

Online Safety: Parent Session

Introductions



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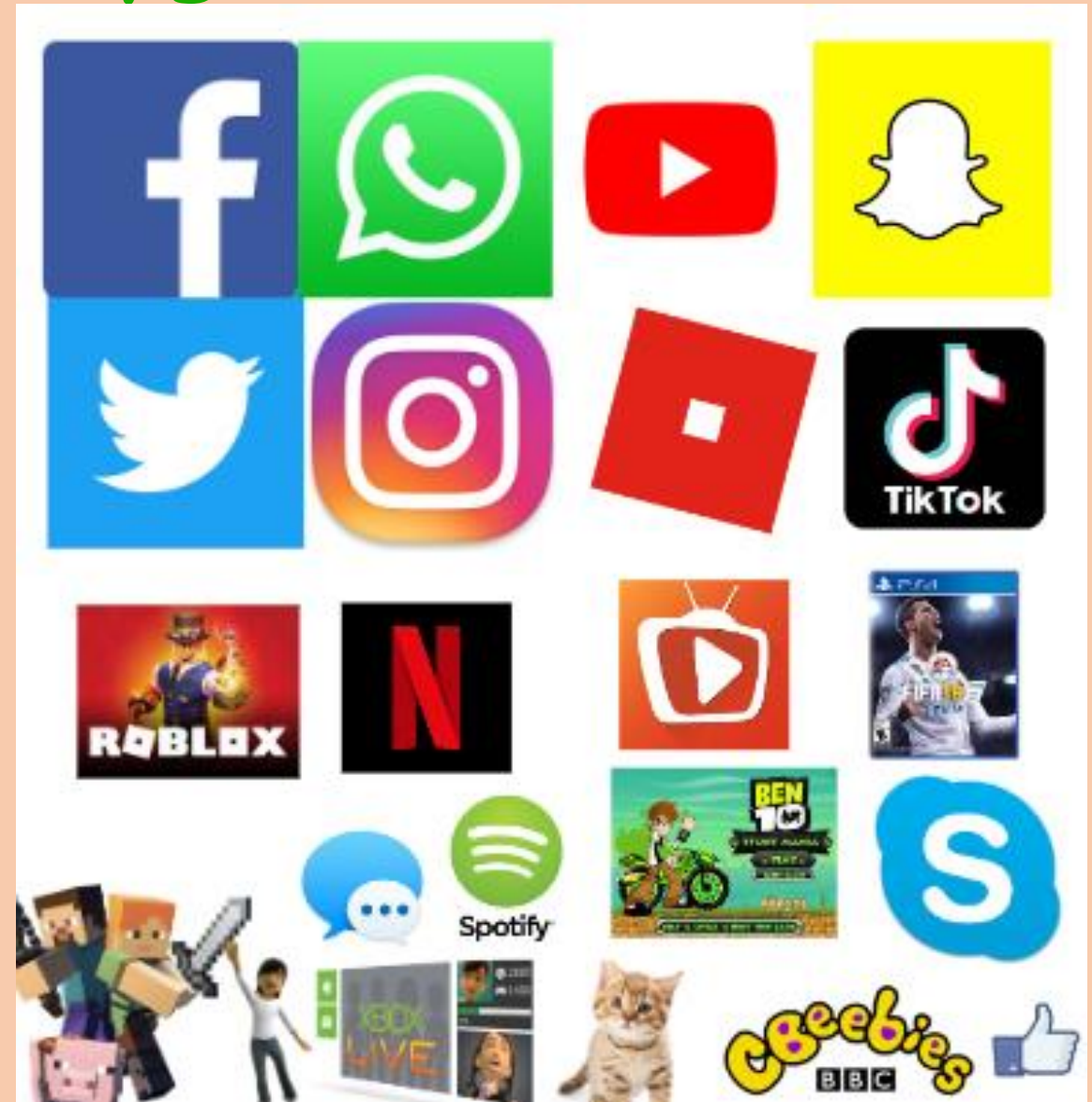
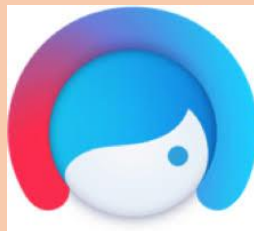


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Children's Digital Playground (6-12)

What are your children doing online?

- Watch videos on YouTube or Tik Tok
- Play a range of online games from Roblox and Fortnite to Toca Boca mobile games
- Older children use apps such Instagram to share their stories online and live-stream
- Some may also be using platforms like Twitch to watch others playing games.



Roblox PEGI Rating Now 13+

Roblox: The children's game with a sex problem

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Screengrab from a Roblox 'Condo'

By James Clayton & Jasmin Dyer

BBC News



'Tik Tots'

TikTok being used by 16% of British toddlers, Ofcom finds

Three-year-olds are on the video-sharing platform and it may be affecting their attention span



📌 Tiktok's terms of service excludes under-13s. Photograph: poplasen/Getty Images/iStockphoto

British toddlers are increasingly likely to be users of **TikTok**, with a substantial number of parents saying their preschool children use the video service despite the app supposedly being restricted to those aged 13 and older.

About 16% of three- and four-year-olds view TikTok content, according to research commissioned by media regulator Ofcom. This rises to a third of all children in the five- to seven-year-old age group.

Table 1

23% of	3+4 year olds
• 30%	of 5-7 year olds
• 63%	of 8-11 year olds
• 93%	of 12-15 year olds
• 97%	of 16+17 year olds

Online Gaming: 8-17s

Playing games with others



55%

Played against or with someone else **they know**



25%

Played against or with someone **they don't know** outside game

In-game chat (messaging or headset)

47%

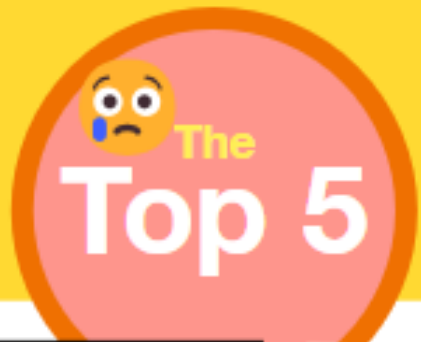
Chat to people **they know**



22%

Chat to people **they don't know** outside the game





Platforms Flagged for Severe Bullying



1. Discord



2. Snapchat



3. Instagram



4. Kik



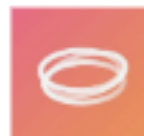
5. Tik Tok



Others to watch for:



Twitch



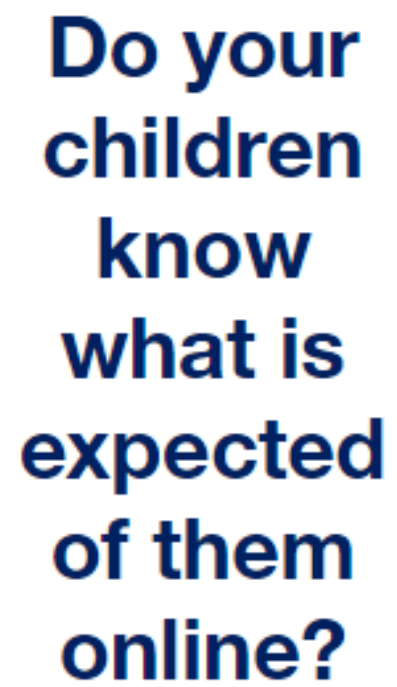
Hoop



Whatsapp

What can you do?

*We don't disclose because
no one will help, and many
will make it worse.*

A black smartphone icon is centered on a background split vertically into green and red. The screen of the phone is white and contains the text "Do your children know what is expected of them online?" in a bold, dark blue font.

**Do your
children
know
what is
expected
of them
online?**

Taming Gaming

taminggaming.com/game/Fortnite

Family Gaming DATABASE

Sign-In

Search Database

This game is rated PEGI 12

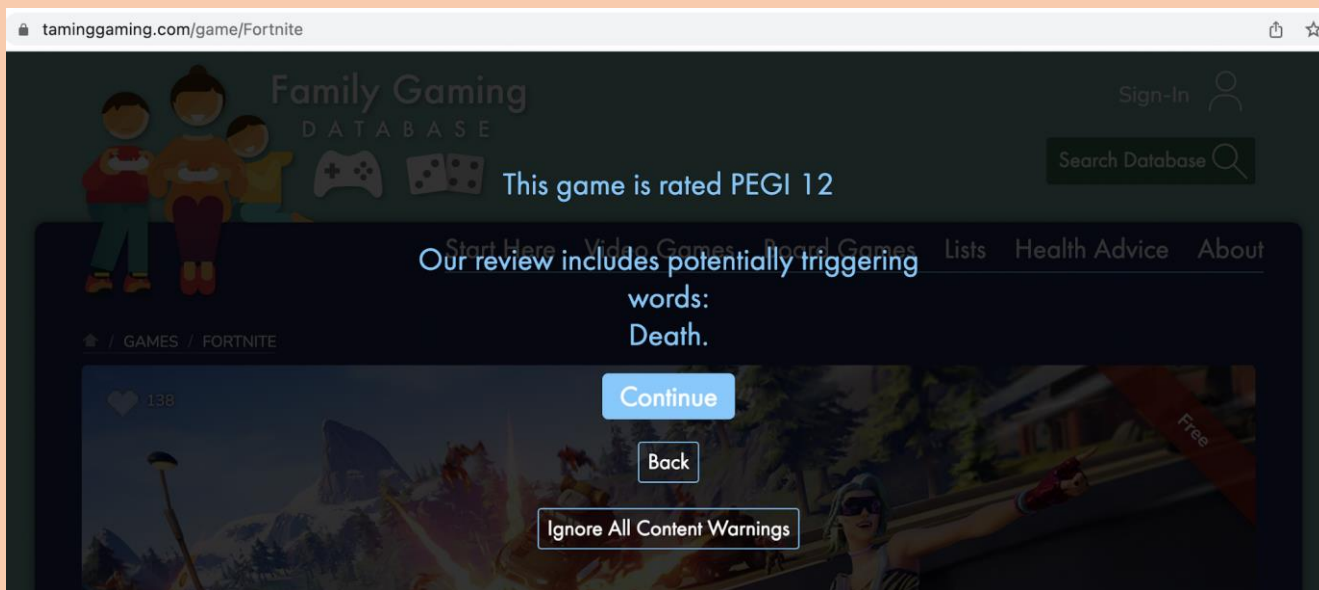
Start Here Video Games Board Games Lists Health Advice About

Our review includes potentially triggering words:
Death.

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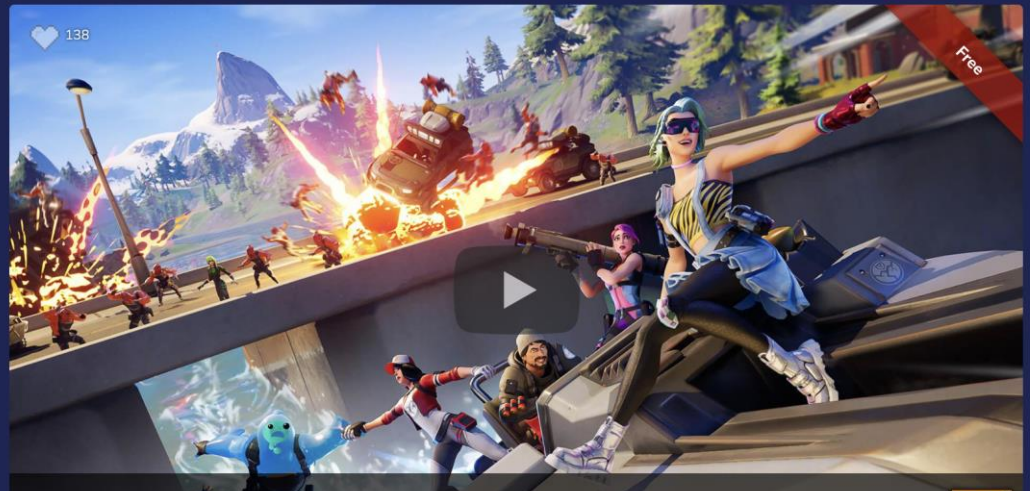
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Ignore All Content Warnings



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Fortnite Review

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Posted: 2 years ago, last updated 2 weeks ago.
Author: @GeekDadGamer, Jo Robertson and Rich Adams.

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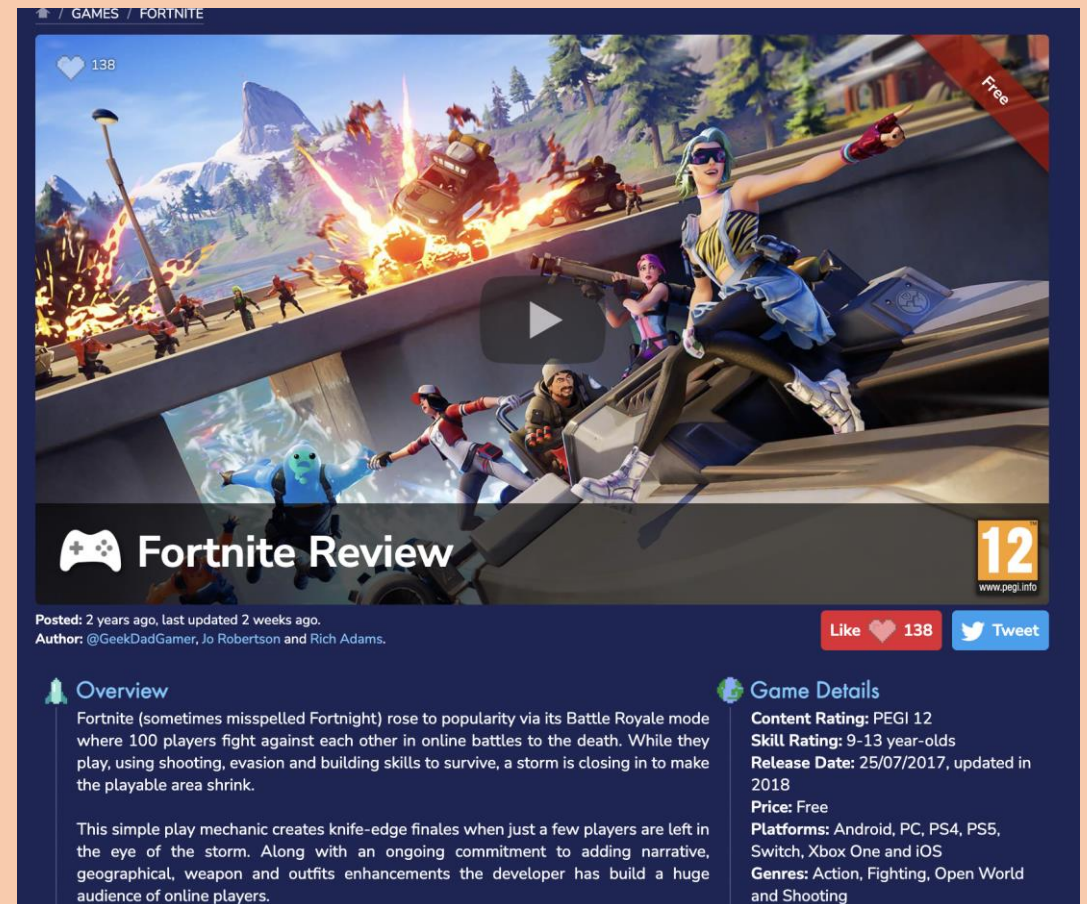
Overview

Fortnite (sometimes misspelled Fortnite) rose to popularity via its Battle Royale mode where 100 players fight against each other in online battles to the death. While they play, using shooting, evasion and building skills to survive, a storm is closing in to make the playable area shrink.

This simple play mechanic creates knife-edge finales when just a few players are left in the eye of the storm. Along with an ongoing commitment to adding narrative, geographical, weapon and outfits enhancements the developer has build a huge audience of online players.

Game Details

Content Rating: PEGI 12
Skill Rating: 9-13 year-olds
Release Date: 25/07/2017, updated in 2018
Price: Free
Platforms: Android, PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, Xbox One and iOS
Genres: Action, Fighting, Open World and Shooting



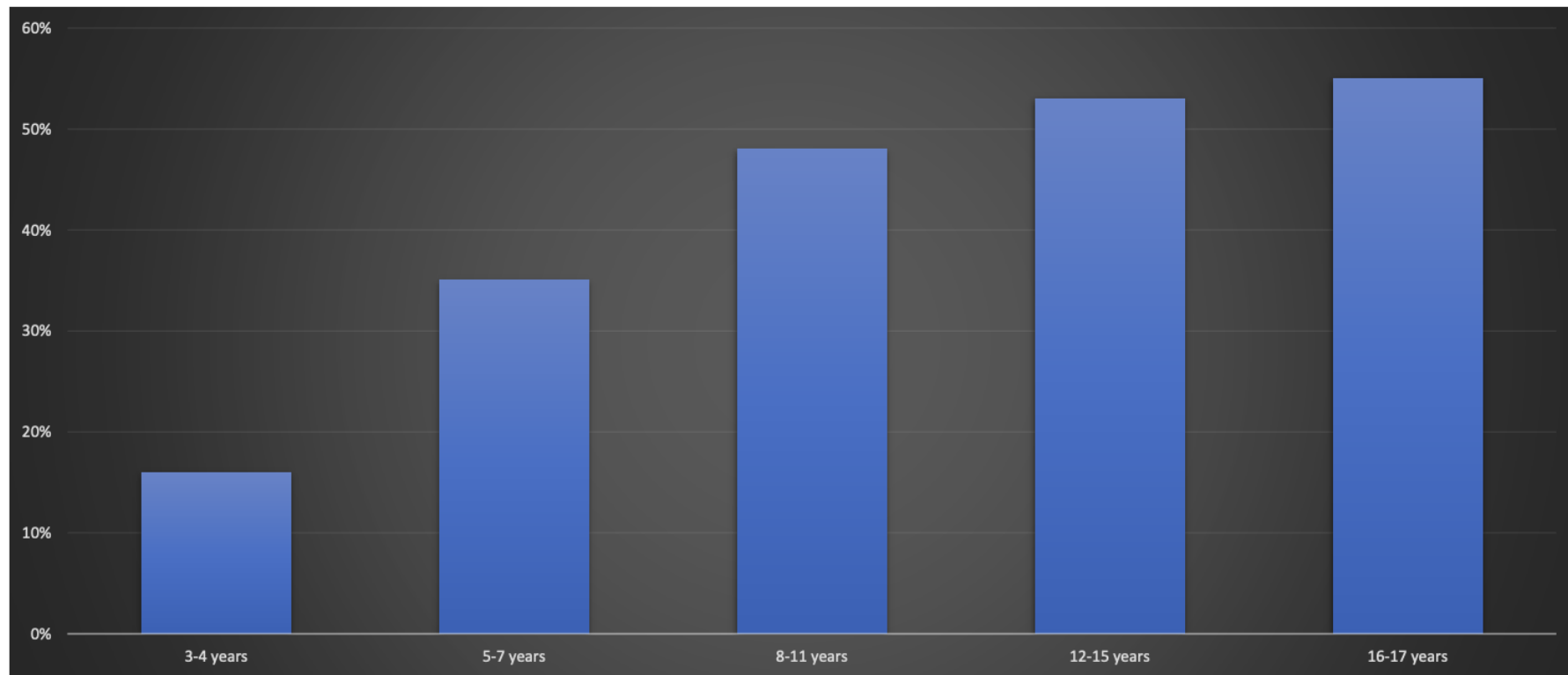
Do you know your influencers?



What do you know about the influencers your children are interested in?

Do you know your influencers?

Personalities or influencers from TikTok/YouTube



Do you know your influencers?



Sections

THE IRISH TIMES

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Andrew Tate's banned from YouTube, TikTok, Twitter, Facebook and Instagram. What's he said that's so bad?

The brash, shaven-headed grifter targets children, teenagers and young men with toxic, misogynistic opinions

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Tate has now been banned from YouTube, TikTok, Twitter, Facebook and Instagram, but his fans still post his content on all those platforms. He has also shut down his Hustlers University affiliate scheme. But he hasn't gone away, and there will be other Andrew Tates to come.

Parents and guardians should talk regularly to the children and teenagers in their care about what sort of content they're viewing online and how being online makes them feel.

DEADLY BY DESIGN

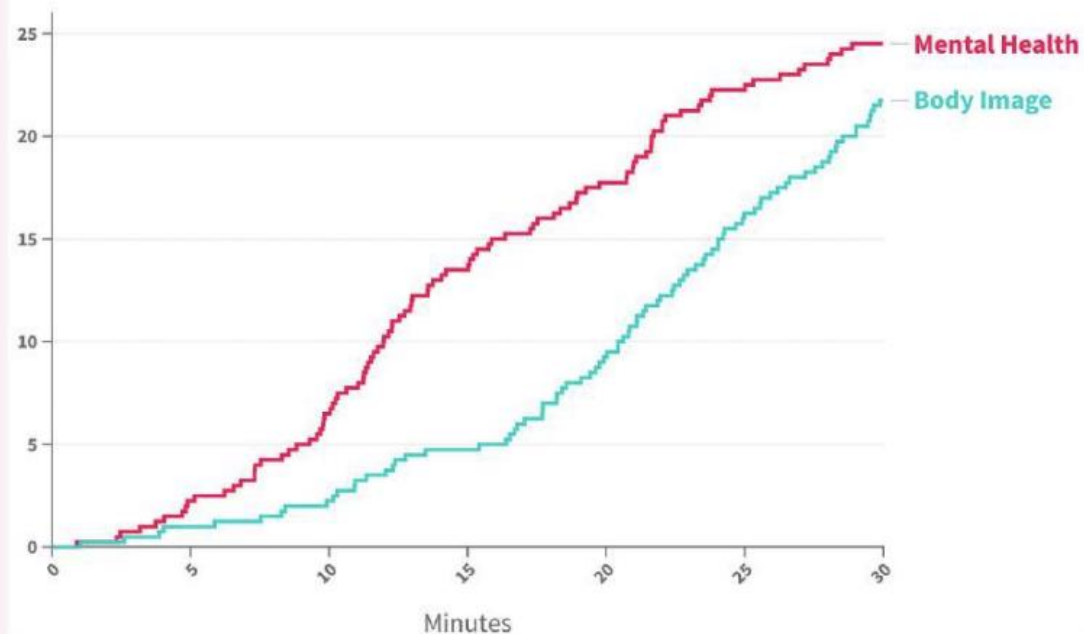


TikTok pushes harmful content promoting eating disorders and self-harm into users' feeds.



Categories of videos served to Standard Teen Accounts

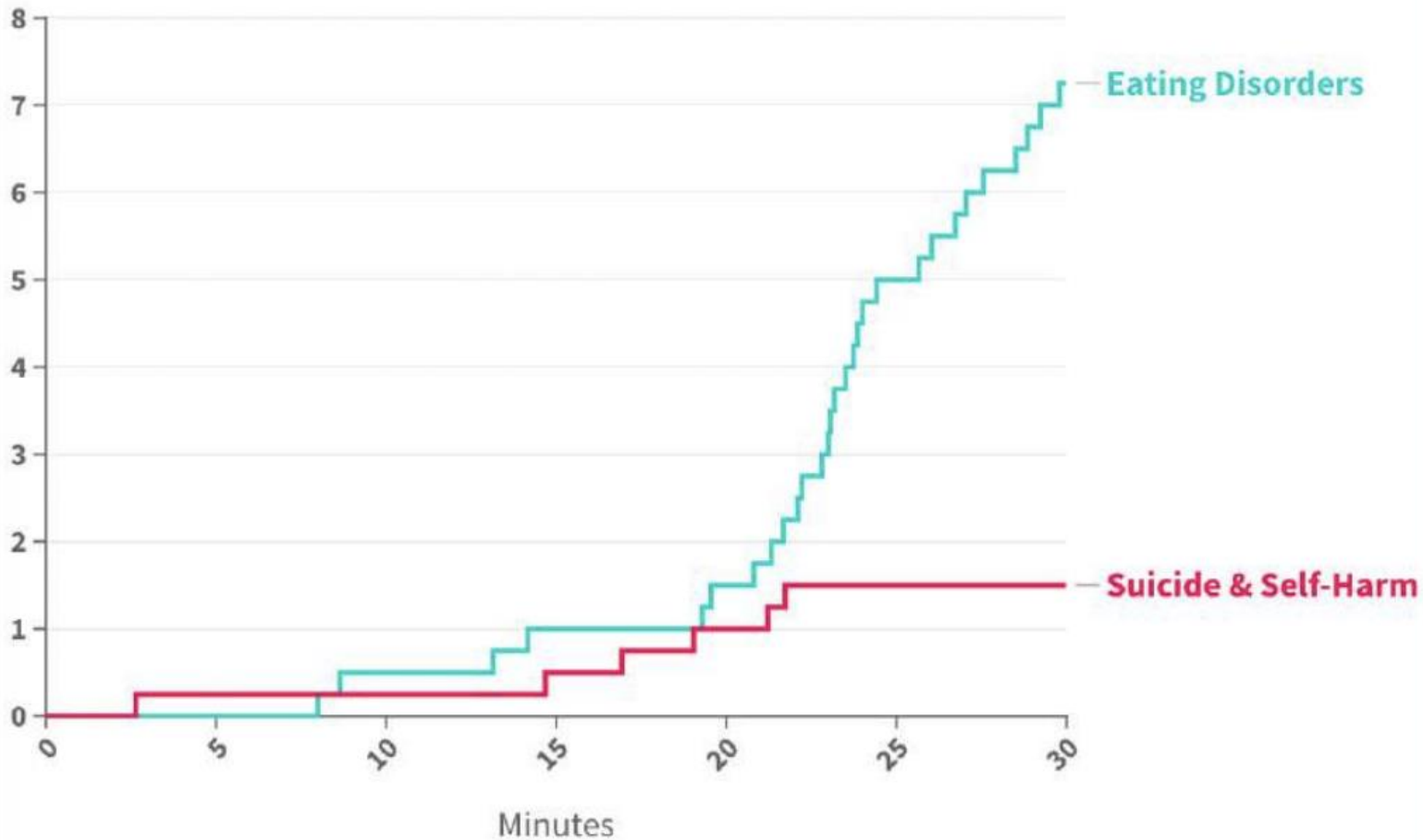
Total videos shown on average to Standard Teens



This graph displays the average number of mental health and body image videos shown to Standard Teen Accounts in the first 30 minutes of using the app

Standard Teen Accounts served up harmful content

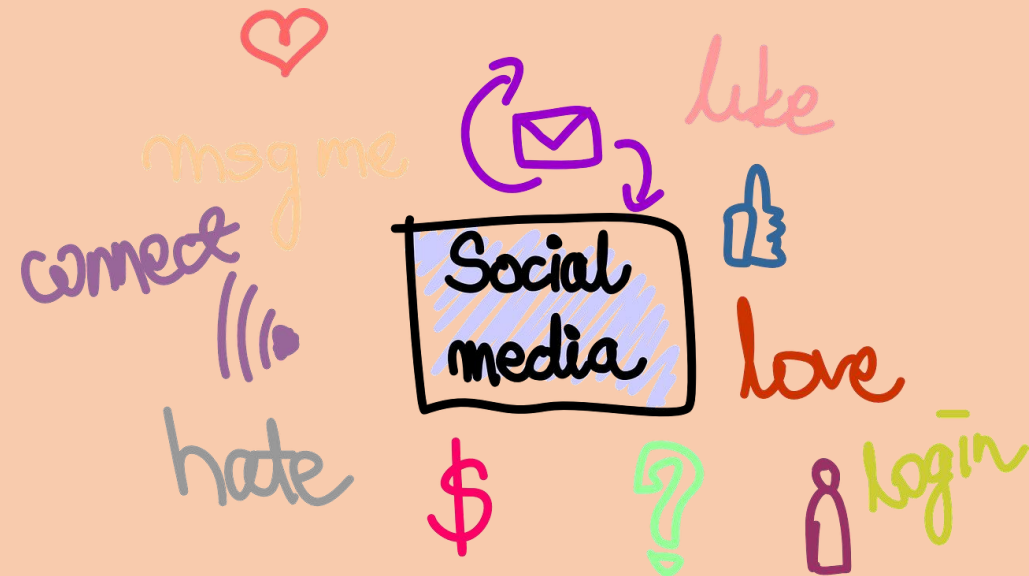
Total videos shown on average to Standard Teens



This graph displays an average of recommendations to the four Standard Teen Accounts, showing that the pace of eating disorder and self-harm recommendations increased over 30 minutes with no noticeable slowdown effects or other safeguarding measures.

Supporting your child

- Take an interest.
- Listen and don't judge.
- Engage with them.
- Use technology with them.
- Do not become a 'sharent' - lead by example.
- Talk to other parents about any issues - join social media parents groups.
- Be open minded to technology.



Test your Home Filtering



Filter Test Results

Tests were performed at 04/10/2023 13:23

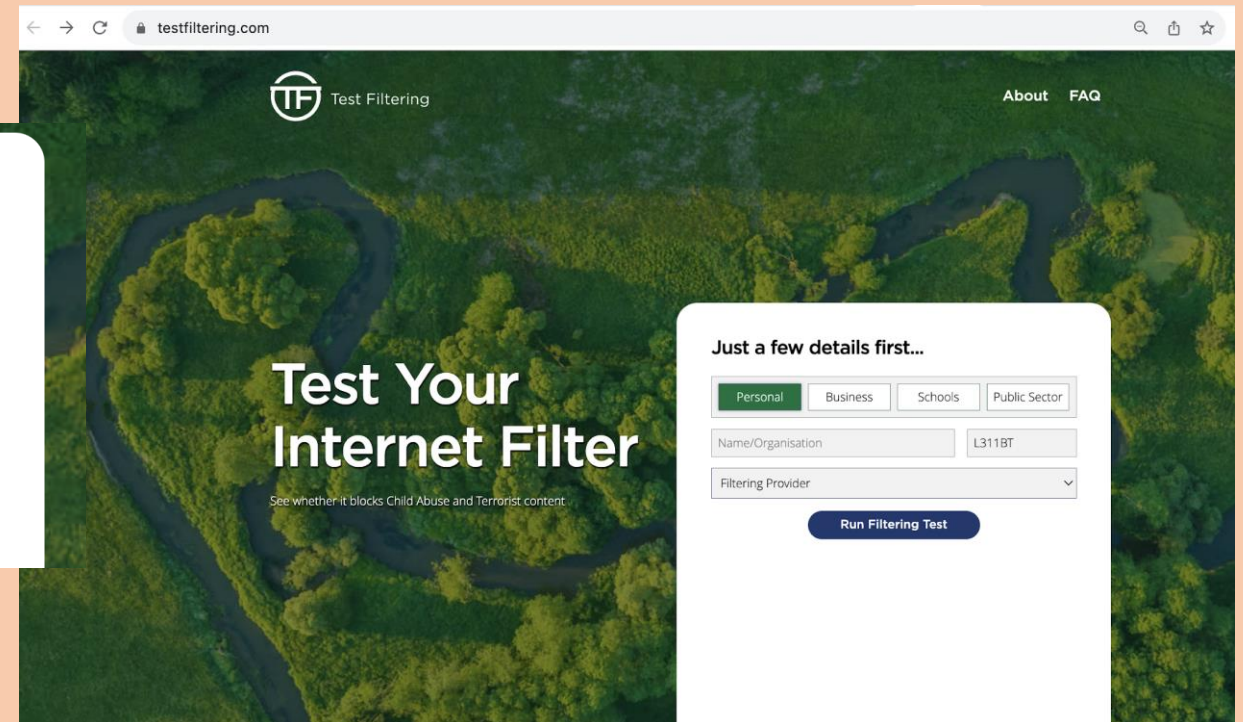
Your Connection

Type	Postcode	IP Address
Personal	L31 1BT	62.252.201.33
Network	Reputation	
NTL	Excellent	

Results Overview

	
Child Sexual Abuse Content	Adult Content

<https://testfiltering.com/>



The screenshot shows the testfiltering.com website. The browser address bar displays "testfiltering.com". The page features a green and white color scheme with a background image of a river flowing through a forest. The main heading reads "Test Your Internet Filter" with the subtext "See whether it blocks Child Abuse and Terrorist content". On the right side, there is a form titled "Just a few details first..." with tabs for "Personal", "Business", "Schools", and "Public Sector". The "Personal" tab is selected. The form includes a "Name/Organisation" field with "L311BT" entered, a "Filtering Provider" dropdown menu, and a "Run Filtering Test" button. The top right corner of the page has links for "About" and "FAQ".

Frankie Thomas: Coroner rules school failed teen who took own life

🕒 7 October 2021



THOMAS FAMILY

| Frankie Thomas took her own life after viewing graphic content online for months

A coroner has ruled a school's failure to prevent a pupil accessing harmful material online on its equipment contributed to her taking her own life.

Frankie Thomas, 15, died at her home in Witley, Surrey, in September 2018, after viewing explicit self-harm material for several months.

An inquest heard her teachers wrongly believed internet filters were in place.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-surrey-58817821>

The Legends Family Adventure

Be Internet Legends.

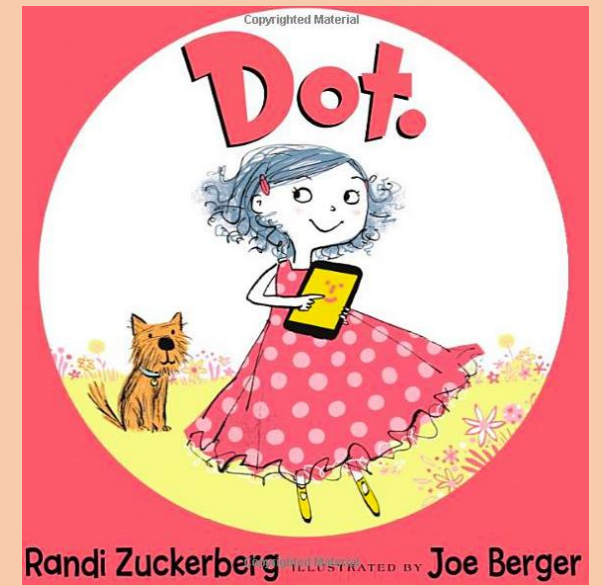
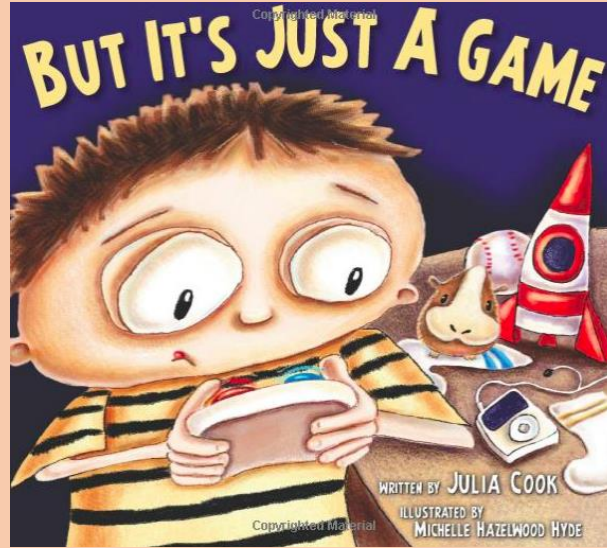
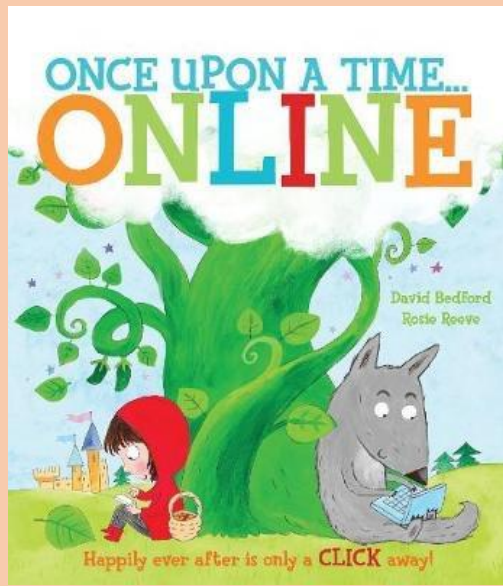


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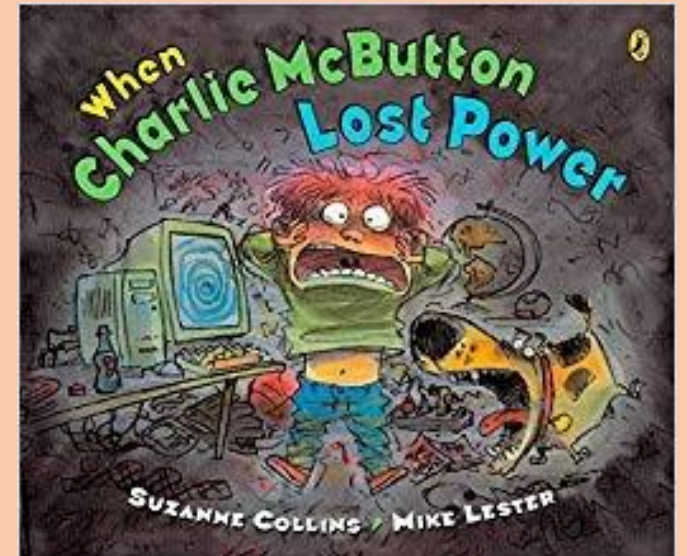
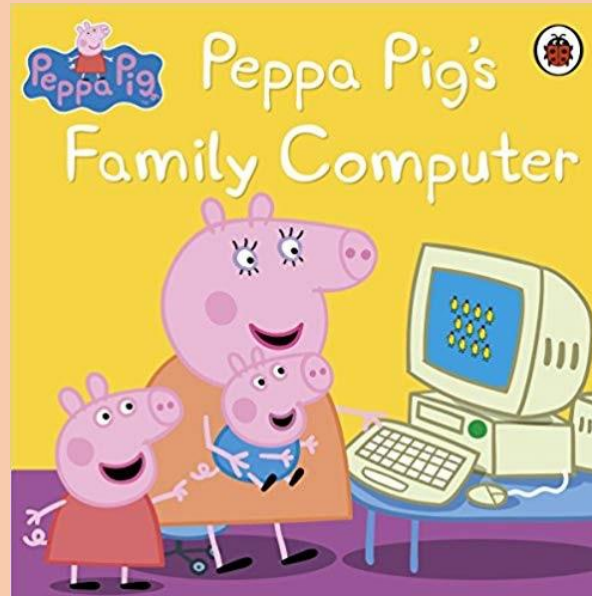
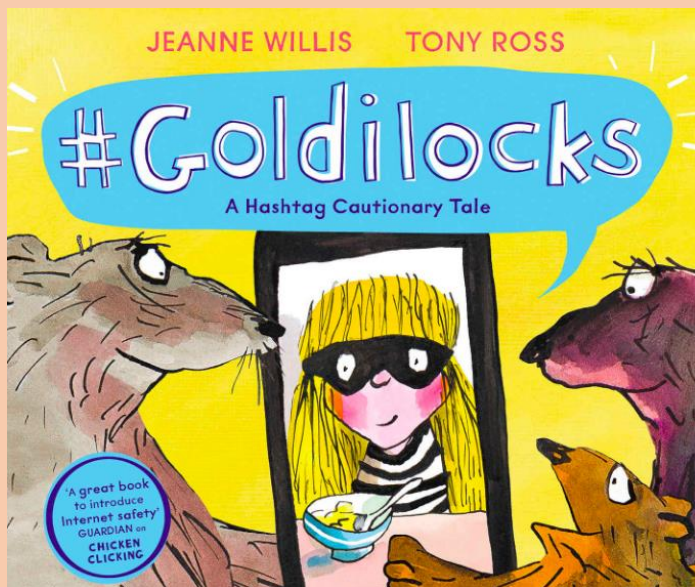
Join the Legends Family in this short, animated series as they go on a journey to Interland and learn some very important lessons about internet safety along the way.

Scroll sideways to begin!





Online Safety Books



Children will make mistakes...

Create a culture where they will tell...

"I wouldn't want to be called a snitch"



Total

29%

"I'd worry that I was to blame"



Total

39%

"My parents/carer would stop me using the internet"



Total

30%

A stylized illustration of a computer monitor with a grey base and a white screen. The screen displays the text "Parental Controls" in a green, sans-serif font. The monitor is centered on a white background, which is itself set against a light orange gradient background.

Parental Controls



Google Family Link

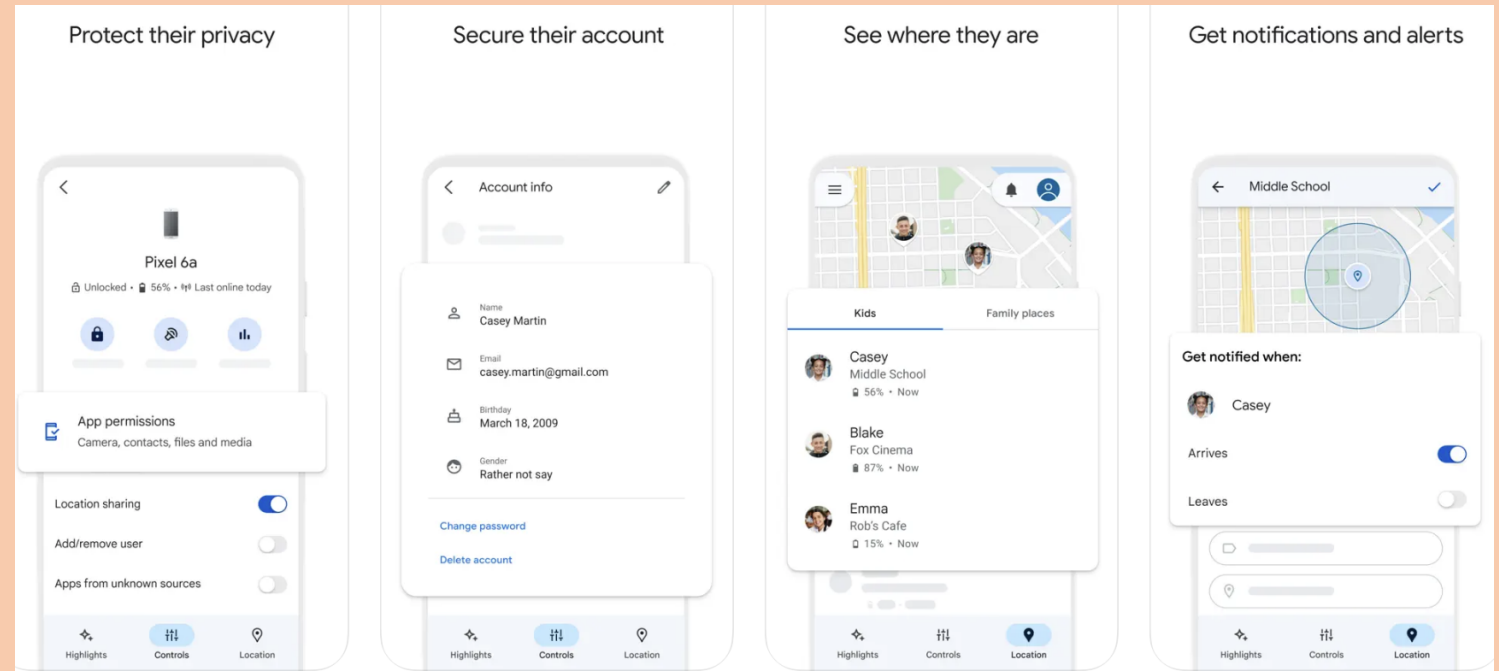
- Available on App and Android Stores.

- Monitor Screen Time.

- Manage Apps.

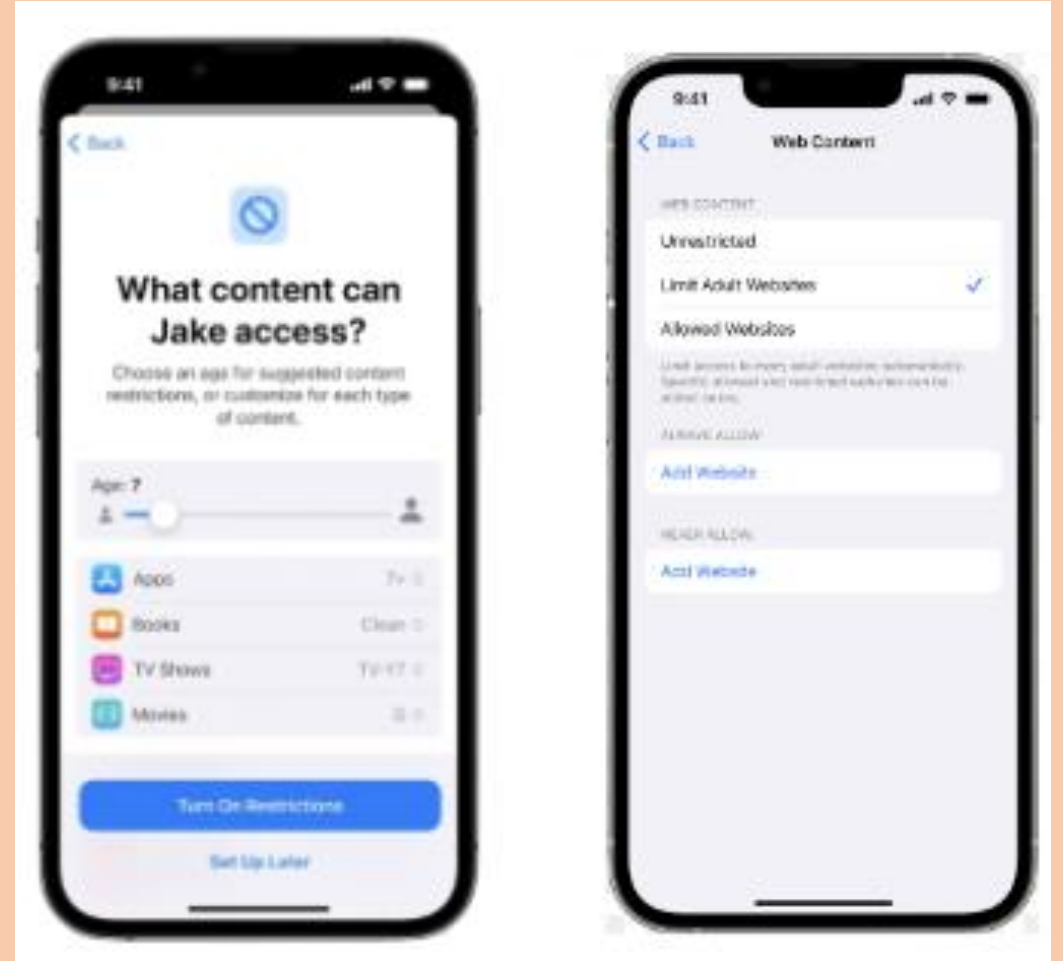
- Set sleep time.

- See where they are.



Apple Parental Control

- Restrict Apps
- Set time limits
- Filter web content
- Restrict the game centre.





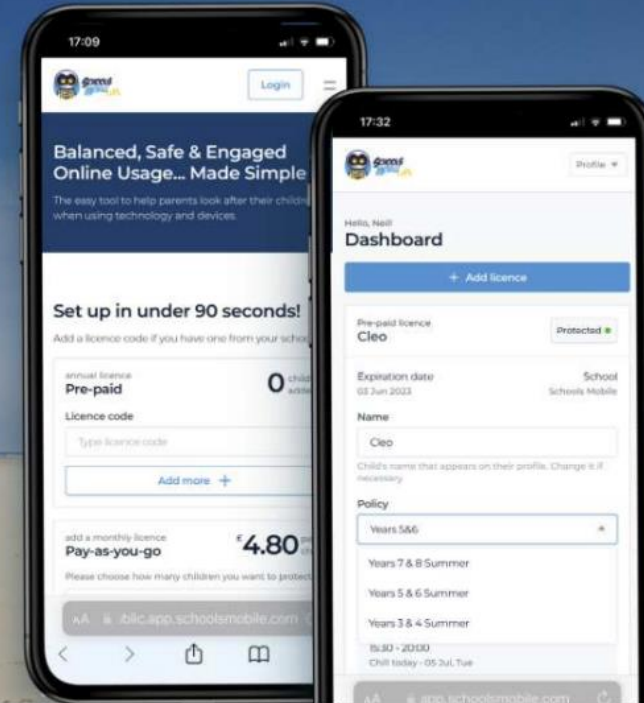
Digitised Safeguarding,
Threat Protection & Parental Controls
applied in just 90 Seconds!

BALANCED. SAFE. SIMPLE.

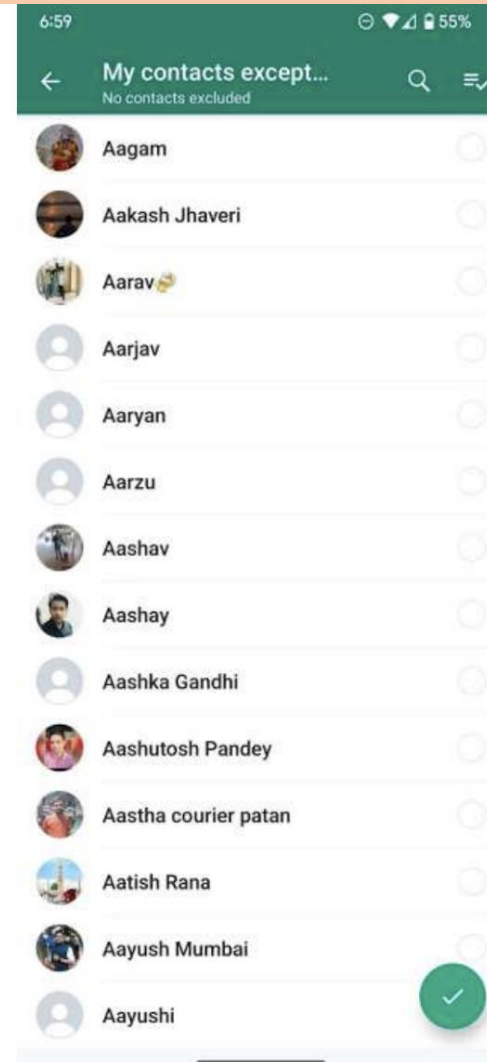
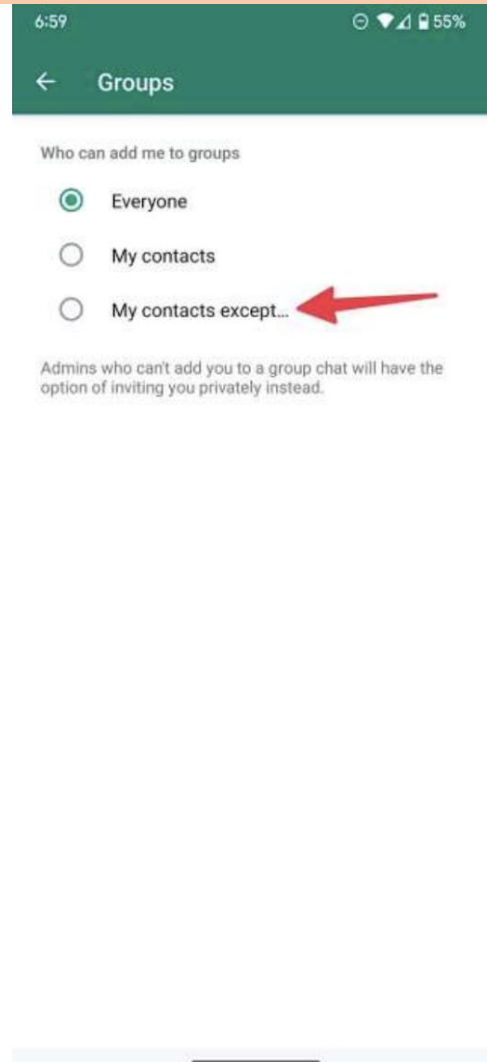
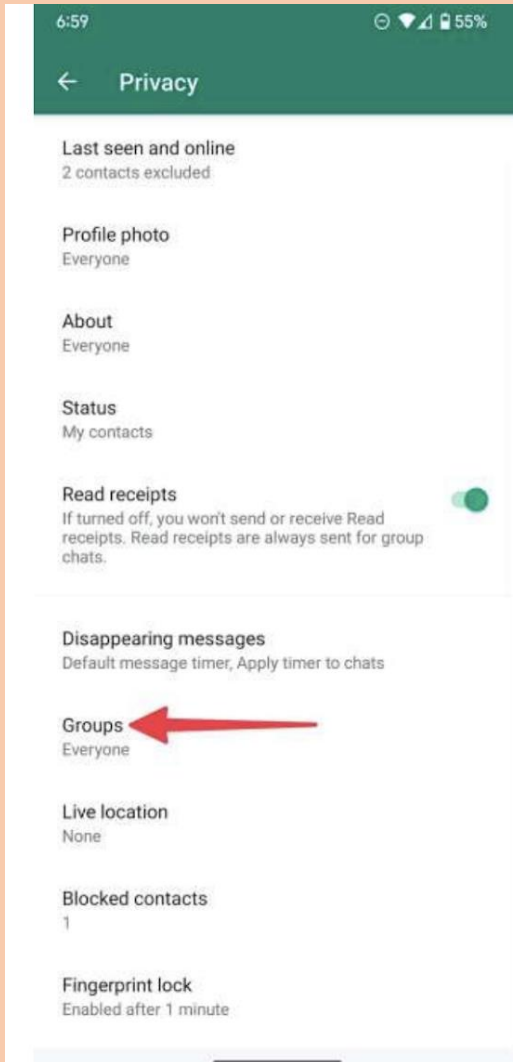
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WhatsApp



Support for you

• You can always speak to:

- CEOP
- NSPCC
- School

• Or for more general information you can visit these sites:

- UK Safer Internet Centre (<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/>)

- Internet Matters (<https://www.internetmatters.org/>)

The Parent Zone (<https://parentzone.org.uk/home>)

Live Streaming

This part of the presentation is only suitable for over 18s and may upset some parents.

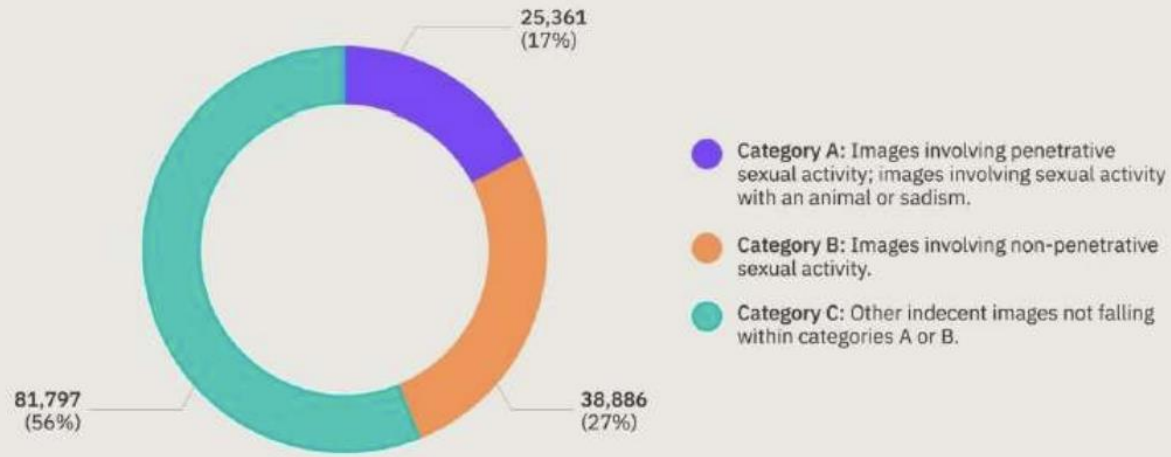
#BehindTheScreens

A deep dive into the digital and social emergency happening #BehindTheScreens, in children's bedrooms.

Age comparison over the past three years

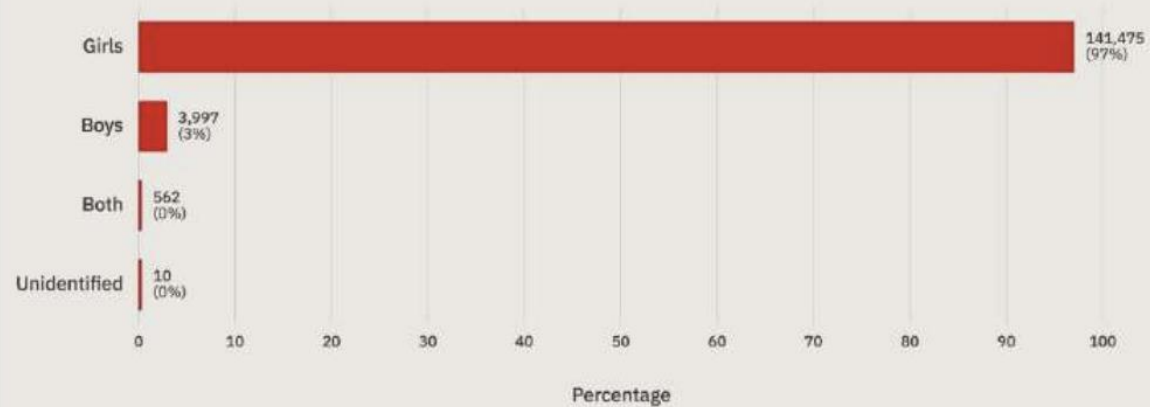


11-13 year olds – severity of abuse



Source: IWF Annual Report 2022

11-13 year olds – sex of victims



Source: IWF Annual Report 2022

Q: How old were you when someone first asked you to send them a nude or nearly nude image or video of yourself? *Among total sample*

60%

OF GIRLS

had ever been asked to share a nude

31%

OF BOYS

had ever been asked to share a nude

34%

OF GIRLS

were first asked to share a nude aged 13 or younger

9%

OF BOYS

were first asked to share a nude aged 13 or younger

BASE: Total sample: Girls n=2407; Boys n=1908. **n= number of respondents**

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Cleveland inquiry into sextortion reports targeting teenage boys

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Increase in 'sextortion' offences reported to Wiltshire Police

2nd November

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FBI warns of explosion in sextortion cases targeting teenagers

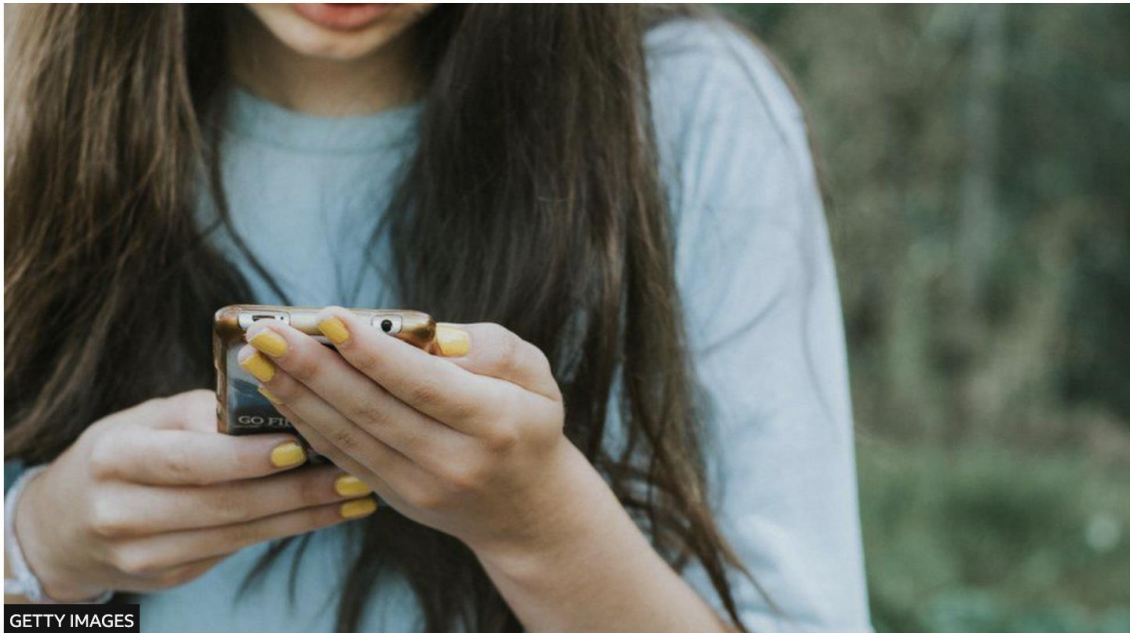
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Report Remove

New tool for under-18s to report nude photos of themselves online

By Francesca Gillett
BBC News

© 22 June 2021



HOW TO GET YOUR IMAGE REMOVED

If you're under 18 and a nude image or video of you has been shared online, you can report it to be removed from the internet. You'll need to:

- Select your age and follow the steps below.
- Create a Childline account so we can send you updates on your report.
- Report your image or video to the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF)
- Check your Childline locker for a few days after your report to see if you need to add any more information and to see updates on your report.



**Nude image of you online?
We can help take it down.**

MAKE YOUR REPORT

To help you get your image removed we need to know how old you are.
Please select your age using one of the buttons below.

Under 13 years old

13-15 years old

16-17 years old

18 and over

Any questions?

Please don't hesitate if you want to get in contact after the session.