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Online Respect Answer Key

Sample Responses

- 1. It means showing respect for others' privacy and comfort when communicating online.
- 2. Asking before posting a friend's picture.
- 3. It can make others feel uncomfortable, embarrassed, or unsafe.
- 4. Because it protects a person's privacy and shows respect for their permission.
- 5. I might feel upset, annoyed, or embarrassed.
- 6. By asking before posting and using kind language in messages.
- 7. "Please don't post that picture of me without asking first."

Teacher's Guide

• **Purpose**: Teaches students how to recognize and respect digital boundaries in texting, posting, and online communication. Encourages self-awareness, empathy, and responsible technology use.

Differentiation Tips:

- Read the passage aloud and discuss vocabulary such as "digital,"
 "respect," and "boundaries."
- o Provide sentence frames like "Digital boundaries mean..." for emerging writers.
- Allow oral responses or small-group discussions for students who need expressive support.

Engagement Ideas:

- Create class examples of "digital respect" versus "digital mistakes" and discuss their outcomes.
- Have students design short posters or slogans about safe and respectful online behavior.

Extension Ideas:

- Encourage students to write a short paragraph describing a time they showed digital respect.
- Connect this lesson to digital citizenship topics such as online safety, privacy, and empathy in communication.

