

TMI - (Too Much Information)

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_____ % of 13-27 year olds text
_____ % of 28-39 year olds text
_____ % of 40-49 year olds text
_____ % of 55-64 year olds text

1 trillion texts per year = _____ texts per second.

Proverbs 10:19 (NIV)

“When words are many, sin is not absent, but he who holds his tongue is wise.”

Types of Words to Avoid

_____ (Proverbs 17:19 NCV)
_____ (Proverbs 26:24-26 NIV)
_____ (Proverbs 12:22 NIV)
_____ (Ephesians 2:14-15 NCV)
_____ (Ephesians 5:3-4 Msg)
_____ (Proverbs 16:28 CEV)

Gossip

“Idle talk or rumor, especially about the personal or private affairs of others.”

The Random House Dictionary

“There's nothing so delicious as the taste of gossip! It melts in your mouth.” Proverbs 18:8 (CEV)

Maybe that's why social researchers estimate that _____
of all conversation is devoted to gossip.

Why Do I TMI?

Sometimes I gossip because of _____
3 John 1:9-10 (CEV)

Sometimes I gossip because of _____
1 Timothy 5:13 (CEV)

Sometimes I gossip because it's _____
Proverbs 26:22 (CEV)

What Does TMI Do?

TMI wrecks your relationship with the person you're talking _____.
Proverbs 12:18 (NIV)

TMI wrecks your relationship with the person you're talking _____.
Proverbs 11:13 (CEV)

TMI _____
James 3:6 (NLT)

“Those who are careful about what they say keep themselves out of trouble.” Proverbs 21:23 (NCV)

Is This TMI?

(A Couple of Good Questions)

- “How would I feel if this conversation was about me?”
- “Why am I talking about this person?”

“May the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be pleasing to you, my God.” Psalm 19:14 (NIV)

How Do I Eliminate TMI?

_____.
Ephesians 4:29 (NIV)

You may need to _____.
Proverbs 20:19 (NIV)

_____ **for yourself.**

“A slip of the foot you may soon recover, but a slip of the tongue you may never get over.” Ben Franklin

“Set a guard over my mouth, O Lord. Keep watch over the door of my lips.” Psalm 141:3 (NIV)