

Internet Content Filtering at Home

There are many reasons that the Internet is a useful tool for education, creativity and entertainment. It also is a place with open access to adult content that is not appropriate for children. When using the Internet at school, students are able to access the Internet in a safe way because of the district's Internet filter, *GoGuardian*.

Are you looking for a way to filter the Internet for your child at home?

First, start with your Internet Provider or router device. Many have built-in **parental controls** in the **settings** that allow you to set time limits, manage which websites and information children have access to, and see the history of which websites were accessed.

Click here for setup with [Cox](#) or [Frontier](#).

There are also devices for sale that attach to your router that allow even more control. Parents can select the specific apps, websites, games, and streaming services on each device in the house and add restrictions or limitations. Other features include monitoring usage, detailed history reports, and Internet shut off times that can be managed from an app on your phone.

Click here for comparisons of devices, prices, and features in *PC Magazine's* [The Best Parental Control Software for 2021](#). You might even find that you already have this software and just need to set up the controls.