

It Will Never Happen To Me!

How much information do you show to the whole world without realising?

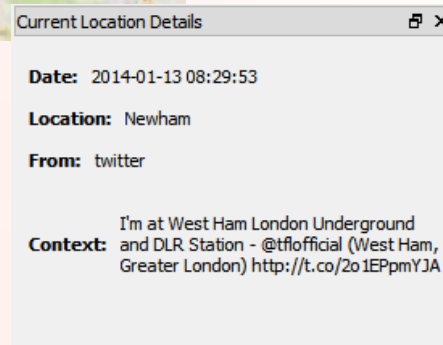
Did you know that every time you Tweet you are telling everyone (not just your friends) where you are?

How easy is it for me to track you?

- Actually very easy
- There are a lot of free apps that can do this



Is this you on your way to school or college, Tweeting as you go?



Remember – pictures you post of yourself on Facebook etc. can be seen by the whole world.

Think before you post!

► What can you do to protect yourself?

- **Do not tweet where you live, even if it is only the city**
- **Do not provide your phone number**
- **Avoid using your full name**
- **Avoid using a profile picture of yourself – use a cartoon or your pet**
- **Set your profile to private ‘Protect my Tweets’**
- **Remove geo-location tagging on all tweets**
- **Remove “Let others find me by my email address”**
- **Do not connect your Twitter account to other social media sites**
- **Limit the amount of apps that have access to your profile**
- **Be very selective about what you put in your tweets – for example don’t ever Tweet “Home at last”**

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