

Should parents monitor their children's internet use?

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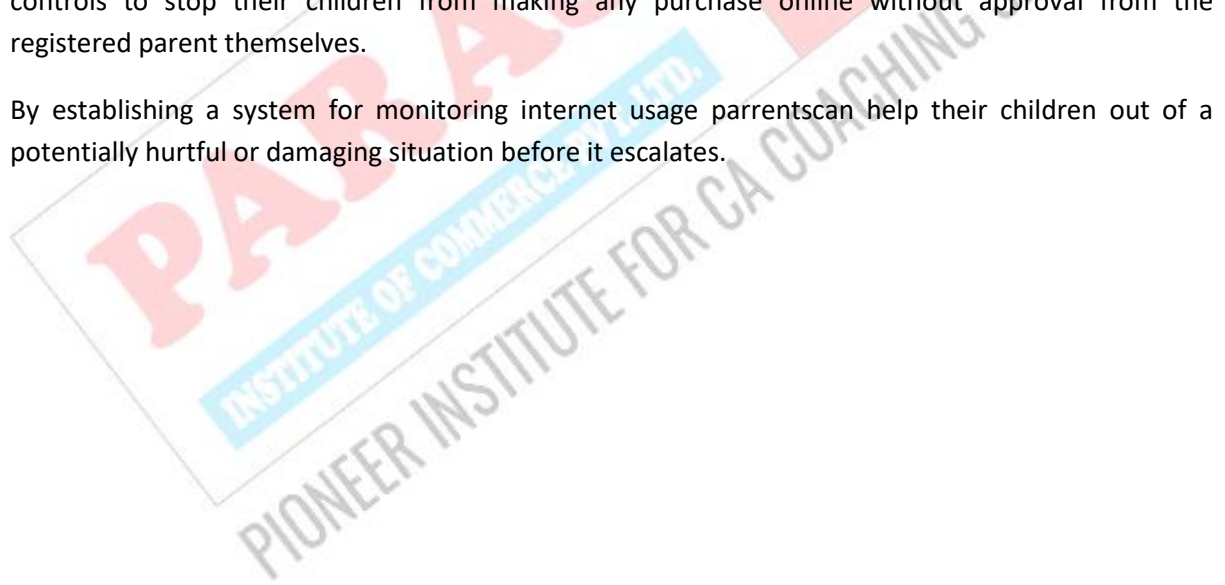
Modern technology has brought with it great advances and unforeseen challenges. Among the most demanding of these challenges is the need to ensure our children know how to use the internet in a healthy and productive way. The question of whether parents should monitor their child's internet usage is paramount in the process.

Parents should monitor their child's internet use because the internet is filled with unfiltered potential for kids to be exposed to harmful interactions like bullying and harassment, as well as inappropriate content. There is real potential a child online could become involved in relationships with people who pretend to be someone online that they are not in real life. Needless to say, the potential for negative interactions is vast on the web.

Hence, it is quite important that parents should see all of their child's online communication so that they can step in if they suspect something risky is happening e.g. a conversation with a predator or scammer. This can also be a good way to keep an eye on your child's emotional state and to immediately know if Cyber bullying occurs.

We also hear stories about children who accidentally spent a ridiculous amount from their parent's bank account while playing a game or using an app. This is why it is important to have parental controls to stop their children from making any purchase online without approval from the registered parent themselves.

By establishing a system for monitoring internet usage parents can help their children out of a potentially hurtful or damaging situation before it escalates.



War and its Effects

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Peace is the virtue of civilization. War is its crime. Victor Hugo.

The world had been through two world wars, enough for humanity to learn its lessons. But it seems that the world would rather be a fool and repeat it. Man's insatiable hunger for power, unquenchable thirst for money and unsatisfiable greed to acquire land has resulted in a world of dominance, mistrust, lack of faith, selfishness, self-centeredness and intolerance effectuating conflict and war.

War leaves unrest among people, both on the winning and losing sides. The victims are not only those who die in the war but also those who survive. The aftermath of war is so horrendous that many have to live with disabilities, not only physical but emotional, mental and even social.

Massive human deaths and injuries, the depletion of financial resources, environmental degradation, lost productivity, and long-term harm to military personnel are all drawbacks of war. Families are split apart by war. Both towns and cities are destroyed by it. People become more sensitive, and every industry faces collapse. People's health declines physically and they lose their sense of security. They won't have any security, and those who win the battle will treat the citizens of the defeated nation as their slaves and prohibit them from the right to work. After the war, there will be a lack of jobs and corruption issues for the nation to deal with.

Without a doubt, war is terrible, and the most devastating thing that can happen to humans. It causes nothing but, death and devastation, illness and poverty, humiliation and destruction.