A Laptop is a Computer
A Smartphone is a Computer
DIFFERENT TYPES OF COMPUTERS

- DESKTOP
- LAPTOP
- PC
- MAC
- TABLET
- SMARTPHONE
- GAME SYSTEMS
ONLINE RISK

Cyberbullying
SEXTING
Sextortion
Social Media
Sexual Solicitation
Child Pornography
According to Research

The scale of the problem.

- 2004: 450,000 files*
- 2019: 70 million files*

*The number of child sexual abuse files reviewed by the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children.

63% of victimized kids
Thorn encountered had been advertised online

ISP-ICAC 2016 (Bledsoe)
The CyberTipline at the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children has surpassed a daunting new milestone: 100 million reports of suspected child sexual exploitation, nearly all related to images and videos of children being sexually abused that are circulating on the internet, some even live streamed.

Report Reveals One-Third Of Online Child Sex Abuse Images Are Posted By Kids Themselves
Talk to someone today

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
Free · Confidential · Hours:
Available 24 hours

CHAT
1-800-273-8255

1-800-273-TALK (8255)
suicidepreventionlifeline.org
The Law ... And Your Child’s Phone

A minor does not have the right to sign a legally binding contract of any kind, including a cell phone contract. If a 16-year-old wanted to own and operate a cell phone, she would need someone over 18 to sign the contract associated with it for her. That person would then be legally responsible for any debt the 16-year-old acquired. If the adult wanted to terminate the cell phone contract, he would have the right to do so whether the minor agreed or not. However, he would have to pay the early termination fees if the cell phone service was still under contract.
The Internet was not designed with children in mind!
Know the Age Restrictions
For 13+

FaceBook
Snap Chat
Instagram
Among Us
Fortnite
House Party
Discord
Google+

WhatsApp
GroupMe
Meet Me
Tumbler
Telegram

For 16+

YouTube
TikTok
Kik
Live.me
Xbox Live
WeChat
YOLO

For 18+ (13 with Parents Permission)
END USER LICENSE AGREEMENT

MADE IN GOOD FAITH (SEE SECTION 12). YOU HAVE A TIME-LIMITED RIGHT TO OPT OUT OF THIS WAIVER.

TO ENTER INTO THIS LICENSE AGREEMENT, YOU MUST BE AN ADULT OF THE LEGAL AGE OF MAJORITY IN YOUR COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE. YOU ARE LEGALLY AND FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ACTIONS USING OR ACCESSING OUR SOFTWARE, INCLUDING THE ACTIONS OF ANYONE YOU ALLOW TO ACCESS TO YOUR ACCOUNT. YOU AFFIRM THAT YOU HAVE REACHED THE LEGAL AGE OF MAJORITY, UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT THIS AGREEMENT (INCLUDING ITS DISPUTE RESOLUTION TERMS). IF YOU ARE UNDER THE LEGAL AGE OF MAJORITY, YOUR PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN MUST CONSENT TO THIS AGREEMENT.

Certain words or phrases are defined to have certain meanings when used in this Agreement. Those words and phrases are defined below in Section 16.

If your primary residence is in the United States of America, your agreement is with Epic Games, Inc. If it is not in the United States of America, your agreement is with Epic Games International S.A.r.l., acting through its Swiss branch.
Reputational risk
Teenagers may not realize that anything they post online about themselves may almost be impossible to remove later in life and this may affect their reputation when applying for a job in the future. If it’s online, it is forever.

Online grooming
Cyber predators lurking on different sites on the internet may befriend a child, build trust over time and ultimately lure our children into sending images or even meeting in person.
BEFORE THE PANDEMIC

The FBI estimates that there are between 500,000 and 750,000 sexual predators active on the internet in any given day.
Online grooming is a term used broadly to describe the tactics abusers deploy through the internet to sexually exploit children.
ONLINE GROOMING

“Children are being groomed online in under 45 minutes”
NSPCC
A Kids Day...
Who are the predators?

Ages 14 – 70
All Races
All Socio-Economic Classes
Janitors, lawyers, teachers, police, fire
priest, coaches…etc
Internet provides access to children
Easy access to child pornography
Venue to meet similarly interested persons
Perception of ANONYMITY
Who is Targeted?

RISKY BEHAVIORS

• Posting personal information
• Interacting with strangers online
• “Friending” people they don’t know
• Talking about sex online
• Looking at pornography
• Seeming “needy” online
• Being rude or mean to others
Goal of Online Grooming

- To obtain and share explicit photos
- To engage in sexual conversation
- To meet in person
- To receive some sort of financial benefit
Stages in Grooming

- Friendship Forming Stage
- Relationship Forming Stage
- Risk Assessment Stage
- Exclusivity Stage
- Sexual Stage
- Conclusion Stage
Signs of Online Grooming

• Spending more time online
• Being secretive
• Switching screens
• Possessing new items
• Using sexual language
• Emotions more volatile
How Predators use Social Media

82% Use social media to learn about their victim’s likes and dislikes.

65% Use social media to learn where their victim lives and goes to school.

26% Use social media to learn the location of their victim at a specific point in time.

18% Only 18% of kids use chat rooms. Yet, most sex crimes against kids are initiated in them.

18% IS NOT ACCURATE
#StopSextortion

SEXTORTION
THREATS TO EXPOSE A SEXUAL IMAGE IN ORDER TO MAKE A PERSON DO SOMETHING
Where sextortion happens

54% Social networks

41% Messaging & Photo apps

9% Dating apps

4% Gaming platforms
Predators are targeting children through games like Fortnite, report says

The report says the men started conversations through popular apps like Kik, Wishbone, Discord Tumblr and even video games like Fortnite and Minecraft.

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Federal authorities have arrested an Indiana man in what they fear is a nationwide "sextortion" scheme that could involve hundreds of teenage boys coerced to record sexual activity online.

Richard Finkbiner, 39, of Brazil, Ind., has been charged with extorting two 14-year-old boys in Maryland and Michigan by threatening to post sexually explicit videos of them online, the Associated Press reports.
YOUR PARENTS ARE LEGALLY AND FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR ONLINE ACTIONS – So invite them into your online world. Share your favorite Meme. Show them how to play a game. Teach them about your favorite App. YOU CAN WORK TOGETHER TO KEEP EVERYONE SAFE
TECHNOLOGY CAN’T CATCH EVERYTHING, SO COMMUNICATE! AND EDUCATE!
RED FLAGS: Online Predators

- Sound Nice
- Always Agree With You
- Ask for Personal Information
- Want to Chat Privately
- Already Know Things About you
- Monitor Your Online Activities
- Stalk you online

Example 2:
AP: Hi Beautiful
AP: R U like 15 beautiful
AP: And I read ur bio
AP: I don’t care if ur younger beautiful
20% of teens say they have sent a nude/semi-nude of themselves

15% of teens say they have sent a nude/semi-nude of themselves to someone they only know online

71% of teens girls say they have sent suggestive content to a boyfriend/girlfriend

55% of people will share the sexted image with multiple people

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SEXTERS ARE FOUR TIMES AS LIKELY TO HAVE CONSIDERED SUICIDE IN THE PAST YEAR THAN NON-SEXTERS.
• KNOW HOW TO BLOCK OR REPORT CONTENT
• USE YOUR PRIVACY SETTING
• IF YOU WOULDN’T A STRANGER ON THE STREET, DON’T TELL THE STRANGER ONLINE-
• PICTURES HOLD POWERFUL INFORMATION
• POSTING IS PERMANENT