

Acceptable Use Policy

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Talk aloud is a place that empowers people to share and grow the world's knowledge. We believe if people don't feel safe they can't contribute to knowledge or listen to another person's point of view. The following rules help everyone on Talk aloud have a safe experience.

Be Nice, Be Respectful

Follow Talk aloud's [Be Nice, Be Respectful policy](#) ("BNBR"), which includes the following:

Engage with Others in a Constructive Way

Assume everyone on Talk aloud is here to make the platform a great resource with diverse backgrounds, beliefs, and opinions. It is OK to disagree, but please be civil, respectful, and considerate to other posters.

No Hate Speech

Talk aloud is a place for civil discourse and does not tolerate content that attacks or disparages an individual or group based on race, gender, religion, nationality, ethnicity, political group, sexual orientation or another similar characteristic. Any generalizations about these topics should be phrased as neutrally as possible.

No Harassment and Bullying

Abusive behaviour directed towards private individuals is not allowed. Repeated and unwanted contact constitutes a form of harassment. Content should not make threats against others or advocate violence, including self-harm.

Respect the Rights of Others

Identity and Deceptive Activity

Your Talk-aloud profile must use your [real name or legally incorporated business name](#) and use accurate and truthful credentials. Any false identities discovered will be removed. Users must not use Talk-aloud to impersonate another person, act as another entity without authorization, or create multiple accounts.

Intellectual Property and Personal Rights

Users must not post content that infringes any intellectual property or personal right of another party. Writing taken from another source should be properly attributed and block quoted. On recognition of such act, Talk-aloud will take down the content from the platform.

Respect the Talk aloud Platform

No Spam

Users must not use Talk aloud to post or attract spam.

No Malicious or Illegal Activity

Users must not contribute viruses, malware, and other malicious programs or engage in activity that harms or interferes with the operation of Talk aloud or seeks to circumvent security or authentication measures, or use Talk aloud to engage in unlawful or fraudulent activity, or to promote illegal acts.

Abide by Other Talk aloud Policies

Follow Talk aloud's other policies ([Terms of use](#), [privacy policy](#)), which Talk aloud may add or change from time to time, with due notification, via email.

Violation of the BNBR policy shall result in immediate removal of the violator account from the platform.

Reporting Problems

If you see something on Talk- aloud that you believe violates our guidelines or policies, please report it to us using our email account (aloud.talk@gmail.com).