

# How to Check Privacy Settings



## Facebook:

Facebook provides almost total control over your privacy settings. You are able to control access to your profile information, posts, photos, videos, tagging, comments and likes, timeline, search and newsfeed. You can set individual guidelines on the settings page but can also change preferences on individuals posts, photos and more. Facebook offers a great tutorial on all of these features here:

<https://www.facebook.com/about/basics>

## Snapchat:

By default, only friends you've added on Snapchat can contact you directly or view your story. To change that, go to the settings from your profile screen and choose the "Who Can..." section. Here you can change who can contact you, view your story or see you in Quick Add.

## Instagram:

Privacy settings can only be accessed and changed in the Instagram app, not through a desktop computer. Go to your profile, tap the settings icon and turn on the Private Account setting. Now your posts can only be viewed by approved friends.

## Twitter:

To keep your tweets private and protected, go to privacy and safety settings. Check the box beside "Protect my Tweets" and only approved followers will now be able to read your tweets.

