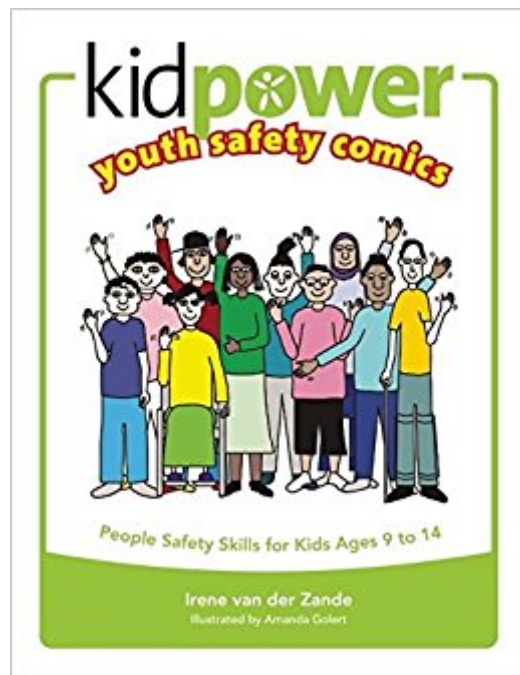




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Kidpower Youth Safety Comics: People Safety Skills For Kids Ages 9-14 (Kidpower Safety Comics)



Synopsis

How can older kids stay safe while becoming more independent? This fun and engaging way to teach safety gives readers practical tools to stay safe from bullying, abuse, and violence. How to stand (and walk) to stay aware, calm, and confident. How to protect your feelings, and separate useful information from insults. How to avoid difficult or dangerous problems with people you know and people you don't. Having safety rules that everyone in the family follows (Adults, too!) and rehearsing how to handle difficult situations that are relevant to older children's lives will bring peace of mind to worried parents. These safety comics empower kids to be physically and emotionally safe in the real world and online. The author, Irene van der Zande, is the founder of a global nonprofit that has protected over three million children, teens, and adults from bullying, abuse, and other forms of violence through greater awareness, action, and skills. Kidpower Safety Comics: An Introduction to "People Safety" for Older Children Ages 9 to 13 and Their Adults is recommended by police officers, parents, and teachers.

Book Information

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Age Range: 9 - 13 years

Grade Level: 3 - 9

Customer Reviews

"A strong foundation of every family's personal safety training." —Gavin de Becker, Violence Prevention Expert and Best-Selling Author of *The Gift of Fear* and *Protecting the Gift* As a

public safety officer, I strongly believe that a great deal of violence, including bullying and abuse, could be prevented if everyone had these skills.~Manny Solano, Watsonville Chief of Police

Irene van der Zande is an internationally-recommended personal safety and child development expert who has directly taught thousands of people of all ages and abilities how to take charge of their emotional and physical safety and how to develop positive relationships that enrich their lives. Irene is the founder and executive director of Kidpower Teenpower Fullpower International, a global nonprofit that has protected over 3 million children, teens, and adults from bullying, abuse, harassment, assault, kidnapping, and other violence through greater awareness, action, and skills. The inspiration for starting Kidpower happened in 1985, when, in a public place with people standing all around, Irene protected a group of eight young children, including her own two, from a man who was threatening to kidnap them. Searches for answers to questions raised by this frightening experience led Irene to collaborate with educators, mental health professionals, law enforcement officials, martial artists, health care providers, and other parents to establish Kidpower in 1989. Since then, Irene has led the development of personal safety programs that are effective, empowering, and fun - and that build confidence. Kidpower's Positive Practice Teaching Method (TM) coaches students so that they are successful in rehearsing how to handle difficult - and dangerous - problems with people in situations that are relevant to their lives. Irene is an inspiring speaker, a dedicated leader, and an author whose writing is filled with humor, memorable stories, and practical advice. Her many books include 1,2, 3 ... The Toddler Years; The Kidpower Book for Caring Adults: Personal Safety, Self-Protection, Confidence, and Advocacy for Young People; Bullying: What Adults Need to Know and Do to Keep Kids Safe; the Relationship Safety Handbook for Teens and Adults; One Strong Move: Cartoon Illustrated Self-Defense Lessons; Earliest Teachable Moment: Personal Safety for Babies, Toddlers, and Preschoolers; the Kidpower Safety Comics, the Kidpower Youth Safety Comics, and the Fullpower Safety Comics series; and training manuals for educators. Currently, she is working on two book projects, Face Bullying With Confidence: How to Create Cultures of Respect and Safety for All Ages and Stages of Life and Doing Right by Our Kids: Protecting Child Safety at All Levels of Society. Kidpower Teenpower Fullpower International is a global nonprofit leader dedicated to providing effective and empowering child protection, positive communication, and personal safety skills for all ages and abilities. To learn more about Kidpower's workshops, consultation, and other educational resources, visit www.kidpower.org.

We need this information now more than ever.

Great resource! I've found these safety comics very helpful, because it can be difficult to remember so many great safety skills, scenarios and how to coach and practice with my kids, especially when they're first introduced. These books remind me of the safety skills, provide scenarios that I can then expand on or add to depending on what safety challenges my kids have, while engaging them and providing practice so that they're more likely to use their power in the safety situations. In addition, they provide the room for great conversation starters in a non-obtrusive, natural way. I've found that this is not just a book to read, this is a book to discuss and practice with to really get it's full benefit.

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