

ONLINE IMPERSONATION

Here are some facts around online impersonation and the dangers of the internet.

WHAT IS ONLINE CHAT?



Online chats are virtual places on the Internet where people can get together and 'talk' using text. Some use specific programs to access and use the facility, others are built into websites, including social networking and gaming sites.

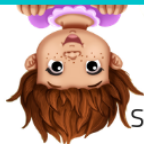
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IMPORTANT TIPS WHEN ONLINE

Never disclose private information when online or online gaming. Be very careful about how and when you meet people in person.



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ONLINE RISKS

Strangers you meet online may be cyber stalkers, or intend to threaten or harass you, persuade you to change your ideologies or have sexual intentions. Young adults and children may be lured into inappropriate conversations with ill-meaning adults.

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ONLINE CHAT SAFETY

Keep your personal information secret when completing your profile or chatting online (name, address, telephone number, mobile number, private email address, picture), even if people ask for this.



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BE SAFE ONLINE

Think before you answer private messages. Take action if you think your friends are at risk.

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