

Safety Card: TikTok



TikTok is a free social media platform used to create and share short videos. TikTok rules require the user to be 13 or older to use it and with parental consent if you're under 18. Users are able to create videos of themselves lip-syncing that can last up to 60 seconds. You are able to watch other user's streams & videos, you may be exposed to inappropriate content.

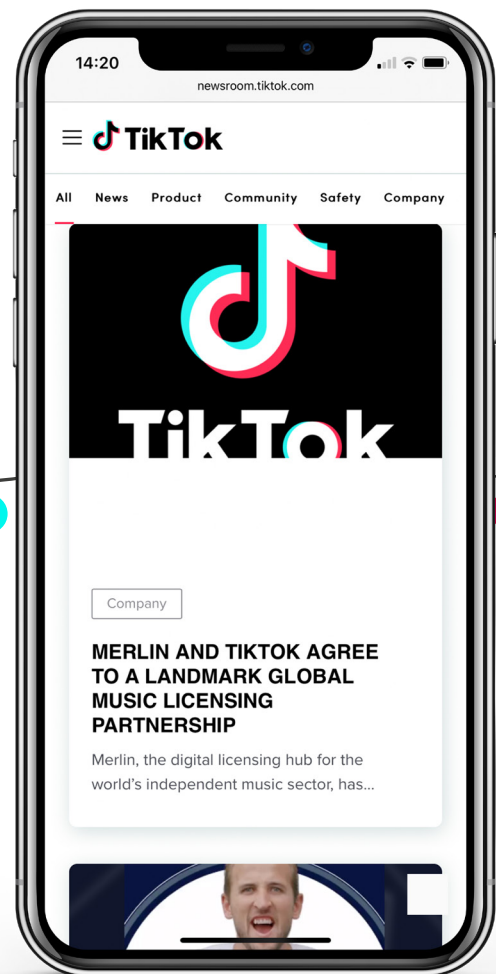


Stay safe on TikTok using the instructions on their **Digital Wellbeing** section, **Blocking & Reporting** below.

Digital Wellbeing

Set up Restricted Mode, Screen Time Management on your TikTok app:

- Tap on  in the bottom right corner of the app.
- Tap on  in the right hand corner of your profile.
- Scroll down and tap on **Digital Wellbeing**.




Block

Block a user using these simple instructions;

- Go to the user you wish to block.
- Tap on 
- Tap on **Block** and then **confirm**.

Report

Report a user using these simple instructions;

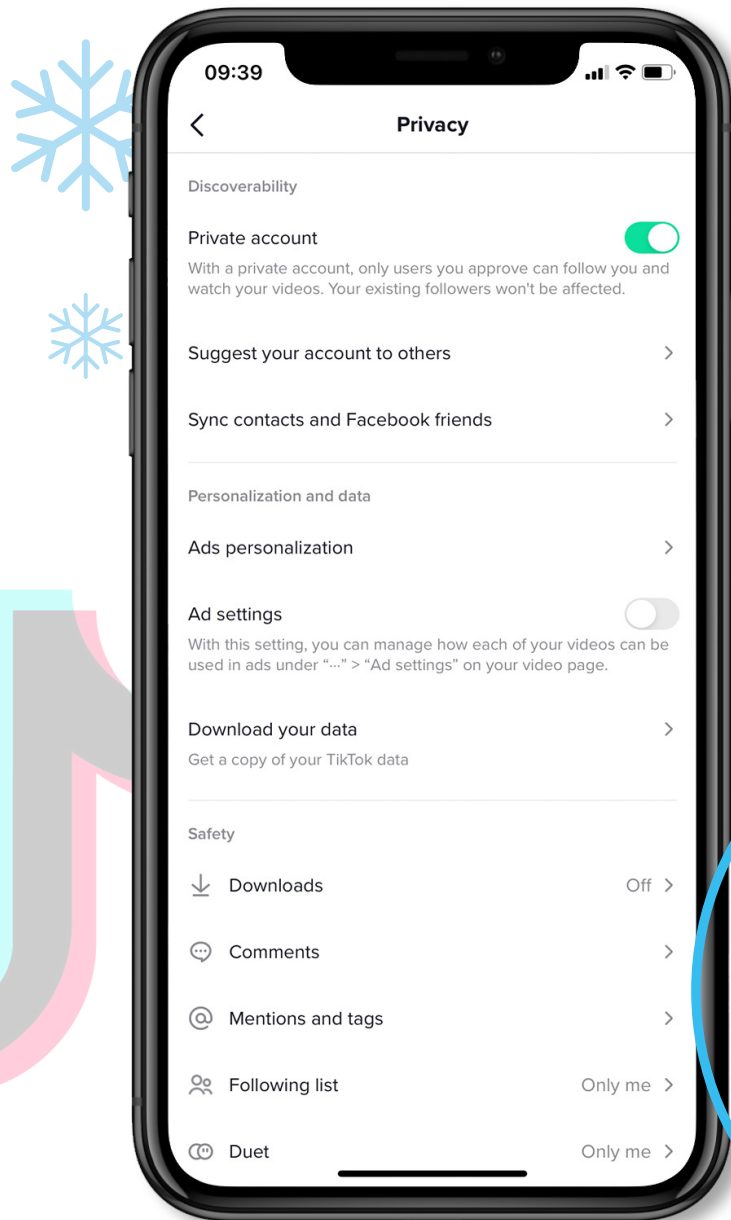
- Go to the user you wish to report.
- Tap on  and then select **Report**.
- Tap on **Report Account** or **Report Content**.
- Then select the reason why you are reporting.
- Select **submit**.



The background is a light blue color with several white snowflake icons scattered throughout. Large, stylized TikTok logos are positioned on the left, right, and bottom edges of the page. The central text is bold and black, with the word 'TIKTOK' in a lighter blue color.

SAFETY AUDIT: TIKTOK

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In this resource we will look at the Safety Settings for TikTok. Each social media platform will have their own settings and privacy shortcuts and it is important that both children and adults consider their settings across each platform that they use.

On TikTok you should think about:

1. Having a private account
2. Who can download your videos
3. Who can send you direct messages
4. Who can Duet with your videos
5. Who can Stitch with your videos
6. Who can view your liked videos
7. Who can comment on your videos
8. Filtering your comments
9. Who can tag and mention you

You should ask participants to compare their own settings with the settings on their worksheet.

Using this audit, they should compare the example settings against this and where they differ, note why and consider the implications.

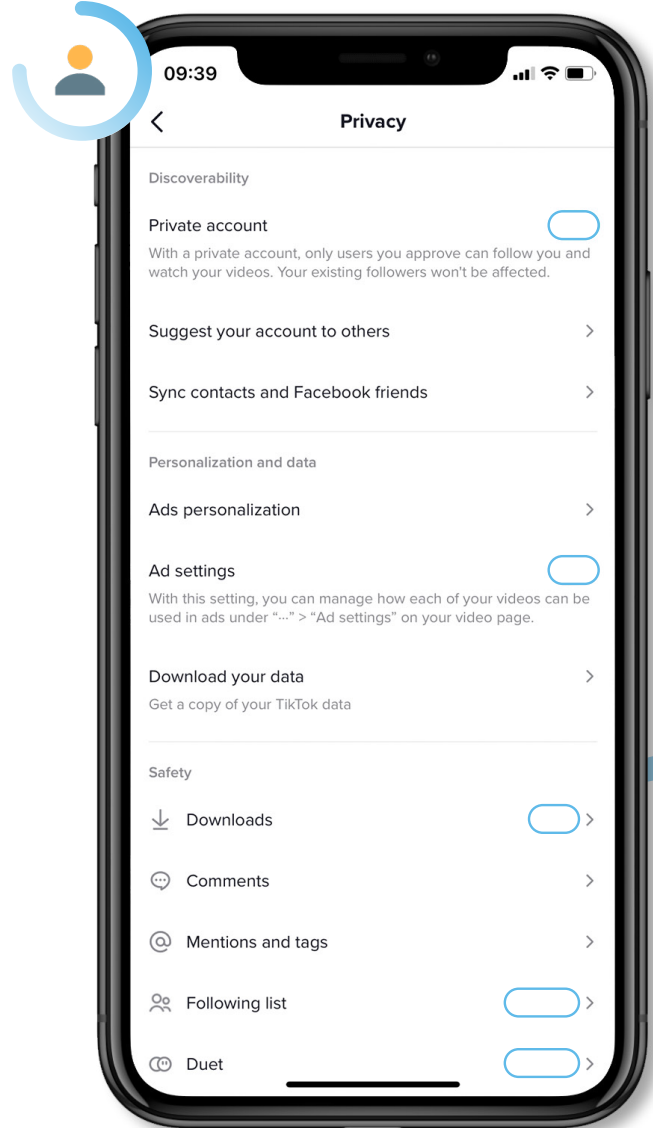
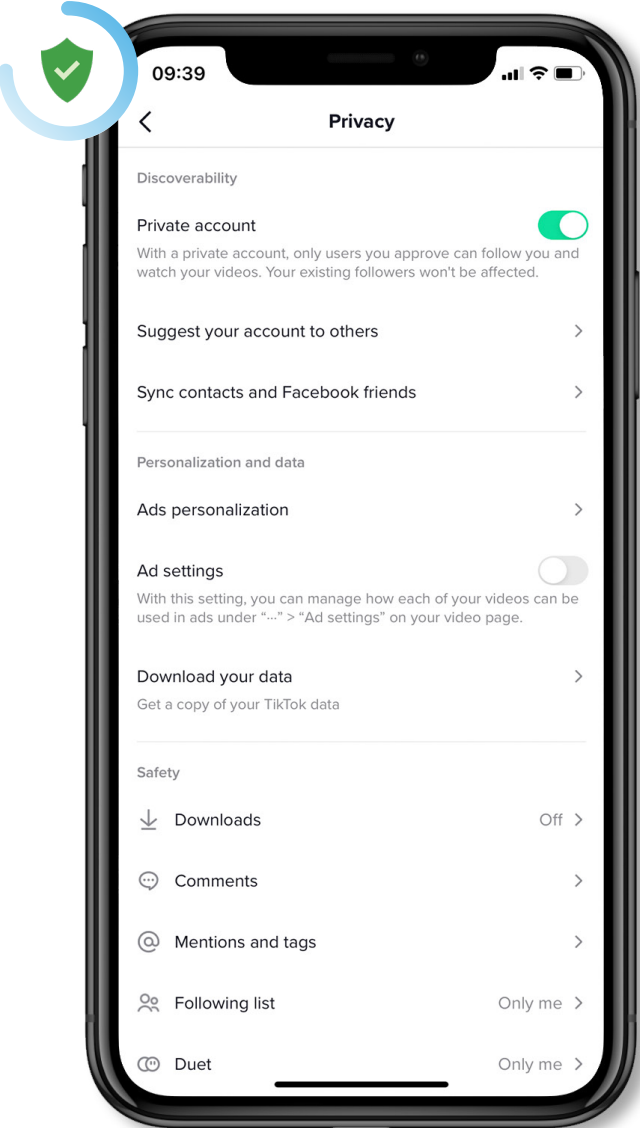


PRIVATE ACCOUNT

Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own privacy settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why.

Recommended Settings

What do you use?



Why?

Private or public account?

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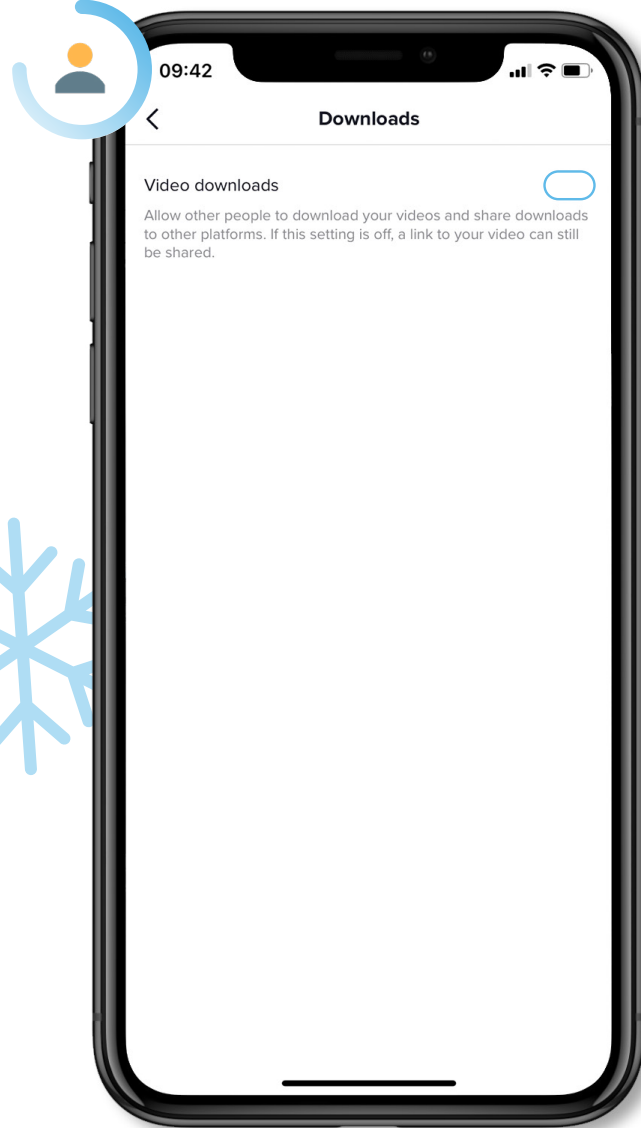


DOWNLOADING VIDEOS

Please note. If you already have your account set to private, videos downloads are automatically switched off and not possible. Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own 'download video' settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why.

Recommended Settings

What do you use?



Why?

Allow your videos to be downloaded?

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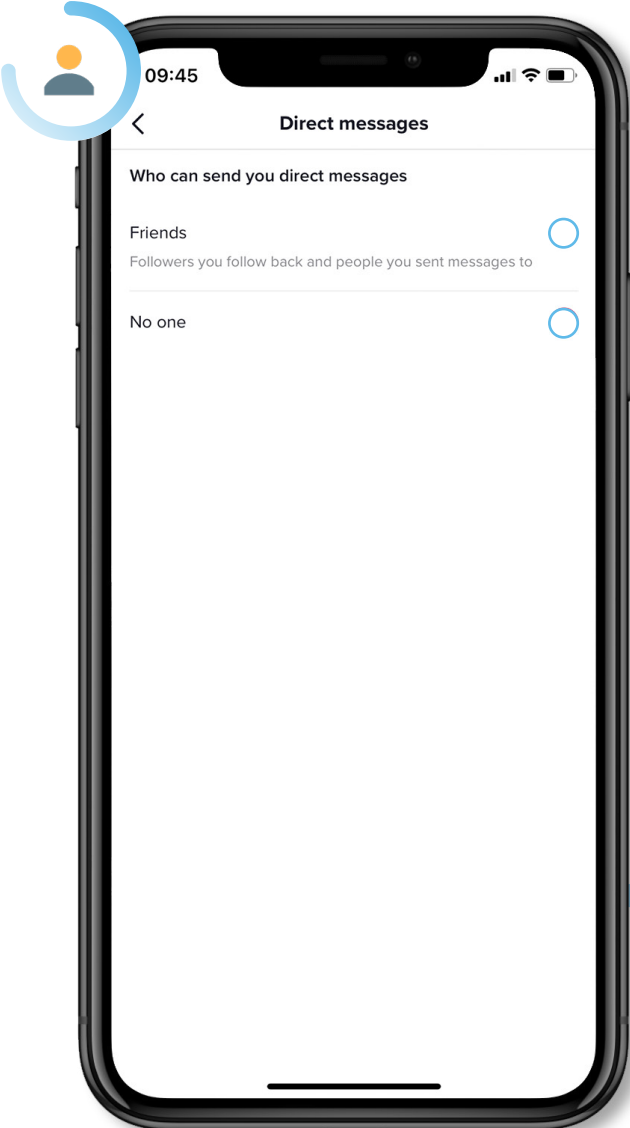
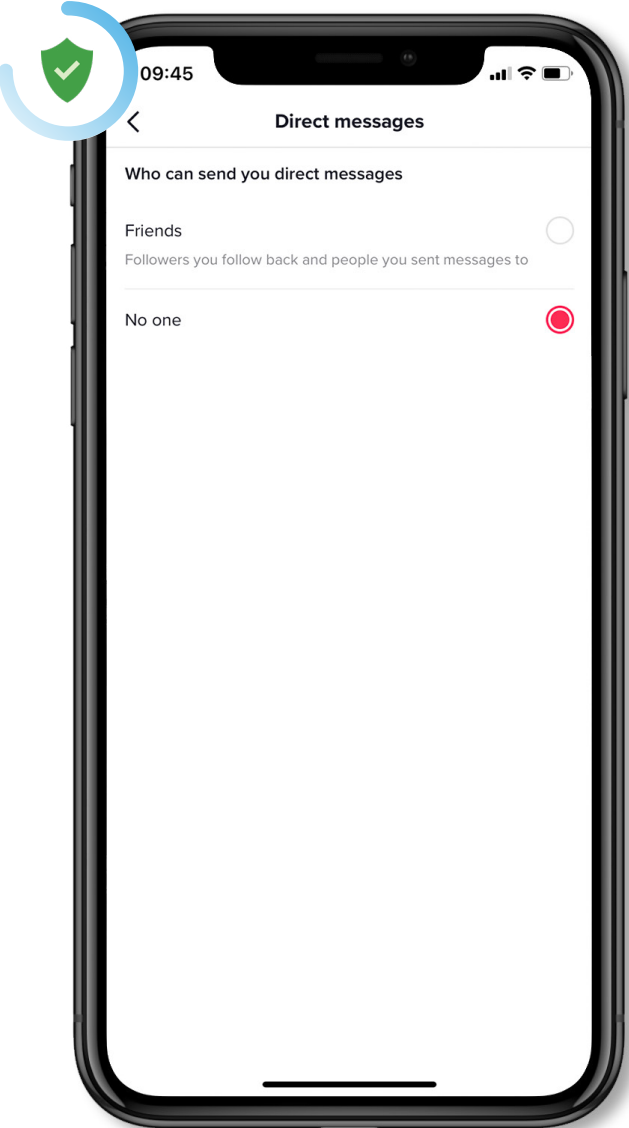


DIRECT MESSAGES

Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own TikTok direct messages settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why.

Recommended Settings

What do you use?



Why?

Who can send you direct messages?

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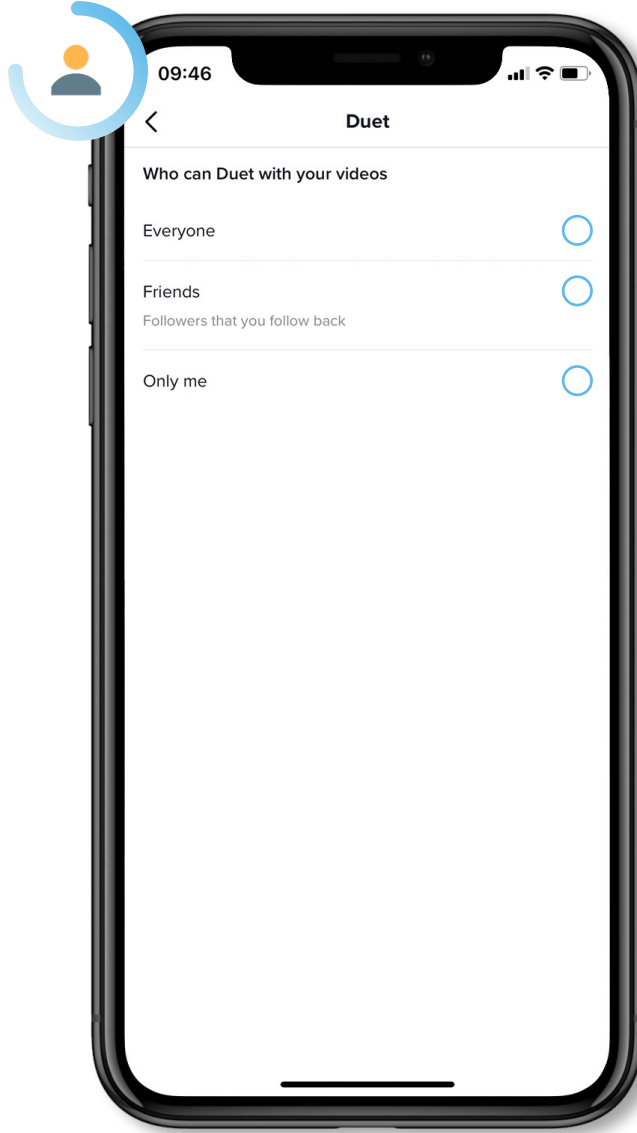
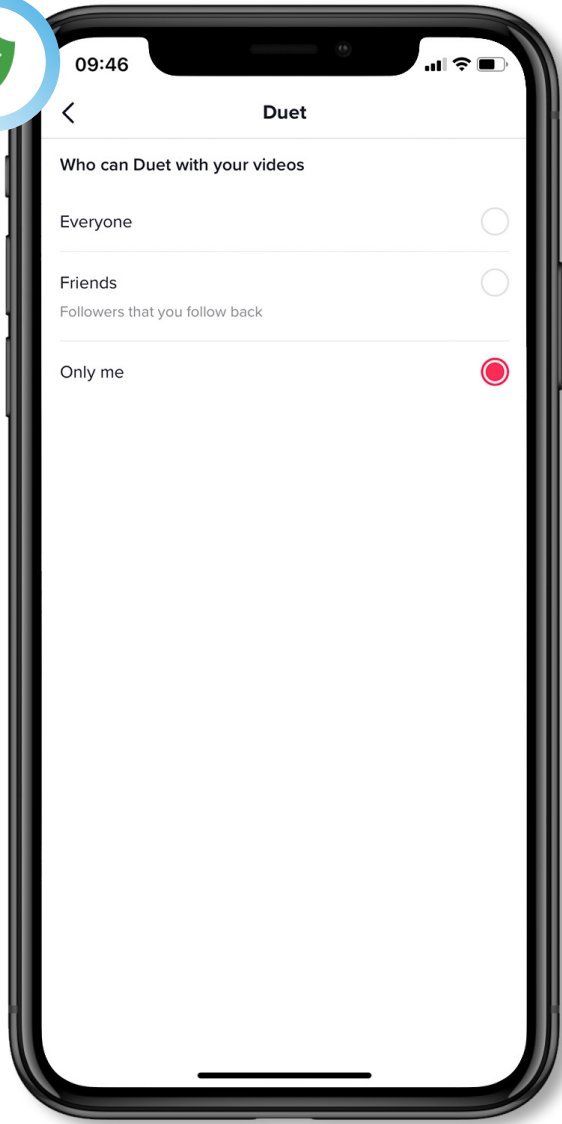


DUETS

Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own TikTok Duet settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why.

Recommended Settings

What do you use?



Why?

Who can Duet with your videos?

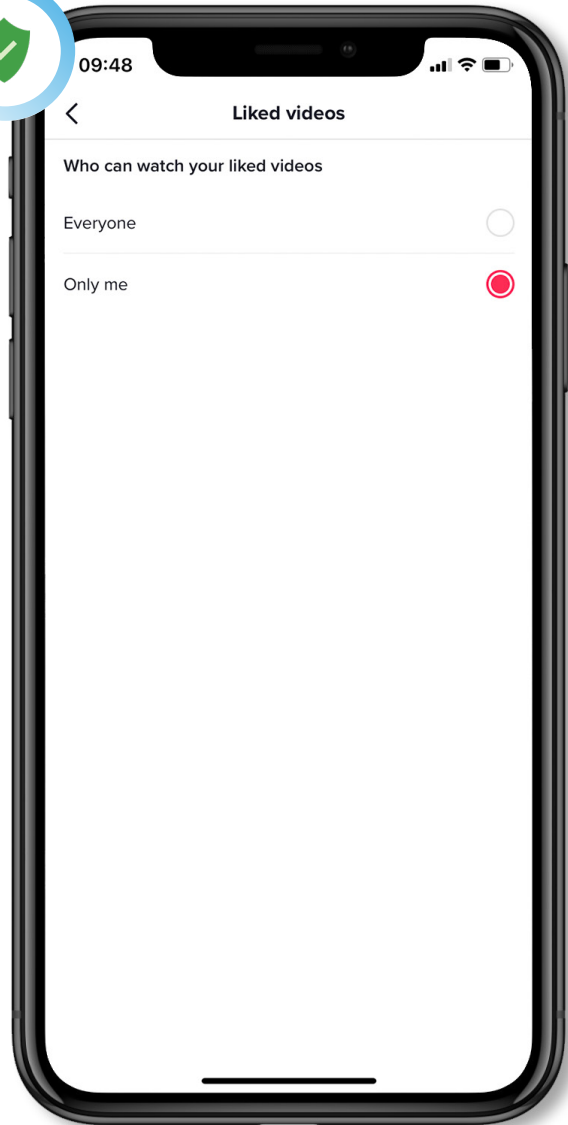
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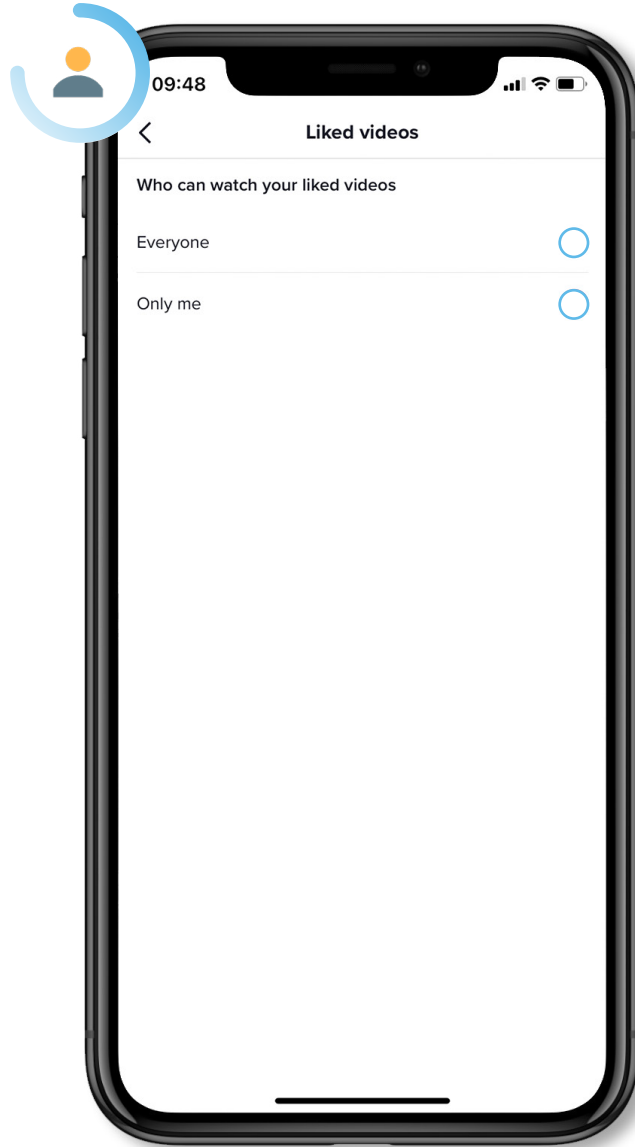
LIKED VIDEOS

Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own liked photos settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why.

Recommended Settings



What do you use?



Why?

Who can view your liked videos?

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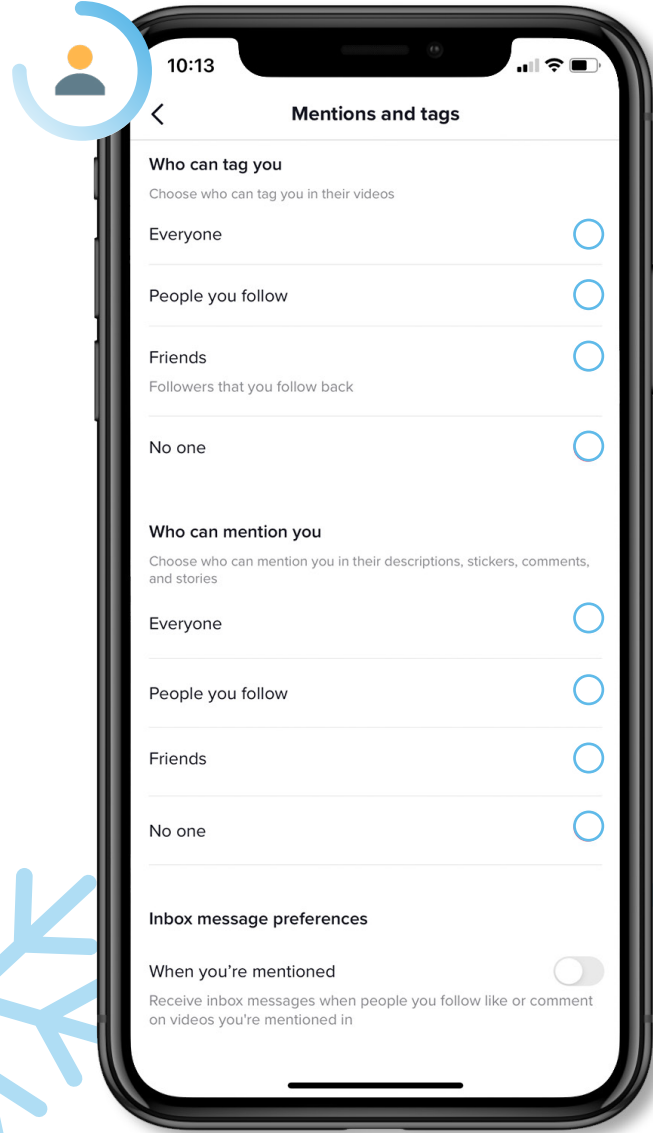
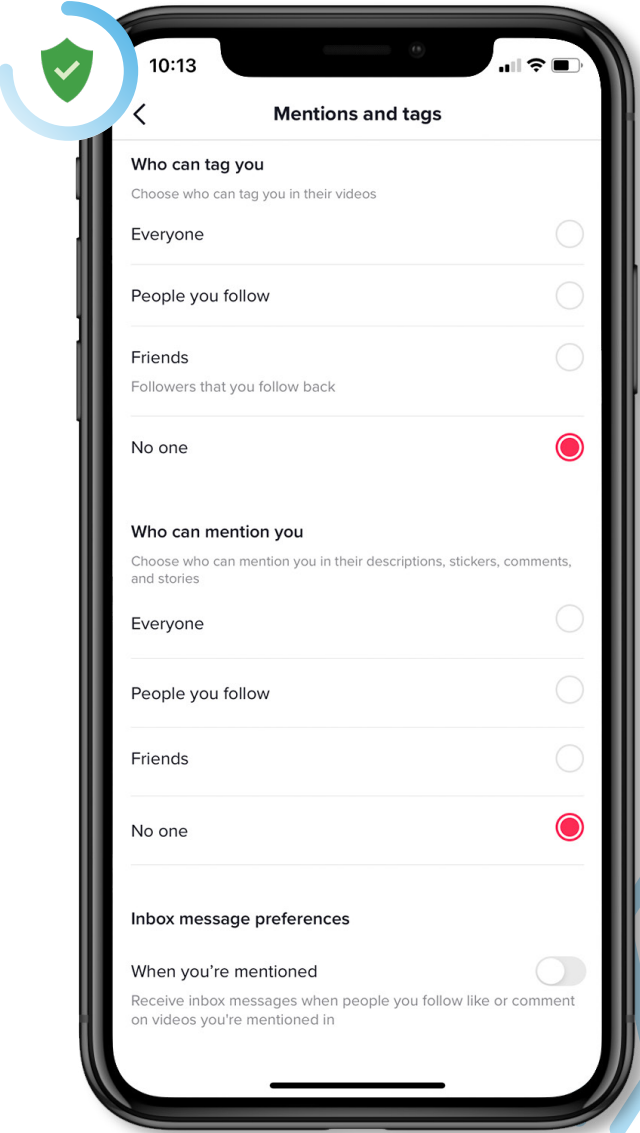


TAGGING & MENTIONING

Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own comment settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why.

Recommended Settings

What do you use?



Why?

Who can tag or mention you?

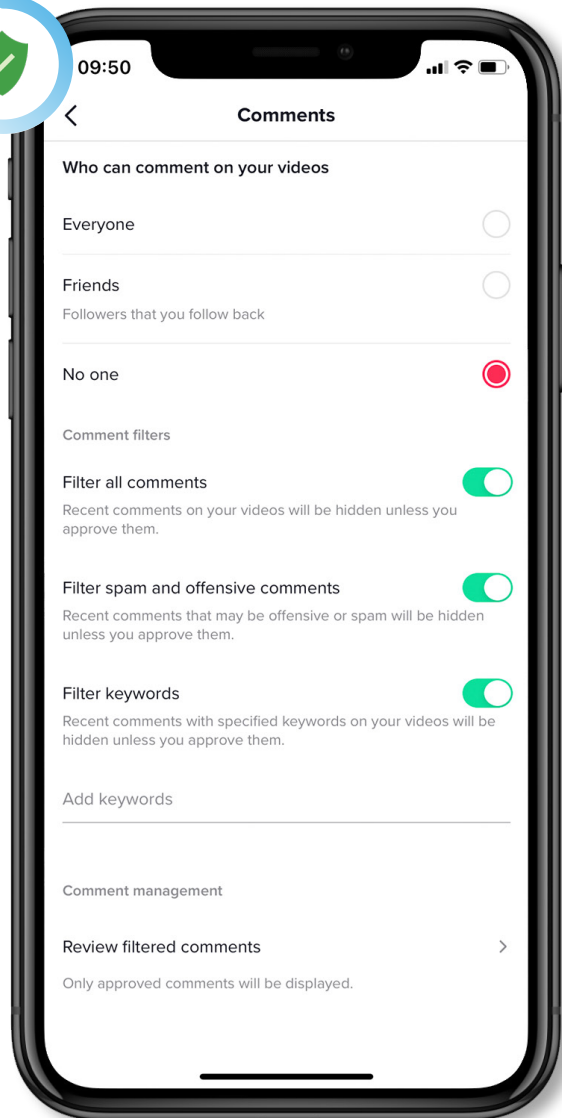
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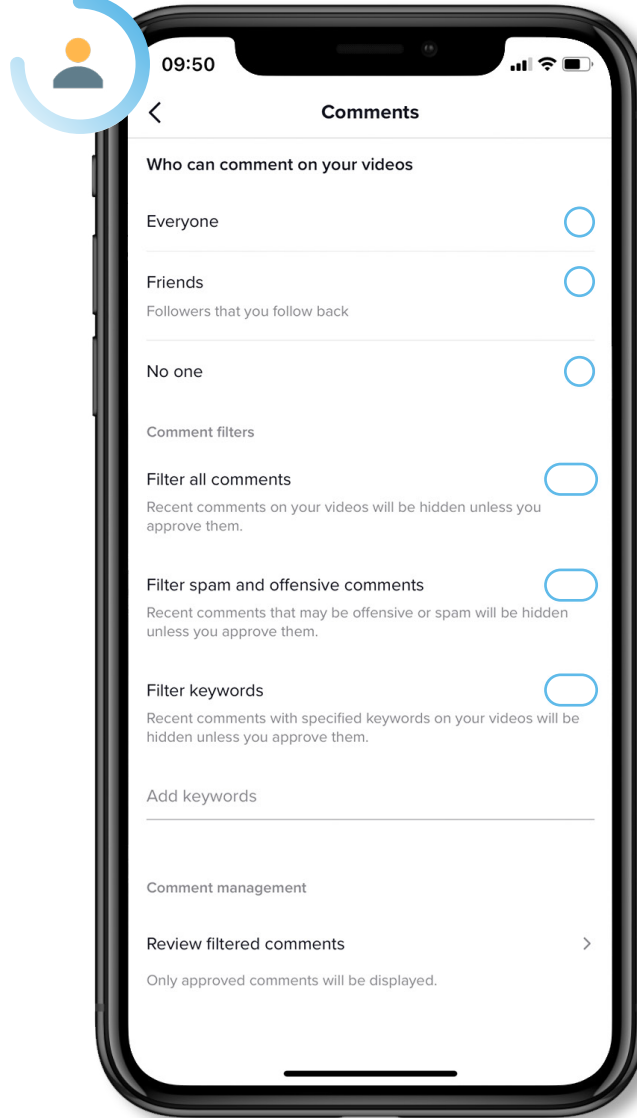
COMMENTING & FILTERING

Compare the example settings on the first phone against your own liked comment settings. The first phone shows the recommended settings. Observe the first phone. On the second phone, note what your settings are and then write down why. Comment filter settings can be changed up to 5 times a day.

Recommended Settings



What do you use?



Why?

Who can comment on your videos?

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What are your comment filter settings?

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