

YOUTH CHARTER



You have right to know who you are talking to on the internet; You don't have to talk to someone if you don't want to.

Could this be YOU?

Felix is 12. He is using the internet in his bedroom when a message pops up on his screen: 'Hey I'm Justin and I'm 10 years old. I'm looking for a friend in England'. Click here to:

Felix knows that his address is private. He doesn't share it with strangers. He ignores the message on the screen and clicks on the x in the top-right corner to close it down.

Top Tips

Make sure you know how to block instant messenger contacts. By adjusting your account settings only approved friends can contact you. They will not be told you have blocked them; you will just appear offline in your contacts list, so they cannot contact you.

You can always delete a contact if you don't wish to talk to them anymore.