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Knowing The Rules

- Before you get online, you should:
 - Go over the rules of the online service provider
 - Go over the house rules regarding family use
 - Usage time
 - Locations that may be accessed
 - Parental controls
 - What information may be shared with others
- Online rules should be signed by all users, and posted by the computer

Chatroom Behavior

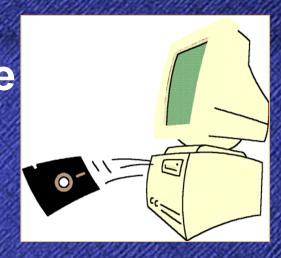
- Remember the following:
 - Anything you say, no matter how secure you think it is, or who you say it to, may be accessed by others



- You do not really know who you are talking to, even though they may represent themselves as a child
- If you are on your parent's account, what you say or do might come back to them

Chatroom Behavior

If you make a mistake or are contacted by someone that makes you uncomfortable, you need to let a parent or adult know immediately



- If you are in doubt of the right action to take, log off and tell an adult
- Information you give others can lead to you being contacted at your residence or by telephone

Good Citizenship

Good citizenship means doing the right things for the right reasons, that benefits others



- Good citizenship when using the computer means:
 - Not sharing software with others
 - Proper conduct online
 - Not transmitting offensive material to others

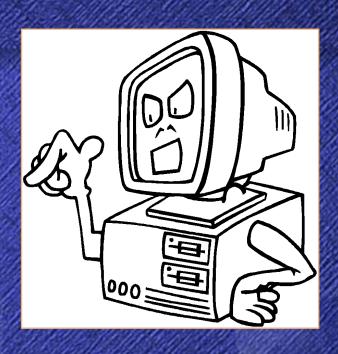
Why Would Someone?

- Want your telephone number?
- Want your last name?
- Want a picture of you?
- How could they go about getting this information online?

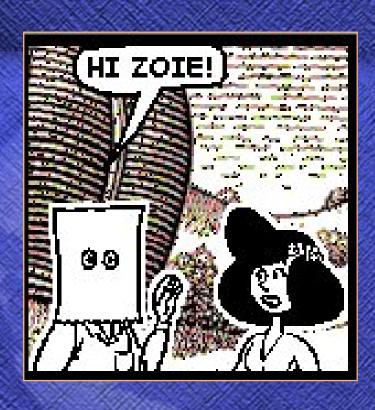


"Hello Naper School..."

"I'm Zoie's uncle, could I get a photo of her for a present I'm making her on my computer?"



"...Oh sure, we'll send it right out to you..."



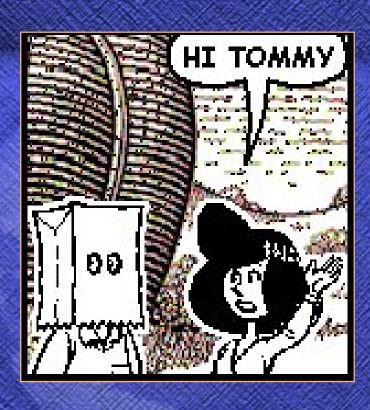
The predator selects a child to speak to from all the people in the chat room

ZOIE163'S PROFILE: STUDENT AT WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL. IM 11 YEARS OLD AND IN THE 6TH GRADE....

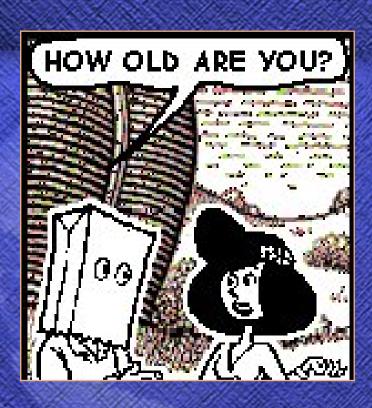
- Prior to chatting with Zoie the predator has checked the profile for Zoie
- The profile shows
 Zoie to be an 11 year
 old student at
 Washington Middle
 School



- Zoie's hobbies are also shown in the profile
- This allows the predator the opportunity to mold their conversation around the interests of the child



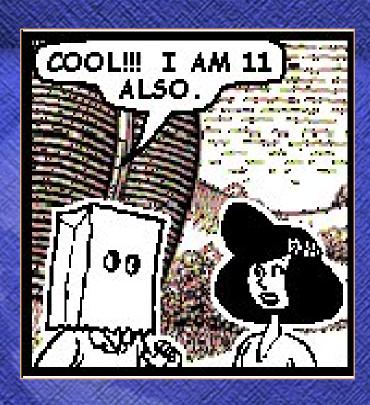
- Zoie responds to "Tommy" saying hello
- Is it really a person named Tommy?



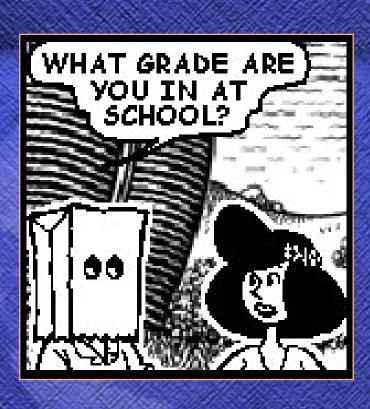
- The predator begins to verify the information observed in the profile
- Sometimes this is done by using a short hand version of chat room language.
 Language such as A/S/L which means AGE/SEX/LOCATION



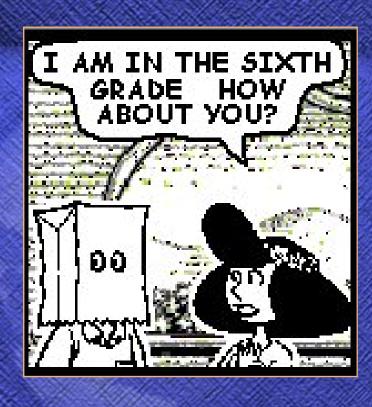
Zoie tells the truth



But is Tommy telling the truth?



Tommy is still checking the information in the profile

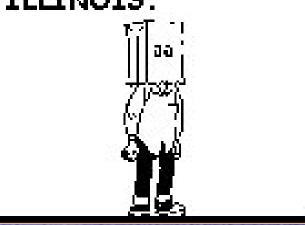


Zoie tells the truth again

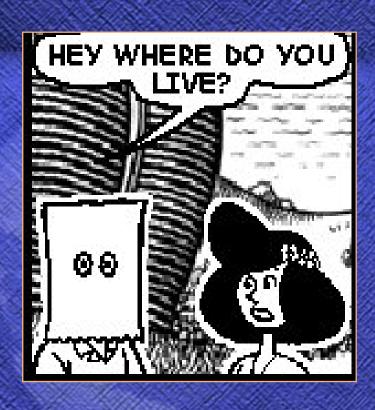


- Tommy tells Zoie he is also in the sixth grade
- Is that true?
- Let's look at Tommy's profile

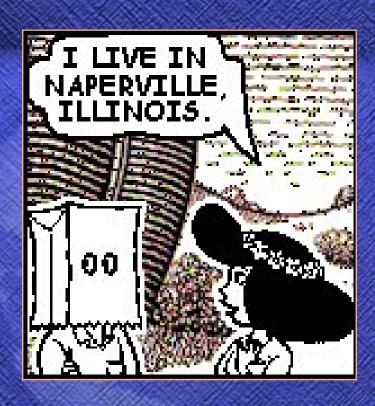
TOMMY163'S PROFILE: MALE 40 YEARS OLD. LIVING IN DIALSTOWN IN ILLINOIS.



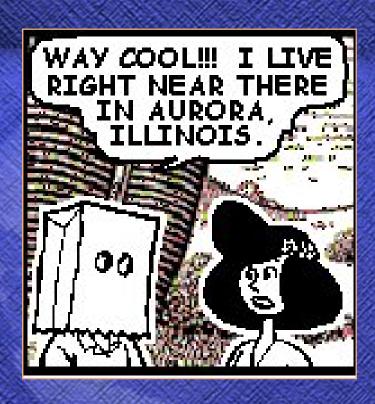
- If Zoie had checked Tommy's profile she would see something is wrong!
- A user's profile is made up by the person using the computer. It is not verified by anyone, and is not necessarily truthful
- Tommy is lying either in his profile or in the description of himself
- Are there any 40 year old students in the sixth grade at your school?



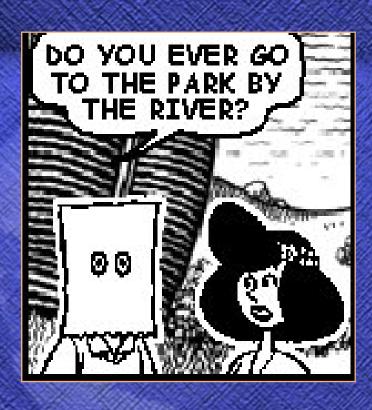
- This is a question that should warn Zoie that something is not right about talking to Tommy
- Does Zoie know Tommy?
- Tommy is just like any other stranger
- Would you give out this information to a stranger?



- Zoie has not learned how to deal with strangers on the Internet
- She makes the mistake of telling Tommy where she lives



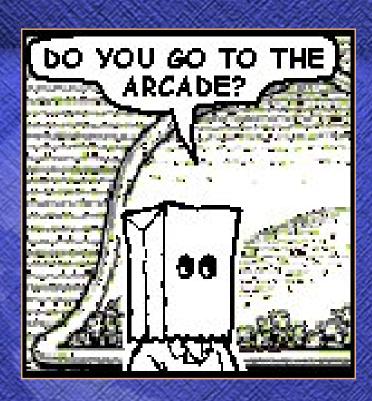
- Tommy tells Zoie he lives very close to Zoie
- Is Tommy telling the truth?
- Remember how we checked Tommy's profile? It said he lived in Dialsville not in Aurora



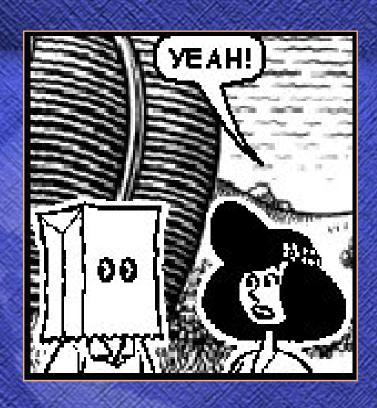
- But Zoie did not know about the profile
- Tommy continues to ask questions to find out where Zoie lives



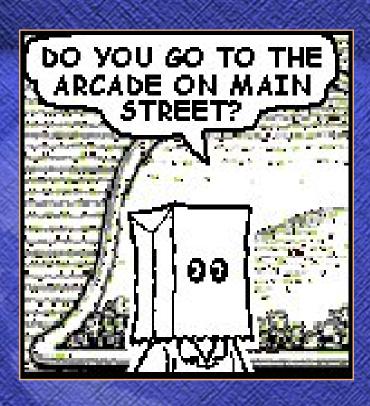
- Zoie now believes what Tommy is saying because he asked about a place she knows is real
- Tommy is attempting to obtain additional information from Zoie in an attempt to locate her



- Why would Tommy want to know if Zoie likes to go to the arcade?
- Isn't there an arcade in almost any town?



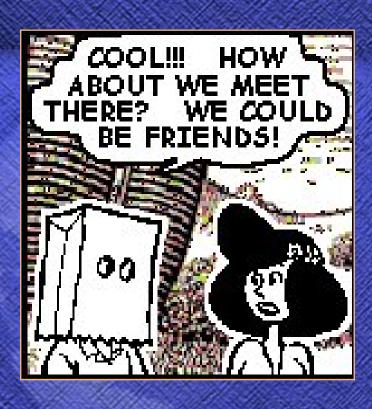
- Do you know anyone in your school that does not like to go to an arcade?
- Tommy knows it is an easy way to find out where Zoie lives



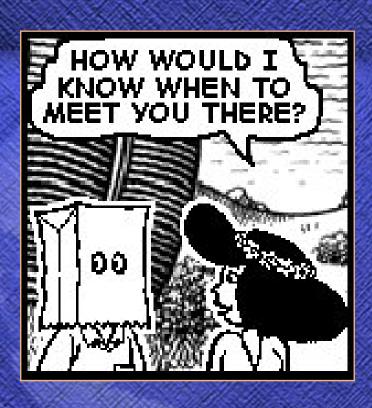
- Tommy names one location. Why would he do this?
- By knowing what arcade is close to Zoie, he knows the approximate area of her home



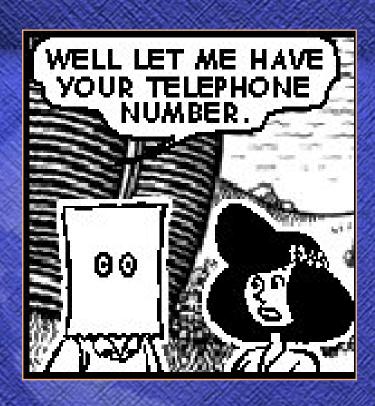
- Zoie did not realize she is telling
 Tommy how to locate her house
- Just like with a stranger on the street, giving that information could be dangerous and should be avoided



- Tommy is asking Zoie to meet him alone
- You should never arrange a meeting with someone from the Internet without your parent's or guardian's permission
- You should get permission and take your parents or guardians with you to the meeting



- Zoie does not understand how dangerous a meeting can be
- Zoie is still thinking of meeting Tommy



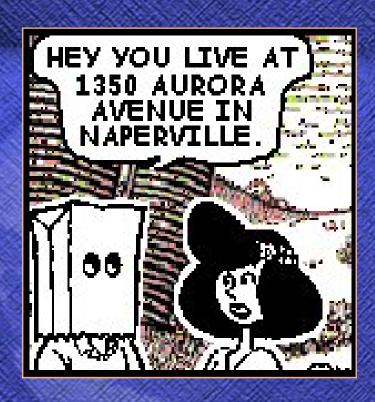
- Tommy is asking for Zoie's telephone number
- Would you give a stranger your telephone number?



- Do you think Zoie should give Tommy her telephone number?
- If someone ask you for your telephone number in a chat room you should tell your parents or guardians right away



- Zoie forgot the rules about dealing with strangers and gave Tommy her telephone number
- Lets see what Tommy did with Zoie's telephone number



- Tommy now knows the address to Zoie's house
- There are programs on the Internet to help you to find people and places. They can be used by the predators to find you!

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From the Internet,
Tommy was able
to obtain the
address for Zoie's
telephone number



Then Tommy obtained a map showing right where Zoie's house is located

	Directions	Total Miles
1.	Begin on W WESLEY ST.	0.0
2.	Go 0.2 miles and turn left onto N WEST ST.	0.2
3.	Go 0.1 miles and continue on S WEST ST.	0.4
4.	Go 0.4 miles and turn left onto W ROOSEVELT RD.	0.7
5.	Go 0.5 miles and turn right onto NAPERVILLE RD.	1.2
6.	Go 4.2 miles and continue on NAPER BLVD.	5.4
7.	Go 0.3 miles and turn right onto W OGDEN AV.	5.8
8.	Go 1.7 miles and turn left onto N WASHINGTON ST.	7.5
9.	Go 0.7 miles and continue on S WASHINGTON ST.	8.2
10.	Go 0.4 miles and turn right onto AURORA AV.	8.6
11.	Go 1.0 miles to 1350 AURORA AVE.	9.6

- Tommy received directions telling him how to drive from his residence to Zoie's house!
- What have you learned from Zoie's mistakes?
- Remember: don't give out personal information and talk to your parents!



