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Some fact-checking websites

Full Fact.....................................................................................................................fullfact.org
UK’s independent factchecking charity.

Fast Check...........................................................................................................fastcheck.org
US nonpartisan, non-profit “consumer advocate” that aims to reduce the level of deception and confusion in U.S. politics.

Snopes.......................................................................................................................snopes.com
One of the largest fact-checking sites on the internet.

How to spot fake news

The International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA)
ifla.org/node/11174

Snopes – 6 quick ways to spot fake news
snopes.com/2016/01/21/6-quick-ways-spot-fake-news

The Guardian – what is fake news?
theguardian.com/media/2016/dec/18/what-is-fake-news-pizzagate

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Take control of your Facebook news feed

Review your Google search settings:
You have some control of how you manage Google search.

Remember the top factors in personalising search results are:

- Location
- Search history
- Web history
- Social network

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