

Do you think someone's grooming you, your friends or someone else?

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# Support and Information for boys and young men on

- Online Safety
- Safe Relationships
- Grooming
- Sexual Exploitation

### **BOYS GET GROOMED TOO!**

### THE WARNING SIGNS

## Age

Someone who

• Is not close to your own age



#### **Lies and Secrets**

Someone who

- Tells you to lie
- Tells you to keep secrets



## **Overly Friendly**

Someone who

- Gives you gifts
- Gives you support
- Does favours for you Pays for stuff



#### **Sexual Stuff**

Someone who

- Asks personal questions about sex
- Shows you porn or sexual images



## **Inappropriate Stuff**

Someone who

- Travels far to see you Encourages you to bunk off school
- Encourages you to do things you're too young to do

## **Getting you Alone**

Someone who

• Separates you from your friends and family



## **Illegal Stuff**

Someone who

- Takes you to pubs and clubs Gives you drugs and alcohol
- Encourages you to break the law
- · Covers for you if you break the law

## **Nudity**

Someone who

- Takes you clothes shopping Takes you to the gym
- Takes you swimming or to other changing rooms
- Encourages dares and strip games

## **Controlling**

Someone who

- Is bossy and possessive
- Pressures you
- · Always contacts you and gets angry when you don't reply
- · Makes you feel bad, guilty or like you owe them



