

Ethical Social Media Checklist

1. **Transparency:** clearly disclose any sponsorships, partnerships, or paid promotions. Use hashtags like #ad or #sponsored to indicate compensated content.
2. **Respect Privacy:** do not share personal information without consent. Ensure compliance with privacy laws when collecting or using personal data.
3. **Truthfulness:** avoid making false claims or exaggerations about products or services. Ensure all information shared is accurate and honest.
4. **Credit Sources:** attribute content, images, or quotes to their original creators. Use licensed images or those classified as Creative Commons 0 (CC0).
5. **Avoid Spamming:** do not send unsolicited messages or excessively post promotional content.
6. **Accessibility:** make content accessible by using alt text for images and captions for videos to reach a broader audience.
7. **Engage Responsibly:** foster a respectful online environment and address any mistakes promptly and transparently.
8. **Diverse Representation:** ensure posts reflect diverse voices and perspectives