How to block ads for free on Android and iPhone with AdGuard DNS:

NOTE: This will not block all ads or annoyances as nothing is 100%.

- 1. On your phone, go to the following address: <u>https://adguard-dns.io/en/public-dns.html</u>
 - 1. Clicking on option 1 takes you to a link to install the app, which is easy but without paying only stops ads on the web browser (Chrome, Safari, etc.).
 - 2. Clicking option 2 is a little more work, but will help with ads across the entire device without paying.
- 2. Click Method No2: Configure AdGuard DNS Manually
- 3. Click Android or iOS
 - 1. Hint: Any phone that isn't an iPhone is typically an Android phone, this includes Samsung, Motorola, Google Pixel, OnePlus, and almost any other phone brand.
- 4. Choose which version of the DNS that you want to use. It is recommended to use either the Default Server for general ad blocking or the Family Protection Server for general ad blocking and the blocking of adult content (this may impact search results for some valid sites).
- 5. Follow the remaining instructions listed on the site.
- 6. Enjoy the reduction/removal of ads.
 - 1. Note: If you play games that have you watch ads to gain lives or get points to trade for lives/items, this will prevent those ads and you will not be able to use this feature.

How to turn off/remove ad blocking that was installed per the above instructions:

For Android:

- 1. Go to Settings → Network & Internet (or Wi-Fi & Internet)
- 2. Select Advanced \rightarrow Private DNS
- 3. Select Off

For iOS:

- 1. Open Settings
- 2. Click the slider beside Connected to turn off and on, to remove completely:
 - 1. Select the blue i beside the AdGuard DNS that was installed.
 - 2. Select Delete VPN