Just like in real life, students shouldn't chat with anyone they don't know online. Now's the time to lay some important ground rules, include the following:

- Don't talk (or chat) with anyone you don't know.
- Don't give out personal information online, including your name, phone number, address or the name of your school or teacher.
- Don't give your passwords to anyone but parents and teachers.

These basics are good rules for the road for students of all ages, so keep reiterating them as you explore the internet together.