Abbreviations

Some of the most common abbreviations in all types of electronic communications (e.g. MSN, FB, SMS)* are listed below:

*MSN Microsoft Messenger

FB Facebook

SMS text message

@ at

AKA also known as

ASAP as soon as possible

B be

B4 before

BF boyfriend

BFF best friends forever

BTW by the way

C see

CUL8R see you later

F2F face to face

FAQ frequently asked question(s)

GF girlfriend

GR8 great

L8R later

LOL laughing out loud / lots of luck

M/F male or female

MSG message

PLZ please

R are

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RU are you?

THX thanks

TLK2UL8R talk to you later

U you

X kiss

XOXO hugs and kisses

YR your

2 *to, too*

2DAY today

2MORO tomorrow

2NITE tonight

4 for

4ever forever

ZZ sleeping, bored, tired

Emoticons

Emoticons represents facials expressions. Emoticons are expressing the writer's feelings and the tone of the message. Here listed below are the most common emoticons:

:-) or :) happy (a "smiley")

:-D or :D laughing

:-(or :(unhappy

;-) or ;) winking; just kidding

:-* or :* kiss

:-O or :O surprised

:'-(or :'(crying

:-I or :I bored, indifferent

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