

# Taming the technology:

## Parenting in the cyber age

For parents  
and carers

Thursday  
26 August  
7pm to 8.30pm

Online event

Do you feel that your child's device has become an extension of their body? Have you had arguments about screen time or are concerned about what they're accessing online? The majority of Australian parents and carers feel exactly the same way! And for good reason:

- One in five children experience online bullying but only 2.1% report it to a teacher.
- Girls are about twice as likely as boys to be victims and perpetrators of cyber bullying.
- More than 80% of boys aged 15+ access pornography weekly.
- One third of children under 8 have tried to access pornographic content.

**Kate Wilde**, educator, counsellor and development worker, will provide essential information and resources you can access to protect your children online and navigate the internet safely together.

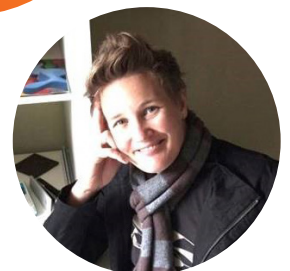
### How to book

Bookings open Tuesday 13 July. Book online at: [www.trybooking.com/BRJIU](http://www.trybooking.com/BRJIU)

You will be sent an email with a link to join the session once you make a booking.

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Free  
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