

# SCREENTIME



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# THINGS TO DO OTHER THAN SPENDING TIME ON SCREENS

- There are many different ways to limit screen time here are some:
- Go to the gym/home exercise
- Going outside
- Cooking
- Read a book
- Go out with friends
- Go for a walk/jog/run/ride/drive
- Sightsee
- Travel

# HOW TO LIMIT TIME ON SCREENS

- Come up with a schedule
- Do other things like what I mentioned before on the previous slide: cooking and reading a book
- Participate in after school activities to use your time
- Do things with your family and get out of your room!
- Meet up with friends
- Set alarms for you to get off it
- Go eat/drink something

# THE EFFECTS OF TOO MUCH SCREEN TIME

- Eye strain
- Mood swings
- Obesity
- Lack of vitamins from the outside world
- Dehydration (if you forget to drink)
- Starvation (if you forget to eat)
- Tiredness
- Addiction
- Takes away from your social life
- Worse grades in school



# SURVEY ON KIDS AVERAGE SCREEN TIME A DAY

BTN conducted a survey on kids average screen time a day here are some results, 46% spent time on screens for between 0 and 2 hours a day, 21% spent time on screens for 3-4 hours a day and 23% spent 4-5 and more hours a day on screens.

My class also made a survey we have 23 responses here are the results

9% of the people are on screens for 0-1 hour a day

25% of the class are on their devices for 1-2 hours each day

16% of the kids are using screens for 2-3 hours a day

50% of the surveyed kids are averagely on devices for over 3 hours each day

## USING SCREENS BEFORE BED, MELATONIN HORMONE AND THE BLUE LIGHTS EFFECT

You probably use technology before bed (TV IS FINE) but let us tell you why you **SHOULDN'T** use your phone/tablet before bed: There is a blue light that radiates off your screens and triggers the melatonin hormone to delay your sleep cycle making you more tired and not able to fall sleep.



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