

Emerging Threats,
Offender Tactics
and
Use of new Technologies
(Or have things really
changed that much?)

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- Rise in the use of the internet - the 'Internet of Things'




Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) 21/04/16

- **68,092** reports positively identified as containing illegal child sexual abuse imagery and taken down.
- **417%** increase in online confirmed reports over two years (2015 data)
- **118%** increase in illegal child abuse imagery over the previous year

Trends emerging from 2015 data

- **69%** - believed aged 10 or under
- **1,788** - believed aged 2 or under
- **34%** depicted rape or sexual torture of children
- At least 50,000 people in UK have sexual interest in children (source: NCA/ NSPCC May 16)

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- Rise in online child abuse in digital media – images and behaviour leading to contact offending and grooming related offences
 - Broadband speeds increase – download times decrease
 - Changes in social attitudes – over exposure to sexualised imagery - changes in behaviour
 - Greater access to internet enabled devices – greater access to others.....

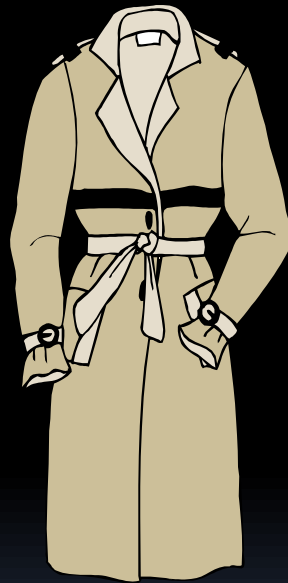


Have dangers to young
people changed that
much in a digital age ?

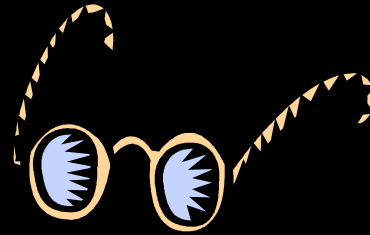
In the real world paedophiles are easy to spot.....



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Charley says...

"Don't Talk To
Strangers"

CHAT ROOMS



Hi. You sound real cute!!
How old are you and what
do you like doing after school?



I am 14 and a bit of a fitness
fanatic, I often go power lifting
after school.



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Talk to strangers!



X Hamster






German public information film 'Where's Klaus?'


<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-IOOn2wR8bU>

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- Young people and the selfie
 - Apps – WhatsApp; Snapchat; IM; KIK (many others)
 - Mainstream social media sites such as Facebook, Twitter

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- Self generated (selfies)
 - Swapping on-line
 - Web-cam captures:
 - 1) Grooming of a child
 - 2) High risk taking behaviour
(including gang initiation)
 - 3) Hacked devices
 - Sextortion/ blackmail
 - Grooming of an adult
 - Live streaming
 - Revenge porn



Once taken – its out there forever

- Dedicated child abuse sites
 - Extreme sex sites
 - Bestiality sites
 - Sent via email or Instant messenger platforms - Apps
 - Used as currencies between offenders
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Aydin COBIN (awaits extradition from Holland
to Canada 28 June 2016)



Amanda Todd



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I've decided
to tell you
about my
never ending
Story

<https://youtu.be/ni-Y3wU92iU>

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