Key messages for a Successful year at Western

1st Year Formal Welcomes
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Quick Facts on Facebook @ Western

• 35,121 UWO members as of September 4\textsuperscript{th}, 2007

• 2,435 members of “The graduating class of 2011” group

• Top three most common favorite music artists are Coldplay, Jack Johnson & Radiohead

• Top three most common favorite movies are Wedding Crashers, Fight Club & Crash

• Top three most common favorite TV Shows are Grey’s Anatomy, Family Guy & Prison Break
Western’s Three P’s of Privacy

To be a safer Facebook user, remember to:

- Protect Your Privacy
- Promote a Positive Image
- Post Responsibly
Protect Your Privacy

It is important to be conscious of what information is posted online.

– Online spaces are public places
– Potential employers can search too!
Consider This

What is the impact of posting your residence, room number, and courses?
Promote a Positive Image

• Be mindful of who has access to your Facebook profile
  • Parents
  • Customers
  • Your floor
  • Friends of Friends
  • Anyone who pokes / messages you!

• The Internet archive (Google is for life)
Promote a Positive Image

• What does your Facebook page say about you?
Post Responsibly

- Be active with your information
- Residence Contract, ITS Acceptable Use Policy, Residence Hall Network Connection Guidelines & Western’s Student Code of Conduct
Privacy Overview

Facebook wants you to share your information with exactly the people you want to see it. On this page, you'll find all the controls you need to set who can see your profile and the stuff that, who can find and contact you on Facebook, and more.

Profile
You are in two networks and you can control who can see your profile, contact information, groups, wall, photos, posted items, online status, and status updates.

Search
You can control who can find you in searches and what appears in your search listing.

News Feed and Mini-Feed
You can control what actions show up in your Mini-Feed and your friends' News Feeds.

Poke, Message, and Friend Request
You can select which parts of your profile are visible to people you contact through a poke, message, or friend request.

Applications
You can ask your privacy for applications you have added to your account, applications that you have used on another website, and other applications built on Facebook Platform.

Black People
If you block someone, they will not be able to search for you, see your profile, or contact you on Facebook. Any recommended shows with a person you block will be broken (friendship connections, relationships, etc).

Person: search

Limited Profile
If you want to hide some of the information in your profile from specific people, add them to your limited profile list below.

Person: add

Limited Profile List
You have not limited profile access to anyone.
Remember...

• The Three P’s of Privacy

• Turn your Privacy Settings ON!

• For more information, go to

reznet.uwo.ca
Thank You!
How to Protect your Privacy on Facebook by “Opting Out” of Default Settings

• When someone registers as a user of Facebook.com, the “default” settings allow any personal information entered and any photographs uploaded to be available to all other users to search and see;

• This is why it is important to “opt-out” of these default settings, in order to make your personal profile more privacy-protective.

Just follow these easy steps:

Once you sign in, click on “privacy” on the top-right side of the screen. The menu will have 7 separate categories where you can determine the degree of privacy you would like.

1. Profile: You can control who can see your profile, contact information, groups, wall, photos, posts, online status, and status updates.
   • In this category, select “Only My Friends” for your Profile, Contact Information and Profile Features.

2. Search: You can control who can find you in searches and what will appear in your search listing.
   • In this category, select “Only My Friends.” Further, you can also restrict which networks have access to your profile and what actions people can do with your search results, such as contact you or add you as a friend.

3. Photos: You can control who can see your photos in your album.
   • In this category, select “Only My Friends” and “Limited Profile.”

4. News Feed and Mini-Feed: You can control what actions show up automatically in your Mini-Feed and your friends’ News Feeds.
   • “Uncheck” any feature that you do not want your friends to know automatically when you take an action on Facebook, such as when you make a comment on a posted item or add a friend.

5. Poke, Message, and Friend Request: You can select which parts of your profile are visible to people you contact through a poke, message, or friend request.
   • When you initiate contact with someone for the first time through a “poke” or email message, there is an option to “Uncheck” any features of your profile that you do not want them to see.

6. Notes: You can control who can see your notes.
   • In this category, select “Only My Friends” and “Only My Friends Can Post Comments” or “Turn Comments Off.”

7. Facebook Platform: You can control what information is available to applications built using the Facebook Platform.
   • In this category, you can select what overall information will appear on your Facebook page to those who are not friends or not in your network. For example, you can shut off your profile picture or work history.

You also have the option of blocking specific people from viewing your profile, or customizing the information that is available to certain people on your profile.