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2. Are clearly off topic or unintelligible comments
3. Advocate illegal activity
4. Are sexually explicit
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6. Infringe on intellectual property rights
7. Solicit commerce or advertising.
8. Violate or promote the violation of a federal, state or local law.

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9. May compromise safety or security of public systems.
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