

BIG MOUTH



1. Write **three common slang phrases** you or your friends use a lot (keep it clean!) and define them.
2. Share a few of your experiences below.
A time when you **felt hurt** by something someone said about you.

A time when you **said something** you wish you never said.

A time when you **thought something bad** about someone else instead of saying it.
3. In your own words, what does this verse say about your language?
"But no man can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison." (James 3:8)
4. Which of these scenarios would you consider the **most hurtful** to others? Why?
 - Reaming out a sibling
 - Making a snide comment to your mom
 - Swearing after you stub your toe
 - Teasing a classmate about their clothes
 - Telling a teacher that you hate the class
 - Laughing at someone's mistake
 - Calling someone a loser
 - Giving your boyfriend or girlfriend the silent treatment
 - Cussing out a teammate
 - Making fun of someone's looks
5. Finish these sentences based on what the verses have to say.
Proverbs 13:3 It is important to think before I speak, because—

James 3:2-8 My mouth can get me into trouble, because—

2 Timothy 2:16 I want to please God with the words from my mouth, because—