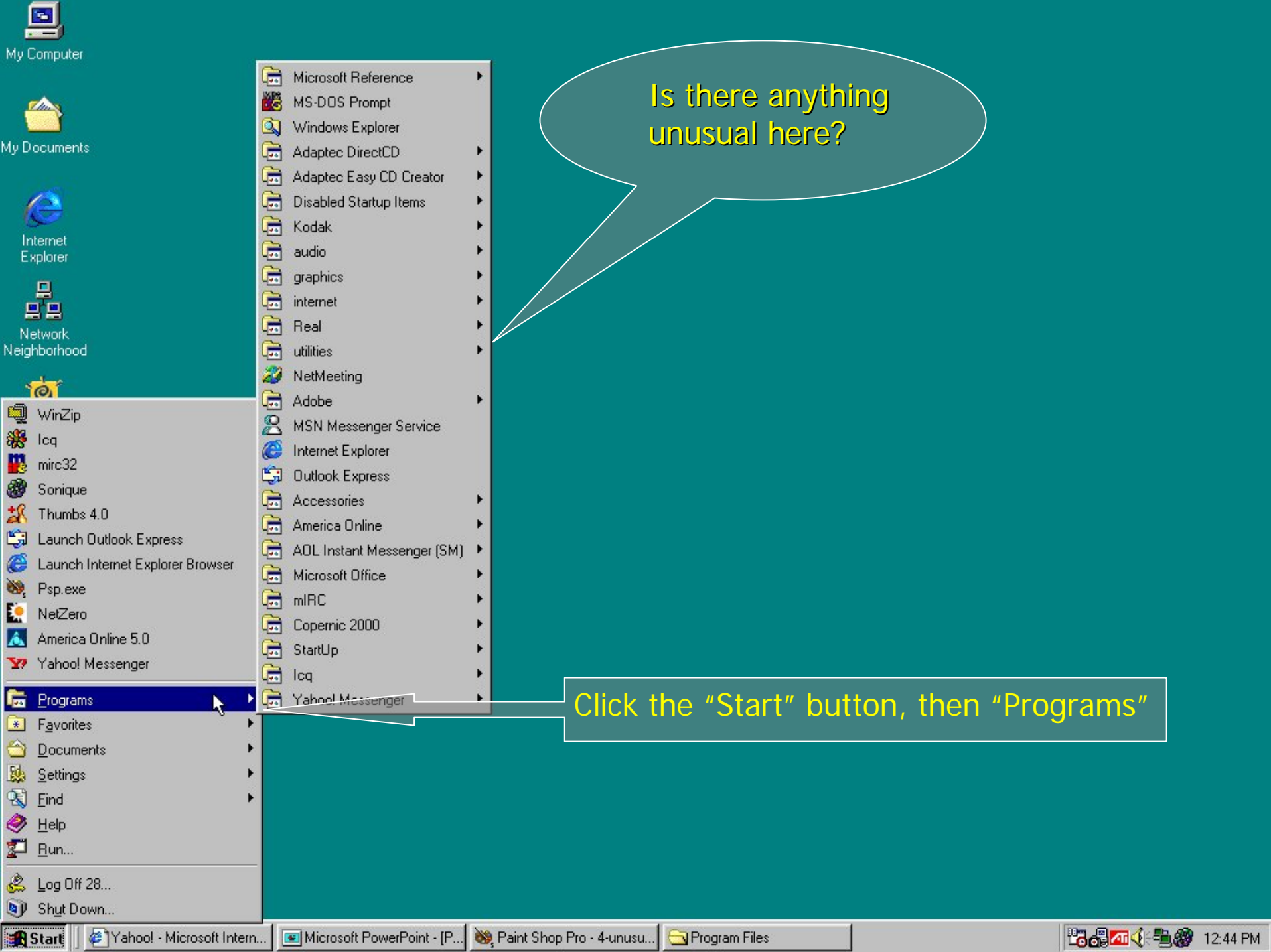
Right Click the “My Computer”
icon, then click Explore

“Exploring”



Your Start Menu and Desktop

- Start Menu Programs
- Start Menu Documents
- Cookies



Is there anything unusual here?

Click the "Start" button, then "Programs"



My Computer



My Documents



Internet Explorer



Network Neighborhood



- WinZip
- lq
- mir32
- Sonique
- Thumbs 4.0
- Launch Outlook Express
- Launch Internet Explorer Browser
- Psp.exe
- NetZero
- America Online 5.0
- Yahoo! Messenger
- Programs
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- Documents**
- Settings
- Find
- Help
- Run...
- Log Off 28...
- Shut Down...

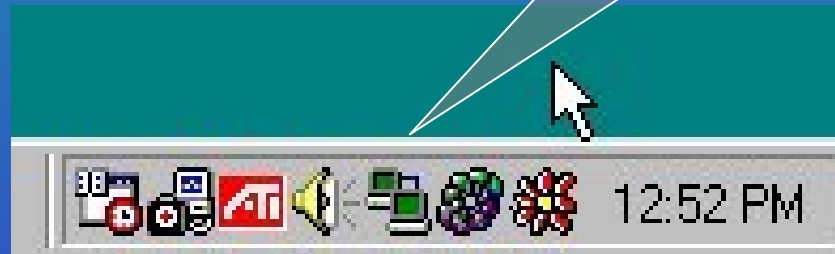
- My Documents
- NikitaPlus.Theme
- Parents.ppt
- island.jpg
- About Killing.avi
- Bumper Stickers.doc
- 2-c_drive.jpg
- 3-program_files.jpg
- 4-unusual_programs.jpg
- my_computer.jpg
- 5-programs.jpg

Is there anything unusual here?

Click the "Start" button, then "Documents"

System Tray

Is there anything unusual here?



Internet Explorer

- History
- Favorites
- Plug-ins

History

View Search

Today

- anarchist (www.anarchist.com)
- auto.search.msn (auto.search.msn.com)
- backstreetboys (www.backstreetboys.com)
- boys (www.boys.ru)
- dir.yahoo (dir.yahoo.com)
- fbi (www.fbi.gov)
- go (www.go.com)
- google.yahoo (google.yahoo.com)
- hansonline (www.hansonline.com)
- icq.americangreetings (www.icq.americangreetings.com)
- kukluxklan (www.kukluxklan.org)
- lc3.law5.hotmail.passport (lc3.law5.hotmail.passport.com)
- lw11fd.law11.hotmail.msn (lw11fd.law11.hotmail.msn.c...)
- members.aol (members.aol.com)
- my.yahoo (my.yahoo.com)
- napster (www.napster.com)
- playstation (www.playstation.com)
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- search.yahoo (search.yahoo.com)
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Marketplace

- [Get your own Web domain](#)
- [Yahoo! PayDirect](#) - send and receive money online
- [Y! Travel](#) - buy tickets, check arrival times

Broadcast Events

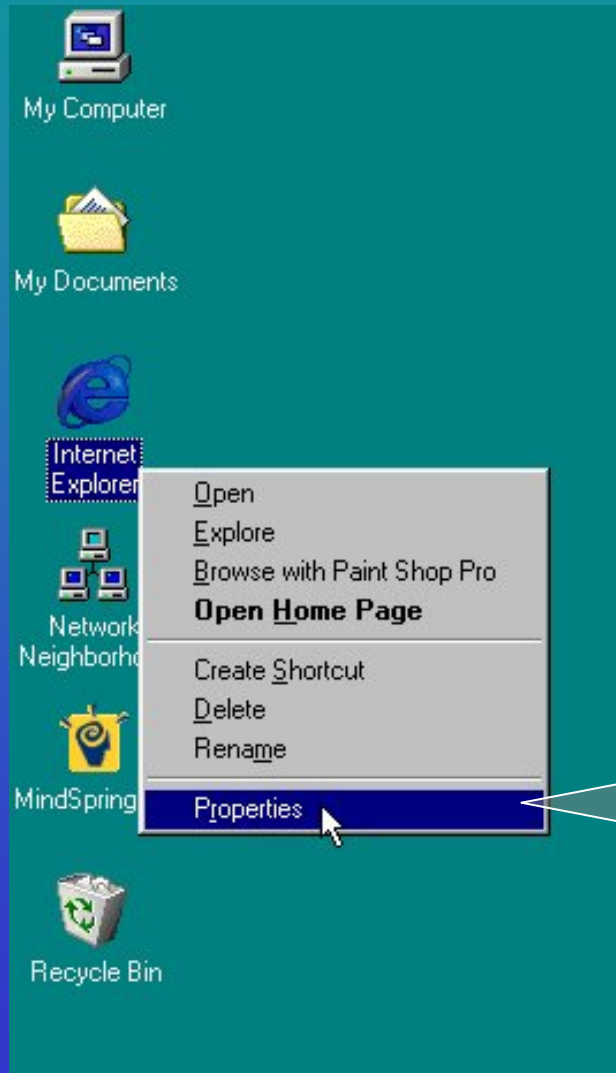
- 7pm ET : Illinois vs. [Michigan](#)
- 8pm : [Devils](#) vs. [Blues](#)
- 10pm : [Stanford](#) vs. [Washington](#) [more...](#)

Inside Yahoo!

Remember!

- Suspicious web sites and files are not the only indicators of possible abuses.
- A completely empty history file or documents menu may also be an indication if the child has the skill to delete these items or has been told by a suspect how to do so.

Setting Internet Explorer Properties



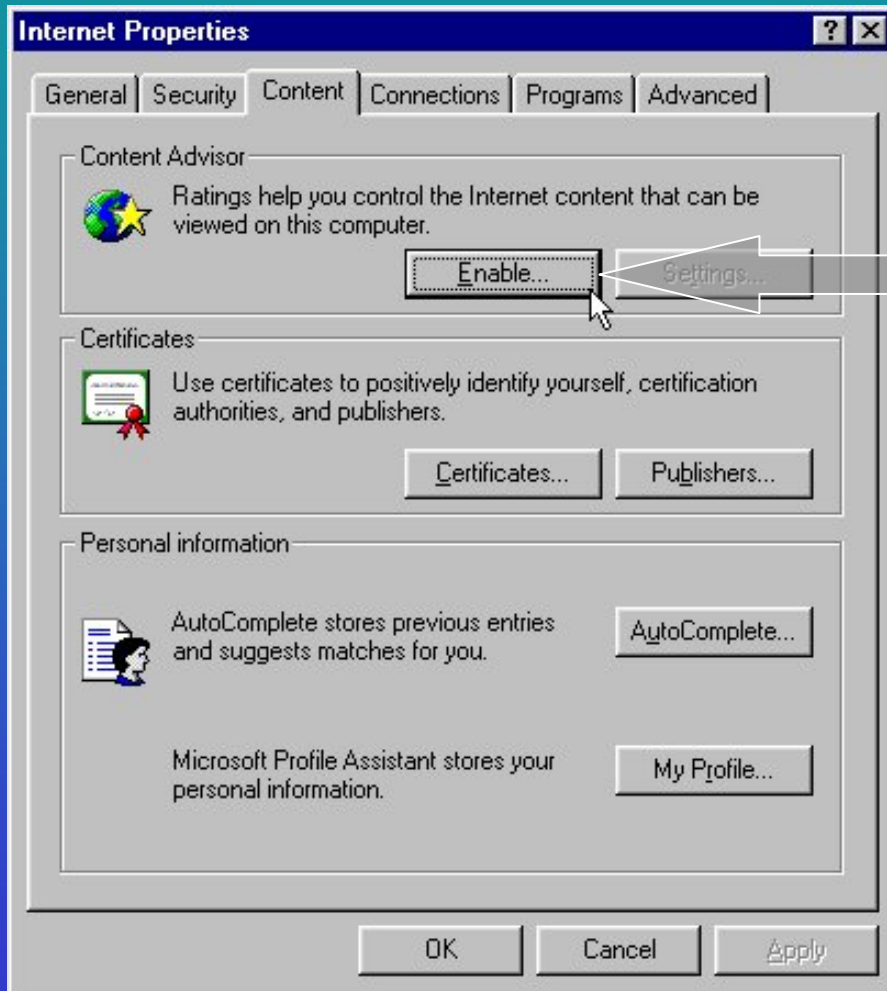
Right Click the "Internet Explorer" icon, then click "Properties"

Setting Internet Explorer Properties



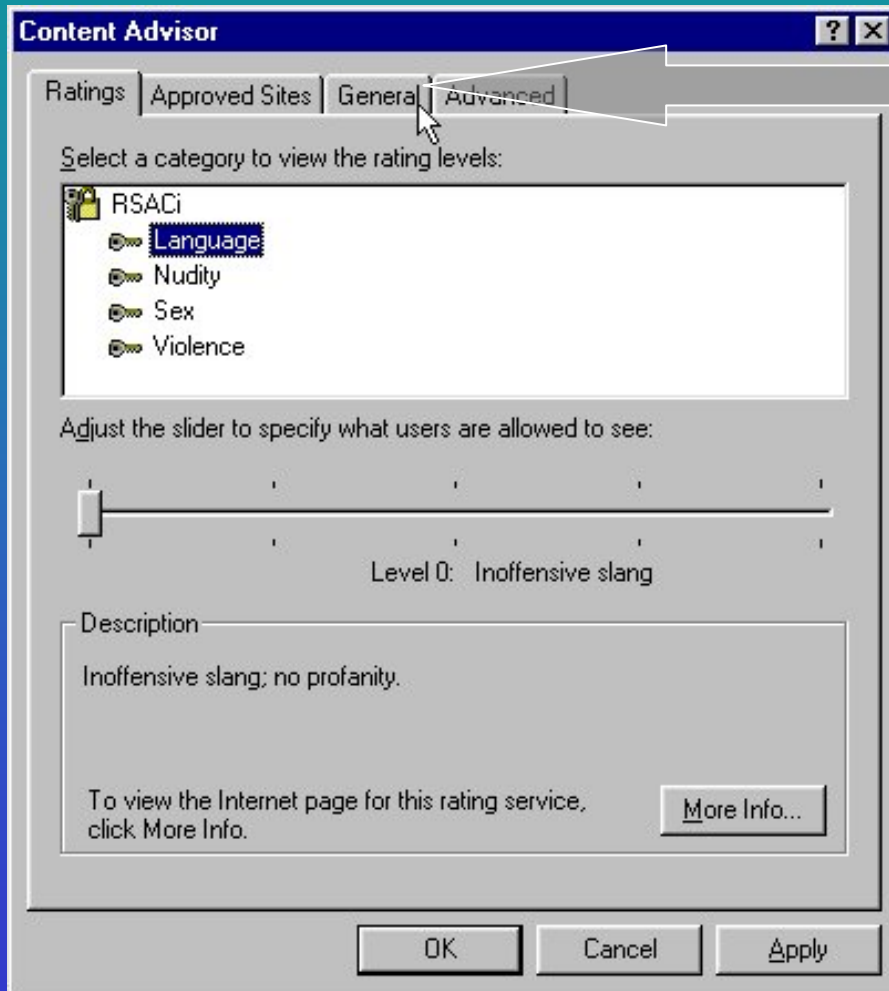
Be certain "History" is set for at least 20 days

Setting Internet Explorer Properties



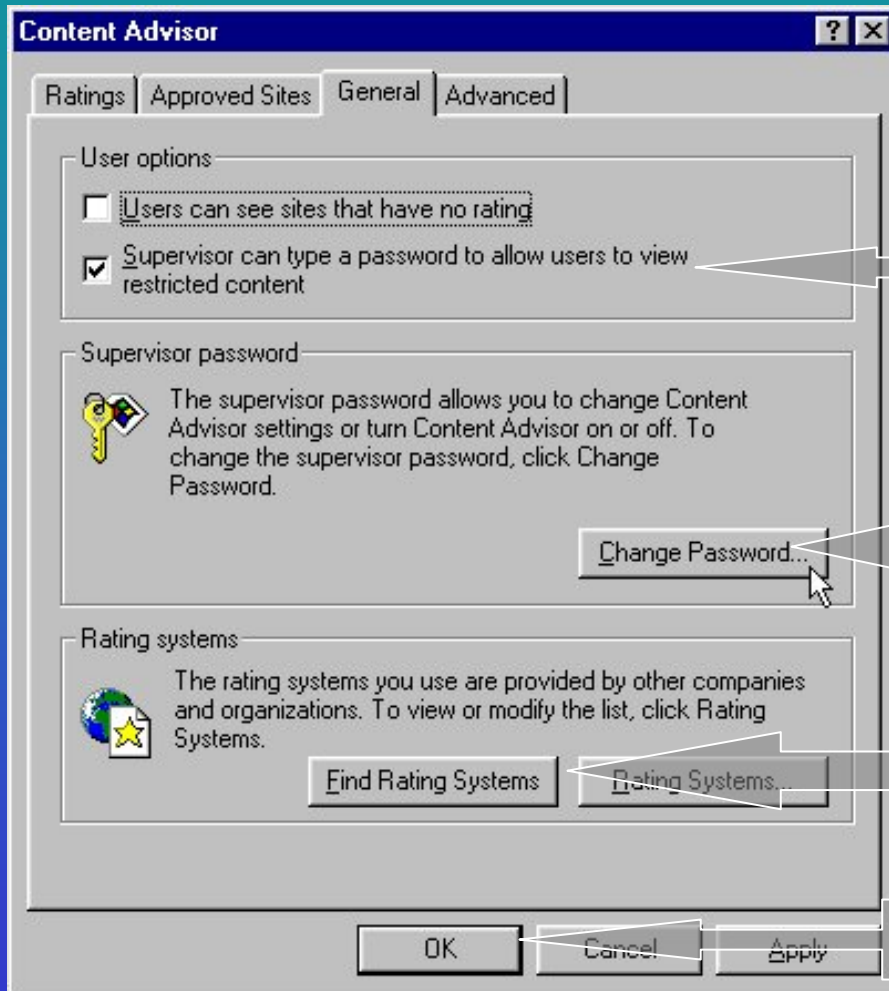
Click the "Content" tab,
then click "Enable"

Setting Internet Explorer Properties



Adjust settings for Language, Nudity, Sex, and Violence then click "General"

Setting Internet Explorer Properties



Be certain this is checked

Click "Change Password" and follow instructions to create

Click here to add or modify rating systems used to rate sites (optional)

Click "OK" to accept settings

A Word About Ratings

- This function gives you the option of controlling access to WWW pages which contain ratings on:
 - Language
 - Nudity
 - Sex
 - Violence
 - Ratings are encouraged by the Internet Content Rating Association <http://www.icra.org>
 - Because the ratings are voluntary, not all web pages contain ratings.

Other Windows Operating Systems and Macintosh

- Similar features to Windows 95/98
 - Use same browsers as other Windows computers
 - Microsoft Internet Explorer
 - Netscape Navigator
- It may look different, but the tools are there to be found
 - Remember: ask someone or take a class

Problems with Messengers/Chat

- All are free services available for downloading and requiring no payment.
- Third party content monitoring programs usually have no real effect since these are stand-alone programs.
- Log programs must be downloaded and/or turned on by the user to record dialog of the chat between users.

Problems with Messengers/Chat

- Downloaded files are in obscure directories.
 - Search using Start|Find|Files or Folders... and using the following keywords:
 - *.jpg, *.gif, *.rm *.mpg, *.avi, *.mp3
- Most support web-to-web voice chat or web-to-phone phone calls.
 - Long distance calls are free.
 - No records for parents or investigators to find.

Signs that your child is at risk:

- Child spends large amounts of time on-line.
- You find pornography of any kind on your child's computer.
- Your child receives phone calls, presents or packages from people you don't know.
- Your child turns the monitor off or switches screens when you enter the room.
- Your child is withdrawn from the family.
- Your child is using someone else's account.

What to do:

- Talk openly with your child regarding dangers.
- Review what is on the computer.
- Consider the use of Caller ID.
- Monitor child's on-line sessions.
- Use ISP parental controls and safeguards.
- But don't rely on software or the ISP to protect your children.

What to Report:

- Should any of the following events occur, contact the police, the FBI, or the NCMCEC:
 - Anyone in your house receives child pornography.
 - Your child has been sexually solicited.
 - Your child has received sexually explicit images.
- While waiting, don't delete anything from your hard drive or any storage media, especially e-mail and files from the person you suspect.

Who can you call?

- Your Internet Service Provider
- State and Local Police
- National Center for Missing and Exploited Children
 - <http://www.missingkids.com>
 - 1-800-THE-LOST
- Local FBI office

National Center for Missing and Exploited Children



1-800-THE-LOST

1-800-843-5678



Other Concerns

- Internet Fraud
 - Internet Fraud Complaint Center
www.ifccfbi.gov
- Computer Intrusion (hacking)
 - National Infrastructure Protection Center
- Copyright Violations
 - White Collar Crime Squad
- Hate Crimes and Violence
 - Domestic Terrorism Squad

