

★ **TEACHER ANSWER KEY – LESSON #1 (RUBBER BAND RULE)**

Grades 3–6

2. Snap Back or Smart Share?

1. Making fun of yourself publicly → **SNAP BACK** (could embarrass later)
2. Sharing a rumor → **SNAP BACK**
3. Posting a kind comment → **SMART SHARE**
4. Sharing a joke that embarrasses a classmate → **SNAP BACK**
5. Sharing your pet doing something silly → **SMART SHARE**

3. Think First Decision Boxes

A friend posts something mean:

✓ **Think First and choose NOT to share**

Funny picture with unknown source:

✓ **Stop and check where it came from**

A post makes you feel angry:

✓ **Pause and think before reacting**

4. Why Might It Snap Back?

Answers will vary but should reference ideas like:

- Hurting feelings
- Damaging friendships
- Creating conflict
- Causing embarrassment
- Becoming part of a digital footprint

- Being seen by future teachers, parents, employers

5. “Fix the Post!” Challenge

Examples of acceptable rewrites:

“Ugh this class is so dumb.”

→ “I’m frustrated with today, but I’ll try to stay positive.”

“Look at this pic of Tyler asleep in class 😂”

→ “I shouldn’t post this—Tyler wouldn’t want this shared.”

“Everyone’s talking bad about Jordan... so must be true.”

→ “I won’t believe it unless I know the real facts.”

6. Safe, Risky, or Snap Back?

- Pet doing tricks → **SAFE**
- Sharing your location → **SNAP BACK / RISKY**
- Complimenting someone’s art → **SAFE**
- Sharing a classmate messing up → **SNAP BACK**
- Commenting while angry → **SNAP BACK**
- Posting an appropriate silly video you made → **SAFE**

7–9 (Designs, Call & Response, Promises)

✓ Creative / no single correct answer.

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