Quiz Answer Key

1. Name at least five types of cyberbullying.
   Online threats; rude texts; mean tweets, posts, or messages; posting personal information, photographs, or videos designed to hurt or embarrass someone else; refusing to take down a post or webpage that embarrasses someone after you are asked to; texting, emailing, or posting unwanted messages or photographs of a sexual nature.

2. What makes online bullying particularly upsetting and damaging?
   Any one of the following: It can be anonymous, difficult to trace, and incessant, appearing 24/7.

3. What’s the first thing you should do if you’re the victim of a cyberbully?
   Tell an adult you trust, such as a parent, teacher, counselor, or coach.

4. If you are bullied online, should you keep copies of any threatening messages, pictures, or texts used to bully you?
   Yes. These can be used as evidence with the bully’s parents, school, employer, or even the police.

5. True or false: Cyberbullies can face serious consequences, such as being kicked off sports teams or suspended from school. Some even face legal punishments.

6. What are some reasons why “sexting” (exchanging sexually explicit text messages or images) isn’t a good idea?
   These messages can be considered harassment or bullying and get the “sexter” in trouble. Also, messages or images you intend to be private can get into the wrong hands and be used to embarrass, intimidate, or humiliate.