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ONLINE SAFTEY FAMOUS MAGICIAN ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

The talent show kicks off tonight at school and Jeffery is excited about performing his magic act. He plans to have an audience member sign a playing card and then make it disappear. He will than make it reappear in a bag of sealed potato chips that is across the room. He is so excited that he posts the time and location of the talent show on all of his social media accounts and his website.

Jeffery also posts some videos of other magic tricks he has preformed online. He has over 5000 followers on Instafame and over 3200 followers on MeTube. He also has his very own website that he created that includes his name, phone number and locations where he plans to preform. He hopes to become so popular that he gets to show off his magic skills on a TV show.

As the talent show begins Jeffery is nervous because he wants his magic trick to be perfect. He has a friend in the audience recording the show as he plans to put this video up on social media as well. Jeffery's act was perfect as a judge pulls the card from the chip bag that somehow magically appeared inside. The judges were shocked and the crowd goes wild. The curtain closes and Jeffery exits the stage.

The next day he posts his video up on his MeTube account and gets over 4500 hits in the first two weeks. He then begins to notice that several people in his comments section have been commenting on his videos. Several of them are encouraging and tell him that he has some great magic tricks. The problem is that there are several mean posts as well.

Jeffery decides that the mean posts like "you're a loser magician" is not very nice and deletes all the insulting posts on his message board. The problem is that he continues to get mean insulting posts and he cannot keep up with deleting them. It appears that someone is targeting him, but he does not know who it could be.



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Instructions: Complete the following questions based on the reading.

1. List three ways that Jeffery put himself at risk online by putting too much personal information on the internet.

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2. How could having over 5000 followers on a social media account be a safety issue?

3. Jeffery wanted to become more popular as a magician. How could he practice safer habits online?

4. What should Jeffery do now that he has a person that is constantly harassing him on his social media accounts?