

Simulation Activity

Each group's Tech Rep should read the possible app features to the group. For each feature idea, the other team members discuss whether they are in favor of that feature, or opposed. The Tech Rep then decides whether to include that feature in the app. Mark on your paper whether you are going to include the feature or not.

Role descriptions

Parent – Answer as if you were a parent wanting to use this app to keep your child safe

Child – Answer as if your parents required you to use this app in exchange for getting a cell phone

Cybersecurity Expert – Answer with the concern that any data could be stolen

App Feature	Include?
Real-Time Location Tracking: “EyesOut” allows parents to track their child's location in real-time, helping ensure their safety and providing peace of mind.	
Geofencing: With geofencing, parents can set virtual boundaries on a map, receiving alerts when their child enters or leaves predefined areas, such as school or home.	
Social Media Monitoring: The app monitors a child’s social media activity, alerting parents to potentially harmful or inappropriate content and troubling interactions.	
Web Browsing History Tracking: “EyesOut” keeps a record of a child's web browsing history, enabling parents to review their online activities and ensure safe internet usage.	
Emergency Alerts: In case of emergencies, the app can send instant alerts to parents, providing location information and ensuring a rapid response.	
Daily Activity Reports: Parents receive daily reports summarizing their child's online and offline activities, helping them stay informed about their child’s well-being.	
Private Chat Monitoring: The app can monitor private chats and conversations on various messaging platforms, aiming to detect signs of cyberbullying or harmful content.	
Data Encryption: “EyesOut” prioritizes data security by employing robust encryption methods to protect user information from unauthorized access.	
Child Consent Settings: Children can adjust privacy settings within the app, allowing them some control over what information is shared and monitored.	
Automatic App Blocking: To maintain a safe online environment, the app can automatically block certain apps or websites deemed unsafe, preventing access by the child.	