YouTube Safety Mode

What is YouTube Safety Mode?

It is an "opt-in"setting; so it won't take effect until you switch it on. While no filtering system is 100% accurate, Webwise recommends that all parents should enable this feature.

1. On any video page in YouTube, scroll down to the page footer where you will see your current language, location, and safety mode settings.
2. You can change your Safety Mode settings by Clicking on **Off**.
3. Then choose the **On** radio button and click **Save** to enable this safety feature.

You have now switched on the YouTube Safety Mode. If you have a Gmail or YouTube account you can lock this setting to prevent someone coming along and changing it back.

How do I Lock it?

1. Open the Safety Mode configuration panel in the footer by scrolling to the footer and clicking Safety Mode: **On**.
2. Then click **Sign in** beside the **Save** button.
3. **Login** to your Google account.
4. Scroll down to the footer again and click **Save and lock Safety Mode on this browser.**

You have now locked the YouTube Safety Mode on this browser. You will need to follow the same procedure on all other browsers installed on your machine. Don't forget to sign out of your account when you are finished.