



Kayleigh Haywood
2000-2015

See the story - watch the clip...

Kayleigh's Love Story – [Leicestershire Police](#) recount the background to this tragic case

[Kayleigh's Love Story](#) – with family permission, this (YouTube) film was made by Leicestershire Police, covering some of the final 14 days of Kayleigh's life. (CAUTION: Cinema rating would be 15)

Please read this, your tutor may read it out to you...

Kayleigh Haywood began speaking to Luke Harlow, a man she had never met, on 31 October 2015.

Over the course of 13 days, they exchanged 2643 messages. Harlow told the 15-year-old all the things many teenage girls want to hear. He told her she was beautiful, how much he cared for her and that she was special.

Harlow was grooming Kayleigh, along with two other young girls he had also been speaking to. But it was Kayleigh that finally agreed to his requests to spend the night of Friday 13 November 2015 at his house.

She spent the next day with him too, and in the early hours of Sunday 15 November, having been held against her will by Harlow and by his next door neighbour Stephen Beadman, Kayleigh was raped and murdered by Beadman.

Online grooming and the dangers of speaking to people online

With the support of Kayleigh's family, Leicestershire Police made the film about aspects of the last two weeks of her life.

Kayleigh's Love Story is as a warning to young people, both girls and boys, about the dangers of speaking to people they don't know online. The film highlights just how quick and easy it can be for children to be groomed online without them or those around them knowing it is happening. Its purpose is to protect children now, and in the future, and to stop another family losing a child in this way.

It's vital that [young people understand the importance of staying safe online](#) and parents can [spot the signs](#) that may indicate their child is being groomed. There is a fact sheet for parents that contains information about online grooming and the tell-tale signs and behaviours.

Grooming, what is it?


- **Grooming** is when someone builds an emotional connection with a child to gain their trust for the purposes of sexual abuse, sexual exploitation or trafficking. Children and young people can be groomed online or face-to-face, by a stranger or by someone they know - for example a family member, friend or professional.

Class activity

- Mind map the different social media there are.
- How many of these do YOU have?
- How many “friends or “followers” do you have on each of these sites?
- How many of those “friends” or “followers” have you ACTUALLY met?
- Those you haven’t met - how do you know that they are who they say they are?

What should you do?





- Clean up your social media by getting rid of people you don't actually know....if you're worried they'll be offended, who cares, you don't know them.
- Block them.
- Check your privacy settings and make sure ONLY your friends can see your stuff.
- If you're ever "not sure" about someone – don't take the risk.
- If you're worried you're into something you're regretting or desperately want to get out of....**tell someone**. We will listen and take action on your behalf.

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Mrs Price - Assistant Principal

Alternate Safeguarding Leads
Mrs Emerton, Mrs Gilson, Mrs Newell - House Managers



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WHEN YOU DISCLOSE SOMETHING TO A MEMBER OF STAFF THEY WILL LISTEN TO YOU ...



They will: Stay calm and be patient
Listen carefully
Explain why they cannot keep it to themselves
Explain what they will do next
Reassure you that they you are doing the right thing in telling them
Ask you if there is anything else you want to mention

They won't: Interpret what you have said
Try to investigate there and then
Ask leading questions
Express an opinion

THE NEXT STEP

The member of staff will talk to one of the designated members of staff shown at the top of this poster. This will remain confidential, only those who need to know and who can try to support you, will know about it.

IF YOU ARE YOU CONCERNED ABOUT YOURSELF OR SOMEONE ELSE OUTSIDE ACADEMY HOURS THEN TELEPHONE;

**ChildLine**
0800 1111 

Suffolk Police: Main switchboard phone number: 01473 613500 or 101
IN AN EMERGENCY DIAL 999

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