

When introducing CSE to our students we asked them think about their relationships with people from school and their neighbourhood. Some relationships will be safe and make them feel good about themselves. Some relationships can cause problems and make them feel uncomfortable, unhappy or scared.

What is CSE?

Child Sexual Exploitation or CSE is when children or young people receive gifts, affection or a place to stay from someone in exchange for sexual favours.

CSE can happen to anyone - any age, any ethnicity, any background.

Your child may not even realise that CSE is happening to them.



It can happen face-to-face, as well as online or over a mobile phone.

CSE can also happen as a result of violence, threats or intimidation.

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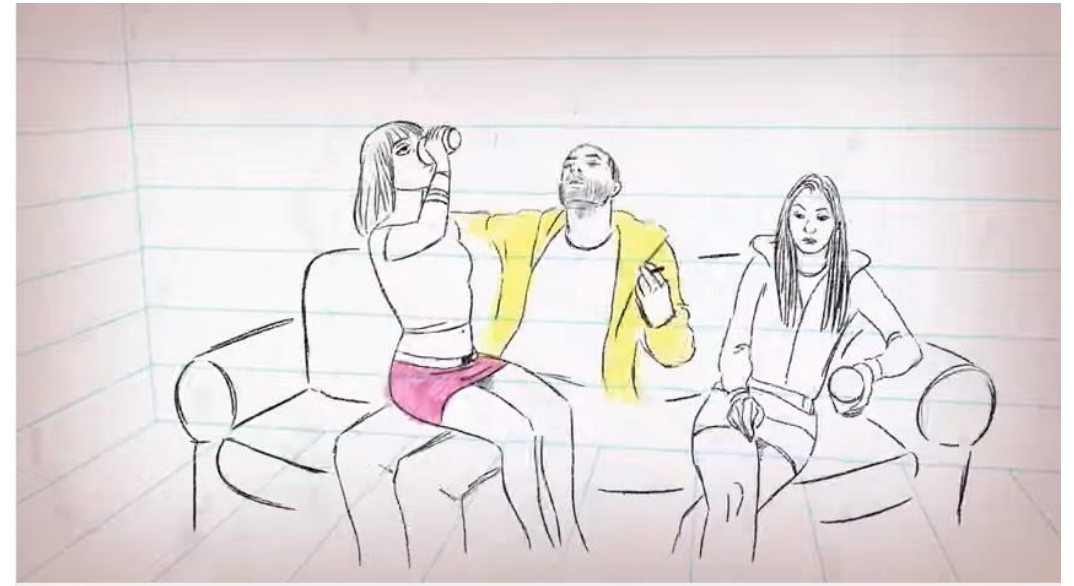


When someone cares



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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zuzi2fqcfc4&feature=youtu.be>



Losing Control: JAY - a story about sexual exploitation | ChildLine



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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XasNkfQ5AVM>

These videos are hard hitting and difficult to watch. It is important to know the signs of CSE so that you can help your child to stay safe.

Is CSE happening to your child?

Know the signs.

Do they...

- Go missing
- Return home late regularly
- Bunk of school
- Have older friends or partners
- Spend more time with new people that your friends and family don't know
- Receive gifts from new friends like a mobile phone, money or clothes
- Get a lot of attention or affection from someone
- Hang out at a new place that isn't your home
- Use drugs and alcohol
- Have mood swings
- Feel threatened, intimidated or controlled by anyone
- Feel that you are being made to do things you don't want to do.

Sexual Exploitation
Is it happening to you?

KNOW what to do:
Keep safe – know who you can trust
Never share your personal details
Online profiles are easy to fake
Where to get help

You can contact the **MASH**, (Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub) on **0345 155 1071** or email **mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk**

Help – who can I speak to?

Useful phone numbers and websites

Childline: 0800 1111

Child Exploitation and Online Protection Centre (CEOP):
www.ceop.police.uk

Devon County Council, out of hours
Social Care helpline: 0845 000388

Devon Youth Service:
To find your local centre visit:
www.devonyouthservice.org.uk

Devon Safeguarding Children Board:
For advice about keeping children and young people safe from harm and abuse:
www.devonsafeguarding.org/children

GUM Services: Sexual health clinics across Devon: www.eddystone.org.uk/information-services/gum-services/gum-services-devon

MASH (Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub): receives all safeguarding and child protection enquiries in Devon. The MASH is staffed with professionals from agencies including police, probation, fire, ambulance, health, education and social care. These professionals share information to ensure early identification of potential significant harm, and trigger interventions to prevent further harm.
Call **0345 155 1071**
email mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk
or visit www.devon.gov.uk/mash

Missing Kids UK: 116 000 – a free phone and free text number for young people, parents and carers for advice before, during or after running away. www.missingkids.co.uk

REACH team: Call **0845 155 1015**
email xxxxxxx@devon.gov.uk
or visit www.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx.xxx.uk

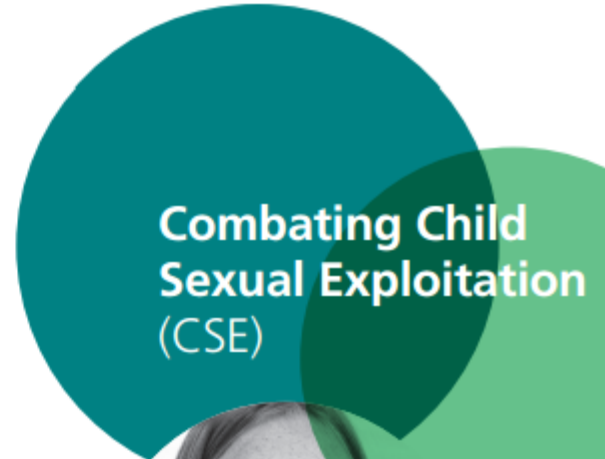
Safeguarding in Devon:
www.devonsafeguarding.org

Think You Know: advice from CEOP about staying safe online www.thinkuknow.co.uk

UK Police National Missing Persons Bureau Helpline: 08450 005 481

Y-SMART: young people's drug and alcohol services, call **0800 121 4751** (Freephone) or **01271 38816** or visit www.y-smart.org.uk

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If you are worried about someone you know being affected by CSE there is lots of support available.

Pick up a leaflet with details of the MASH and the REACH team and other useful phone numbers and websites.

Report it. Remember CSE can happen to anyone.