

Text / Chat Slang Terminology

- **AF** — As f**k
- **A mood** — A relatable feeling or situation (often shortened to the single word, “mood”)
- **And I oop** — Used when something is really surprising or provocative
- **And that’s on [something]** — Used to indicate that you’ve just shared a truth that needs no further discussion
- **ASL** — Age/sex/location
- **Ate that** — Means you successfully did something; you pulled it off. *Example: “I saw your prom pics on insta, you totally ate that look.”*
- **Bae** — Significant other or crush
- **Basic** — Someone who is viewed as boring or a conforming person
- **Beige flag** — A quality or characteristic of a significant other that is weird or off-putting, but not enough to reject them.
- **Bet** — A response indicating agreement. *Example: “Wanna go to the store?” “Bet.”*
- **Bestie** — “Best friend”; can also be used as a kind of formal address to a stranger.
- **Bih** — Short form of b*tch
- **Body count** — The number of people someone has slept with
- **Bruh** — “Bro”; can be used to address anybody
- **BTS** — A Korean boy band popular with tweens and teens
- **Bussin’** — Awesome. *Example: These tacos are bussin’.*
- **Cake** — Used to describe a large bottom
- **Canon event** — A moment in development that will help shape your life or personality.
- **Cappin’** — Lying
- **CEO of [something]** — To be a representative of some activity or thing. *Example: “Taylor is the CEO of sleeping in late.”*
- **Cheugy** — Used to describe someone or something that is basic, out of date, or trying too hard
- **Cursed** — Used to describe something (usually an online image) that is unsettling or creepy
- **Cringe** — Causing feelings of embarrassment or awkwardness
- **Daddy** — An attractive man, usually older, who conveys a sense of power and dominance
- **Ded** — Used when something is really funny or embarrassing. *Example: OMG that meme has me ded!*
- **Dope** — A way to describe something as cool or awesome
- **Drip** — Style, great fashion sense, flashy accessories
- **DTF** — Down to f*ck
- **Egirl / Eboy** — A young person with emo-inspired, punk-rock style
- **Facts** — An emphatic way to acknowledge the truth of someone’s statement
- **Fam** — Friends
- **FBOI** — F**k boy; a guy just looking for sex
- **FINSTA** — Fake Instagram account
- **FOMO** — Fear of missing out
- **Fire** — Amazing
- **FWB** — Friends with benefits
- **Gas** — Can refer to marijuana, be used to describe something that’s cool, or be used as a verb to mean “hype someone up”
- **Ghosted** — Ending a relationship by completely disappearing with no further communication
- **Goals** — Something you want or aspire to
- **GOAT** — Greatest of all time

- **GTG** — Got to go
- **Gucci** — Something good or cool
- **GYAT** — 1. Acronym that stands for "get your act together". 2. Shortened term for "godd**n" used to express approval or excitement.
- **Hentai** — Graphic anime pornography
- **High key** — 1. Very interested in 2. Actively spreading information
- **Hits different** — When something is better than it normally is because of different circumstances. *Example: "A cold soda just hits different when it's super hot outside."*
- **Ick or Ick Factor** — The feeling you get when your attraction to someone is suddenly flipped to a feeling of disgust.
- **ISO** — In search of
- **IYKYK** — "If you know you know"; meant to imply that there's an inside joke
- **Juul** — Type of e-cigarette that is small and discreet; 'pods' are used for smoking
- **Karen** — Used to refer to an entitled mom
- **KMS** — Kill myself
- **KYS** — Kill yourself
- **Left no crumbs** — A phrase that means you did something perfectly.
- **Lit/Turnt/Turnt Up** — Something that's active or popular, can also refer to being stoned or drunk
- **LMAO** — Laughing my ass off
- **LMP** — 1. A term that means "like my pic" or 2. Sometimes stands for "lick my p***y"
- **LOL** — Laugh out loud
- **Low key** — 1. Somewhat interested in 2. Keeping information secret
- **Meal** — Someone who looks good enough to eat. *See also: "Snack" or "snacc"*
- **Mid** — Insult meaning "low quality" or "average." Derives from "mid-tier"— not awful, but not great. *Example: "The new Jurassic Park was mid."*
- **Netflix and chill** — Getting together and hooking up
- **No cap** — Used to indicate that someone is not lying
- **NP** — No problem
- **OFC** — Short for "of course"
- **OK, Boomer** — Calling out an idea that is outdated or resistant to change
- **OMFG** — Oh my f**king god
- **Plug** — Term used to refer to someone who can "connect" you with drugs; a drug dealer.
- **PMOYS** — Acronym that stands for "put me on your Snapchat"
- **Rizz** — Derived from "charisma." Someone who has "game" when it comes to romantic pursuits. *Example: "Taylor has that rizz, they're so charming."*
- **ROTFLMAO** — Rolling on the floor laughing my ass off
- **Salty** — To be bitter or cranky about something
- **Same** — "I can relate"
- **Shading** — Where teens gossip about another party without naming them; also "throw shade" means to talk about someone
- **Ship** — Short for "relationship"; also used as a verb to indicate a desire to see two people together. *Ex.: I ship Taylor and Jamie.*
- **Simp** — Somebody who tries very hard and does a lot for their crush. *Ex.: "You got Sarah 3 dozen roses? Stop being such a simp."*
- **Sis** — Short for "sister" but can be used to address anybody; usually used to express that drama has occurred
- **Skeet** — To ejaculate

- **Slaps**— Used to express that something is awesome. Ex.: "This burrito slaps."
- **Smash** — Means to have casual sex
- **SMDH** — Shaking my damn head
- **SMH** — "Shaking my head," meaning "I don't believe it" or "that's so dumb"
- **Snack** — Describes an attractive person
- **Snapstreak** — Created when friends send snaps every day, creating a streak
- **Snatched** — On point, very good, or well styled
- **Spam** — A fake social media account
- **Squad** — Close friend group
- **Stan** — A teen slang term meaning an overzealous or obsessive fan of a particular celebrity
- **STFU** — Short for "shut the f**k up," can be used as an expression of disbelief or to cyberbully
- **Sus** — Short for "suspicious." Popularized by the Among Us game.
- **Swoop** — To be picked up in an automobile
- **TBH** — To be honest
- **Tea** — Gossip or interesting news shared between friends
- **Thicc** — Having an attractive, curvy body
- **TF** — The f**k, as in "who TF you think are?"
- **Thirsty** — Desperate for attention, usually sexual attention
- **Thot** — Stands for "that ho over there" and is often used instead of "slut"
- **Trash** — "Terrible," "unacceptable"
- **Turnt** — Excited and having a good time, often with the help of drugs or alcohol
- **V** — "Very"
- **Vibing** — Chilling out, having a good time, or identifying with a certain kind of energy
- **VSCO girl** — A style characterized by Hydro Flasks, Crocs, and scrunchies
- **WAP** — Wet ass p*ssy
- **Woke** — Socially or politically conscious
- **WTF** — What the f**k?
- **WYA** — Where you at?
- **WYD** — What you doing?
- **YAAS** — A very emphatic yes
- **YEET** — 1. A very strong word for yes. 2. To throw something.
- **Zaddy** — A well-dressed, attractive man of any age