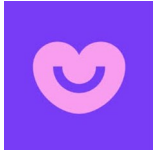


# 21 Apps

## PARENTS SHOULD KNOW ABOUT

### BADOO



**BADOO** is a dating and social networking app where users can chat, share photos and videos and connect based on location. While the app is intended for adults only, teens are known to create profiles.

### BUMBLE



**BUMBLE** is similar to the popular dating app "Tinder" however, it requires woman to make first contact. Kids have been known to use **BUMBLE** to create fake accounts and falsify their age.

### Calculator%



**CALCULATOR%** is only one of **SEVERAL** secret vault apps used to hide photos, files and browser history.

### SIGNAL



**SIGNAL** is a cross-platform centralized encrypted instant messaging service. Users can send one-to-one and group messages, which can include files, voice notes, images and videos.

### HOLLA



**HOLLA** is a self-proclaimed "addicting" video chat app that allows users to meet people all over the world in just seconds. Reviewers say they have been confronted with racial slurs, porn, and more. Check out people in their area, and chat with strangers. The goal of this app is to hook up.

### YIK YAK



**YIK YAK** allows users to post messages anonymously on its platform within 5-mile radius of their location. Can upvote or downvote to increase or decrease a post's visibility.

### LIVEME



**LIVEME** is a live-streaming video app that use geolocation to share videos so users can find out a broadcaster's exact location. Users can earn "coins" as a way to "pay" for photos.

### MYLOL



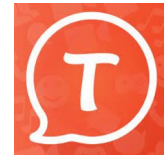
**MYLOL** designed for students 13-19 years old. Built in features of MyLOL encourage users to send private messages to random strangers.

### SNAPCHAT



**SNAPCHAT** while the app promised the users can take a photo/video and it will disappear, new features including "stories" allow users to view content for up to 24 hours. Snapchat also allows users to view your location. Many use this app to sext.

### TANGO



**TANGO** social networking app that uses geolocation. Encourages users to talk to strangers and since app utilizes location strangers can get access to your child's location if they are using the app.

### Best Secret Folder



**BEST SECRET FOLDER** is specifically meant to "hide photos and videos," according to app store descriptions. It features password protection, decoy videos and alarm settings.

### TIKTOK



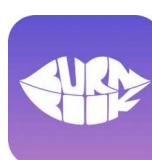
**TIKTOK** is a new mobile device app popular with kids used for creating and sharing short videos. With very little privacy controls, users are vulnerable to cyber bullying and explicit content.

### WHATSAPP



**WHATSAPP** is a popular messaging app that allows users to send texts, photos, voicemails, make calls and video chats worldwide. Whatsapp uses the internet connection on your smart phone and computers. Cyberbullying and large group messaging takes place.

### BURNBOOK



**BURNBOOK** anonymous app for posting text, photos and audio rumor messages about others. (Android download only)

### GRINDR



**GRINDR** is a dating app geared towards gay, bi and transgender people. The app gives users options to chat, share photos and meet up based on a smart phone's GPS location.

### SKOUT



**SKOUT** is a location based dating app and website. While users under 17 years old are unable to share private photos, kids can easily create an account using a different age.

### WHISPER



**WHISPER** is an anonymous social network that promotes sharing secrets with strangers. It also reveals a user's location so people can meet up.

### MEETME



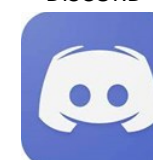
**MEETME** is a dating app that allows users to connect with people based on geographic proximity. As the app's name suggests, users are encouraged to meet each other in person.

### WICKR



**WICKR** instant messaging apps allow users to exchange end-to-end encrypted and content-expiring messages, including photos, videos, and file attachments and place end-to-end encrypted video conference calls.

### DISCORD



**DISCORD** is an app that allows users to talk to friends or strangers in real-time via voice, text, or video chat while playing video games. Reviewers say they have been confronted with racial slurs, explicit content, cyberbullying, and more.

### ASK.FM



**ASK.FM** is known for cyber bullying. The app encourages users to allow anonymous people to ask them questions. No one is monitoring content.

Also be aware of websites that advertise as adult websites but can be used with minimal deceptive practices to recruit, groom and sell our children. Examples may include Onlyfans, Tinder, dating websites like Plenty of Fish (POF), and Others.

