

Youhere.org and the General Data Protection Regulation (or GDPR)

The European Union (EU) has a rather strict General Data Protection Regulation (or GDPR). We at Youhere.org would like to address some of their core values in the table below (see [Article 5.1-2](#)) of the EU's GDPR:

GDPR Value	Youhere.org
Lawfulness, fairness and transparency — Processing must be lawful, fair, and transparent to the data subject.	Your name is used to build an attendance roster. Your location is used to verify that you're with the geofence your group leader needs, then discarded.
Purpose limitation — You must process data for the legitimate purposes specified explicitly to the data subject when you collected it.	(See above.)
Data minimization — You should collect and process only as much data as absolutely necessary for the purposes specified.	Nothing more than your name is collected. And your location is queried only when you tap the "Check me in" button. No other data is ever collected.
Accuracy — You must keep personal data accurate and up to date.	We don't keep any personal data.
Storage limitation — You may only store personally identifying data for as long as necessary for the specified purpose.	We store attendance rosters as long as your group leader wants. When they choose to delete it, it will be gone.
Integrity and confidentiality — Processing must be done in such a way as to ensure appropriate security, integrity, and confidentiality (e.g. by using encryption).	All communication between the check-in app and our server is encrypted with https.
Accountability — The data controller is responsible for being able to demonstrate GDPR compliance with all of these principles.	We are happy to reasonably demonstrate our commitment to GDPR standards at any time.

CIPA Compliance

CIPA (Child Internet Protection Action) is another safety metric we have studied. The points it focuses on are in the left column. How Youhere deals with a point is in the right column.

CIPA Point	Youhere.org
Access by minors to inappropriate matters on the Internet.	The App does not contain, point to, or include any inappropriate contents. It does not display any graphics, text or advertisements at all. It only displays buttons on the user interface, and short text-based information about check-in results.

The safety and security of minors when using electronic mail, chat rooms and other forms of direct electronic communications;	Not part of Youhere.org. Minors or otherwise “participants” are not contacted by Youhere.
Unauthorized access, including so-called “hacking,” and other unlawful activities by minors online	Security is a constant concern and has ongoing and proprietary efforts underway.
Unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of personal information regarding minors.	We do not collect any personal information from our users.
Measures restricting minors' access to materials harmful to them.	Youhere is appropriate for all audiences.

We stand by all of the information in this document and in the privacy policy you can find at Youhere.org. Currently at Youhere, we have over 2 million problem-free check-ins and counting. Contact us with any concerns or clarifications. We would be happy to speak with you via Zoom or otherwise if needed. Your school or department may have a privacy/data storage agreement or document, which we'd be happy to fill out and conform with.