

親愛的家長:

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隨著資訊科技的飛速發展及智能裝置的普及,新世代的青少年比以往任何年代更 精通科技。不法分子看準青少年喜愛線上遊戲及網上交友的特點,利用漁翁撒網的方 式在交友程式、社交媒體平台或遊戲聊天室廣發訊息,當有心智未成熟的兒童回應, 便伺機而動用各種手段讓他們放下戒心,一步步實行**性誘識**使他們服從各種性要求, 並以恐嚇和威脅等手段迫使他們保持緘默。

在上半年,涉及以學生為受害人的裸聊勒索案達 215 宗,當中年紀最小的受害人 只有 11 歳。不法分子會利用不同的幌子博取兒童信任,例如嘘寒問暖去打探兒童的 情況從而投其所好、送禮物示好、或拋磚引玉不斷傳送自己的照片以換取對等回應。 最近,就有一名 13 歲女童於社交媒體平台認識了一名男網友,對方以交換讀書心得 為由與女童多番溝通,並漸漸得到她的信任。他及後稱可以為女童補習而相約見面, 但甫見面便帶她到酒店企圖進行性侵,幸女童及時告知母親,才未有釀成大禍。

性誘識會對兒童造成無法磨滅的傷害,對他們的**社交能力、心理發展**、乃至**整個** 家庭關係造成長遠影響。這種侵害不僅扭曲孩子的純真思想,也破壞了他們應有的快 樂成長。為保護兒童免受性誘識侵害,我們給你以下幾個建議;

- 提醒子女切勿在鏡頭前裸露身體,或發送私密照片;
- 多與子女溝通, 培養他們正確的兩性價值觀:
- **關心子女的網絡活動**,及時制止異常情況,及
- 如懷疑子女漕性誘識,應向學校、社工或相關部門求助。

互聯網的廣泛應用陪隨著不同的隱患,任何人都不可能獨善其身。我們應計漸防 萌,將性誘識的苗頭在萌芽之中拔除,為兒童締造一個安全和愉快的成長環境。如欲 獲得更多資訊,請瀏覽「守網者」網頁(https://CyberDefender.hk)。

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Dear Parents,

Letter to Parents

With the rapid development of technology and the popularization of smart devices, the new generation is more tech-savvy than ever before. Taking advantage of the fact that teenagers love online games and online dating, some sexual offenders use scattergun approach to spread messages on dating apps, social media platforms or online game chat rooms. Once positive response has been received from the immature children, they seize the opportunity to establish a trust relationship through various means to **groom children** for sexual exploitation and intimidate them into silence.

In the first half of the year, there were 215 cases of naked chat blackmail involving student victims, with the youngest being just 11 years old. Offenders often gain children's trust through false pretenses, gradually luring them into their traps. For instance, they may feign concern for the children's situation to learn about their interest so that they can cater to their desires, give gifts to win favor, or repeatedly send their own photos in order to solicit pictures from the children. Recently, a 13-year-old girl met a male friend online through social media platform. After a few rounds of online chats, he eventually built a trusting relationship with the girl under the guise of sharing study tips. He later claimed that he could offer her tutoring and arranged a meeting, upon which he took her to a hotel and attempted to rape her. Fortunately, the girl managed to inform her mother in time, preventing a tragedy.

Child sexual grooming not only inflicts severe harm but can also negatively impact children's **social skills**, **mental development**, and **family relationships**. Such experiences can distort children's worldview and undermine their right to a happy upbringing. To protect children from sexual grooming, consider the following tips:

- Remind children not to expose themselves in front of the camera or send explicit photos;
- Communicate openly with your children to help them understand healthy gender relationships;
- Stay informed about your children's online activities to identify any concerning situations; and
- Seek assistance from school, social worker or relevant authorities if you suspect your child is being groomed.

The widespread use of the internet comes with different hidden dangers, while none of us can escape from the associated pitfalls. We should take preventative measures to stop grooming at its inception, creating a safe and nurturing environment for children. For more information, please visit the Cyber Defender website (https://CyberDefender.hk).