▶ YouTube

Browser-Based Parental Controls

1. **Go to YouTube.com, click Sign In and log into your Google account.** When complete, you should be brought back to the homepage. **OR, if using the YouTube App on a mobile device, open the App and sign in.**

2. **Click or tap on your Profile icon in the top right corner. If you are using the App on a mobile device you will need to select 'settings' at this point.**

3. **Select Restricted Mode in the menu.**

4. **Turn On Restricted Mode.** Restricted Mode hides videos that may have inappropriate content flagged by other users. No filter is 100% accurate but it should help you avoid most inappropriate content. The Restricted Mode setting only applies to this particular browser – you need to take this action on every device your child may be using. **If you are using the App on a mobile device, you should now select the close button to confirm the setting, and then pull down on the list of videos to refresh the feed – you are now viewing filtered content.**

5. **Close the window.** YouTube looks like it refreshes after that last step, but you'll still see the same content as you did before you enabled Restricted Mode.

6. **Re-open YouTube**, and confirm you've enabled restricted mode by clicking your profile icon and looking for that setting to be labelled as 'On'.

   Remember that continued appropriate filtering of new videos is dependent upon users reporting inappropriate content. If you think that content is inappropriate, use the [flagging feature](#) to submit it for review by YouTube staff who carefully review flagged content 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.