### unplugging

# Purposeful Actions for Today's Distractions



Exclusive video created by EAST students at Marshall High School:



Unplug to Recharge **smactalk.info/unplug** 



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#### Assess usage.

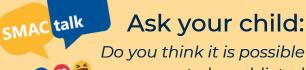
Determine how much time your child spends each day using technology. Try these resources for additional help:

- smactalk.info/day-planner
- smactalk.info/ios-time
- smactalk.info/android-time

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#### Set limits on usage.

Use limits to take small steps in the desired direction with technology usage.

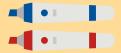


Do you think it is possible for someone to be addicted to technology? Do you know how & when to unplug?

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## Create tech free zones or days.

Consider unplugging together one day a week, during dinner, or at bedtime. Creating an "Offline List" can be a simple next step.



#### Create an Offline List:

Grab some paper and pens! Before going offline, make a list of fun activities to do together without technology.

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#### Be a role model.

Modeling healthy boundaries and usage with technology is the best way for children to learn and develop those skills.



