

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF RULES WHICH HAVE BEEN PROVEN TO HELP CREATE THE SAFEST ENVIRONMENT POSSIBLE FOR OUR CHATTERS. THESE RULES MUST ALWAYS BE ADHERED TO BY ALL CHATTERS. THE MOMENT YOU CONNECT TO THE CHAT NETWORK, YOU ARE AGREEING TO FOLLOW EACH GUIDELINE LISTED BELOW:

MABA Chat reserves the right to censor, remove and ban any individuals that do not uphold all rules and regulations that have been agreed upon and listed. MABA Chat is watched and moderated, therefore, any individual that is seen partaking in any of the following content during conversation may be banned from MABA Chat. For example, we discourage:

- Sexual Conversation
- Racism/Anti-Semitism/Hate
- Glorification of Alcohol/Drugs or Suicide
- Software Piracy
- Disrespectful discussion of another's Culture or Nationality

The list above is not exhaustive, but demonstrative. Moderators will act on other topics that are deemed inappropriate and out of context with the philosophy of MABA. Please see the MABA [Code of Ethics](#).

GENERAL GUIDE, SUGGESTIONS AND RULES

We urge you not to share any personal information and are not responsible for any type of harm caused due to sharing things such as, personal e-mail, telephone number and street address. Although most people on the site are here for help and support, there may be untrustworthy people out there who may not have the best intentions. Please proceed with caution.

Prohibited Behavior:

- Foul language. Please refrain from using swear words, even in a disguised form. Less offensive curse words will be tolerated, but with discretion and only when deemed necessary by the moderators. Failing to adhere to this rule will result in a kick and possibly a ban.
- Flooding and Spamming will not be tolerated. MABA Chat's definition of flooding and spamming is overusing any word, letter, number or symbol with the sole intention of disrupting the flow of a chat room. Continued flooding and spamming can result in a permanent ban.
- Unsolicited invitations to any other websites are also prohibited and will result in a permanent ban. No exceptions.
- Any action that results in the disruption of this network will be handled immediately and without leniency. You will be permanently banned. Disruptions include hateful and intentional actions which hinder the safety of other users, verbal abuse, spamming/flooding, any breaking of the above listed banned content, hostility, and not following the moderators (Operators/Ops) instructions. Along with a permanent ban, your Internet Service Provider (ISP) will be contacted.
- MABA Chat will not tolerate attempts to ban evade. If you are caught attempting to evade a ban, you may be exterminated from the entire network, a shun, server or network ban, or an extension of a server ban will ensue. If such behavior continues, your ISP will be alerted of your ill-intentioned behavior. THIS WILL BE SEVERELY ENFORCED. The safety of the MABA Chat community is our first and only priority.
- Attempts to steal passwords or to take over chats to serve your own personal goals will also not be tolerated and will result in a permanent ban from the network.

- Any sort of illegal activity which takes place on MABA Chat for example, pirating or hacking, will result in the network calling your local law enforcement agency and giving them all useful information for prosecution, including all connection logs, all public conversation that has occurred on our chat network, your ISP's contact details and naturally your IP.

- Links to any other site for advertising as opposed to helpful information will not be tolerated. It will result in a kick and possible ban from the entire network. DO NOT ADVERTISE ON MABA Chat – PERIOD.

- Harassment and abuse of MABA Chat users will not be tolerated. Harassing or abusing anyone, including members or moderators will result in immediate action. Actions taken will include, kicking, banning or permanent expulsion from MABA Chat. The severity of the punishment will depend on the severity of the abuse.

- Impersonation of any MABA Chat administrator or chat room moderator will not be tolerated, and will result in a ban, either channel specific or network wide.

SELF MODERATION

It is expected that each user of MABA Chat will make attempts to moderate their own environment before seeking a moderator or network administrator.

MABA Chat will do all it can to protect you, but you must take efforts to protect yourself as well.

IF YOU ARE BANNED

If you feel that you were banned from the network in error, please contact us directly. Please include the moderator who banned you and a written record of the incident which caused the ban. Without that information, nothing can be done. Furthermore, if your correspondence includes hateful, disrespectful language, your communication will be ignored, and your ban will not be lifted.

PRIVACY POLICY

MABA Chat respects the privacy rights of its contributors and recognizes the extreme importance of protecting information. Accordingly, MABA Chat's policy is to never disclose any information to a third party unless legally obliged.

DISCLAIMER

MABA Chat takes no responsibility whatsoever for opinions expressed or actions taken by users. MABA Chat is not liable for how anyone reacts to any content found within this site, its chat or any external links this website hosts.

All sections of this website are used by you (as the user), at your own risk and without liability to us (the provider), in any shape or form. Moreover, MABA Chat reserves the right to ban or remove any individual or individuals at will for any reason and at our discretion.

These Terms of Service can and will be changed at will without notice.