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Marti Weston blogs at MediaTechParenting.net. She writes about technology topics such as individual behavior, privacy, personal information, and the responsibilities of digital life. The mission of the blog is to provide parents and educators, with a personalized, thoughtful, and non-scary portrait of the connected world and the lives that digitally native children lead.

With years of experience working with the parents of digital kids, Marti focuses on helping parents develop a deeper understanding of connected-world parenting responsibilities, even if they don't always feel that they know as much as their kids. As a teacher she has taught a wide range of classes for educators and parents on computers, software, media literacy, digital devices, apps, ethical behavior on the World Wide Web, communication skills, and social media.

To focus more on writing for MediaTechParenting, Marti retired from Georgetown Day School at the end of the 2014-15 school year, after more than 25 years working with students, teachers, and parents on instructional technology and digital world topics. She received the 2015 Outstanding Independent School Educator award from the International Society of Technology Educators (ISTE) at the annual conference.

Marti earned a master's degree from The University of Chicago. Her articles have appeared in the Journal of Media Literacy, Independent School Journal, and The Washington Post and have been carried by the Los Angeles Times-Washington Post News Service. Many years ago she co-authored a book, *Washington! Adventures for Kids*.

Marti enjoys presenting to parents, teachers, and students focusing on learning and digital life, building ethical skills in young people, raising

children in a digital world, coping with digital parenting challenges, and incorporating digital ethics into any subject of the curriculum.

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She encourages schools, parents, individuals who work with young people, and all professional colleagues to share her posts and resources. It is fine to copy a post to hand out to parents or use as a teaching tool as long as the information is attributed to Marti and her blog and, if used online, is linked back to MediaTechParenting.net.