Your Activity

How can you
stay safe online?

You have learned about the most widespread online safety risks and how to take action against them. Now, it's time to put your knowledge to the test by discussing different scenarios and giving advice.

Let's talk about it!

Your task will be to read each scenario carefully and answer what kind of danger the users are facing. After that, you will discuss how these users can take action to protect themselves online, using all that you've learned about online safety!

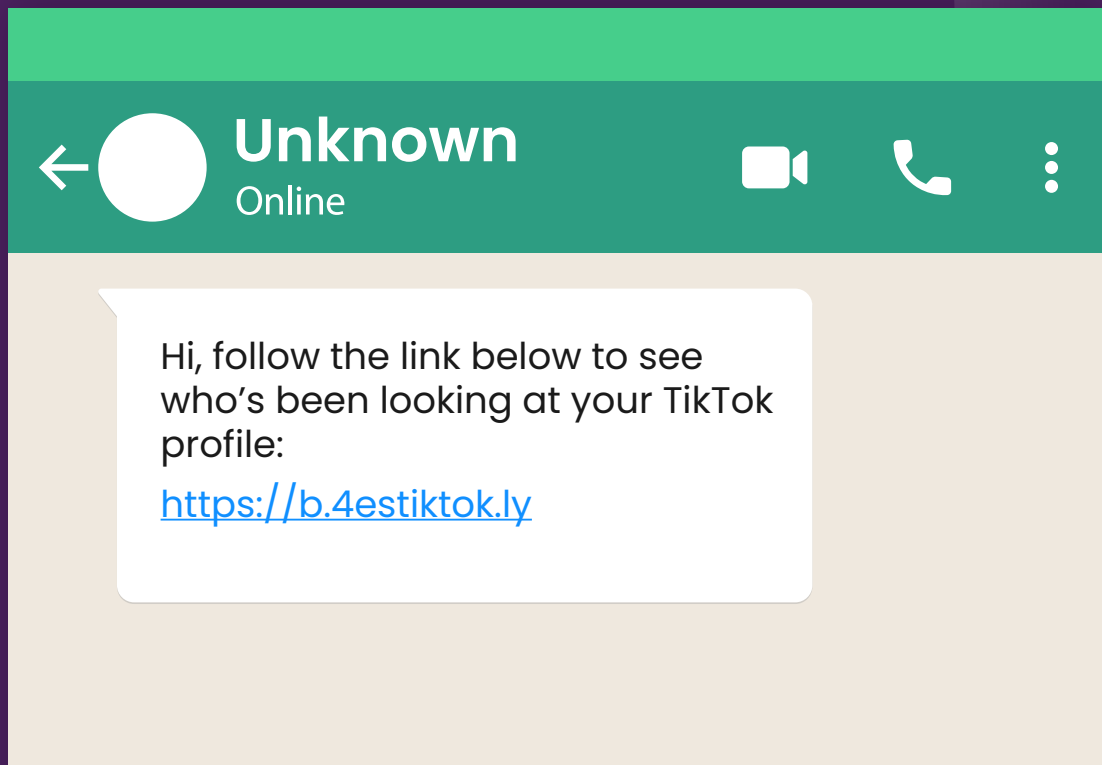**Click the arrow to get started on the first activity.**

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Scenario 1

Gemma has received an anonymous message on Whatsapp. The follower has sent a link that takes her to a page she's never seen before, asking for her TikTok username and password to continue.

What is this safety risk called and what should she do next?

← Unknown
Online

Hi, follow the link below to see who's been looking at your TikTok profile:

https://b.4estiktok.ly

Answer 1:

Phishing

Answer 2:

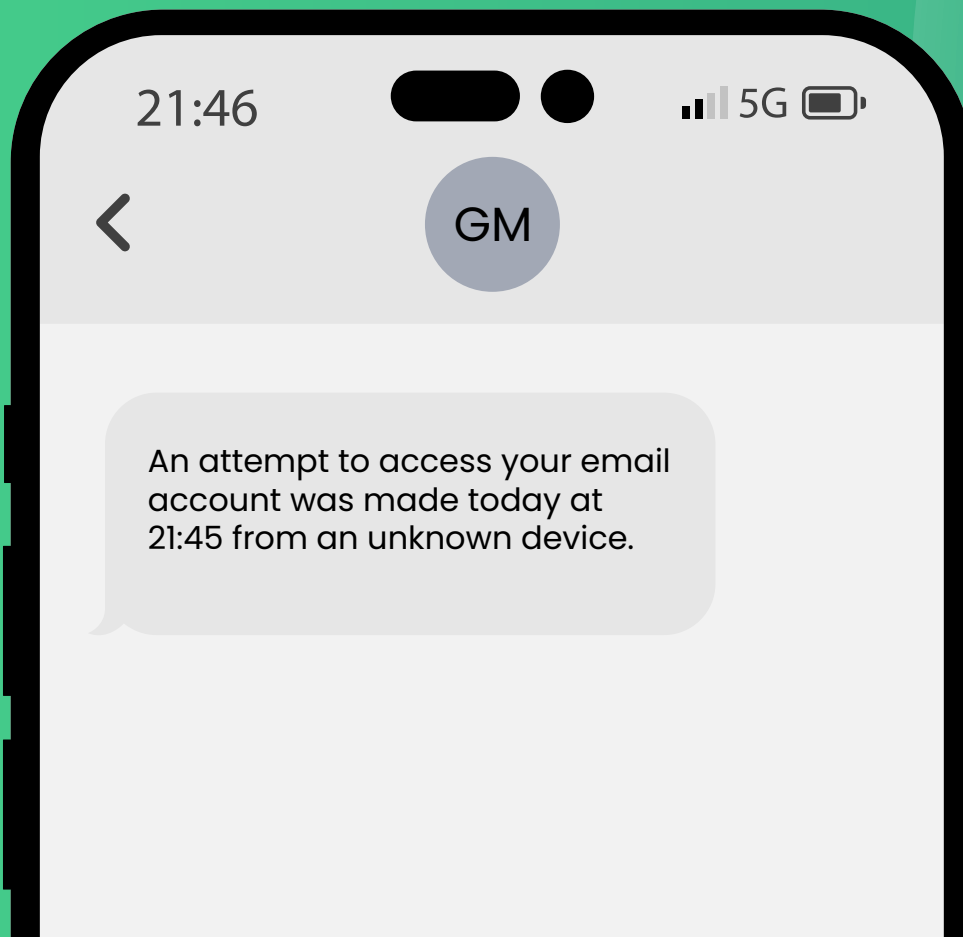# Gemma should not share her username and password with anyone.

Scenario 2

Mariam has received a text message telling her someone has been trying to access her Gmail email account from a different device than her phone.

What should she do next?

21:46   5G

GM

An attempt to access your email account was made today at 21:45 from an unknown device.
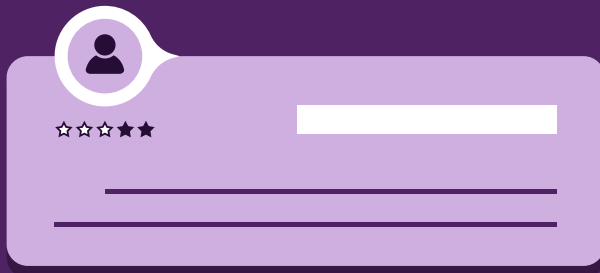
Answer:

Mariam should report to Gmail that the login attempt wasn't hers and change her password. If she uses the same password for other accounts (like social media), she should also make sure to change them, using a different password for each platform going forward.

Jake is playing an online game and chatting with other players. One player is asking Jake what school he goes to, so they can find out if he goes to the same school. They have been playing together for quite some time, almost every evening.

What should he do?

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Hey J, what school you at?

Answer:

Jake should not share personal details like his school, address, or full name with people he doesn't know online.

Scenario 4

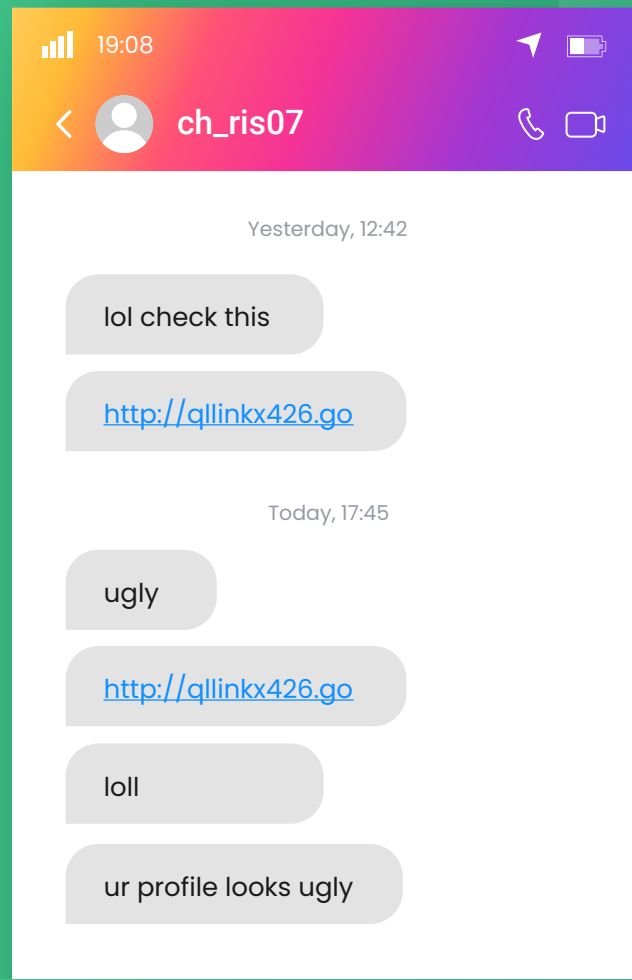# Ali has been receiving harassing messages by a new follower on Instagram. This follower is anonymous.

What should he do next?

19:08

ch_ris07

Yesterday, 12:42

lol check this

http://qllinkx426.go

Today, 17:45

ugly

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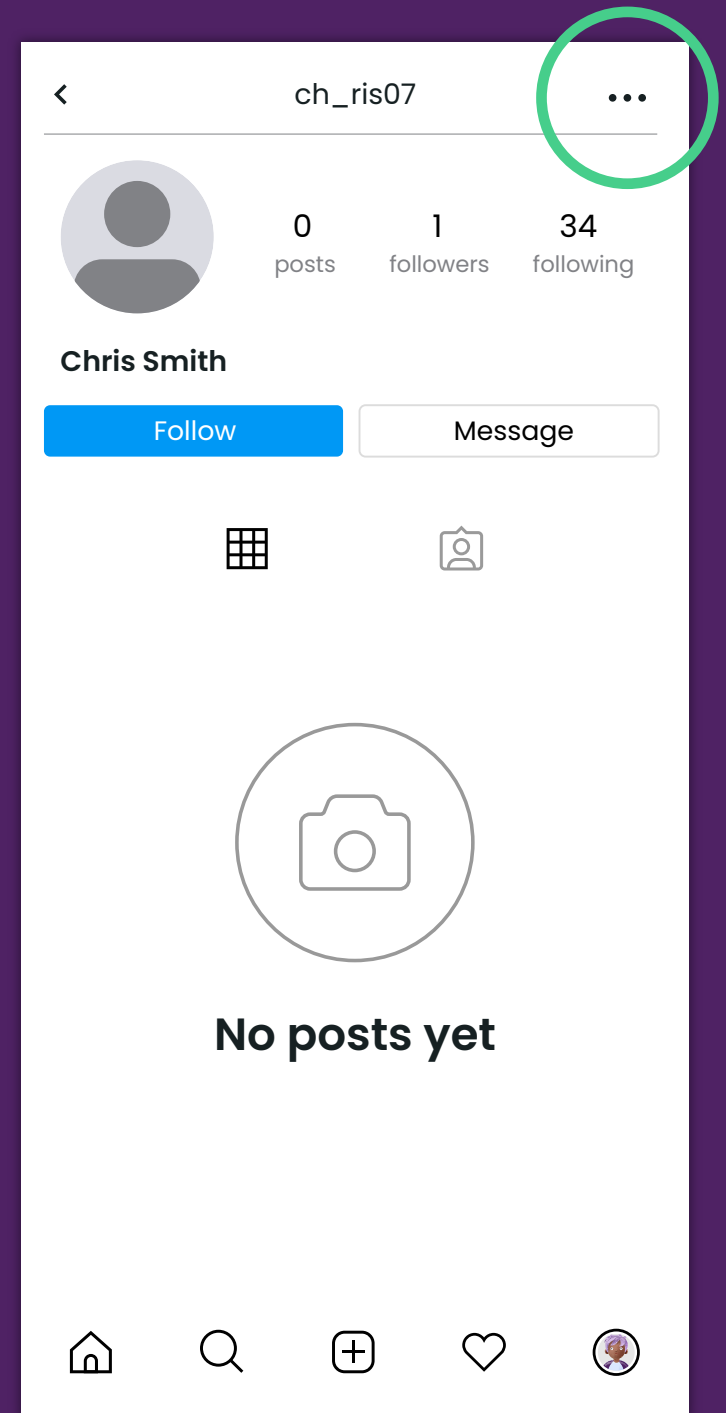
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ur profile looks ugly

Answer:

Ali should first report these messages to the platform and block the user to prevent further harassment. He can also contact a Childline Counsellor to help work through the issue.
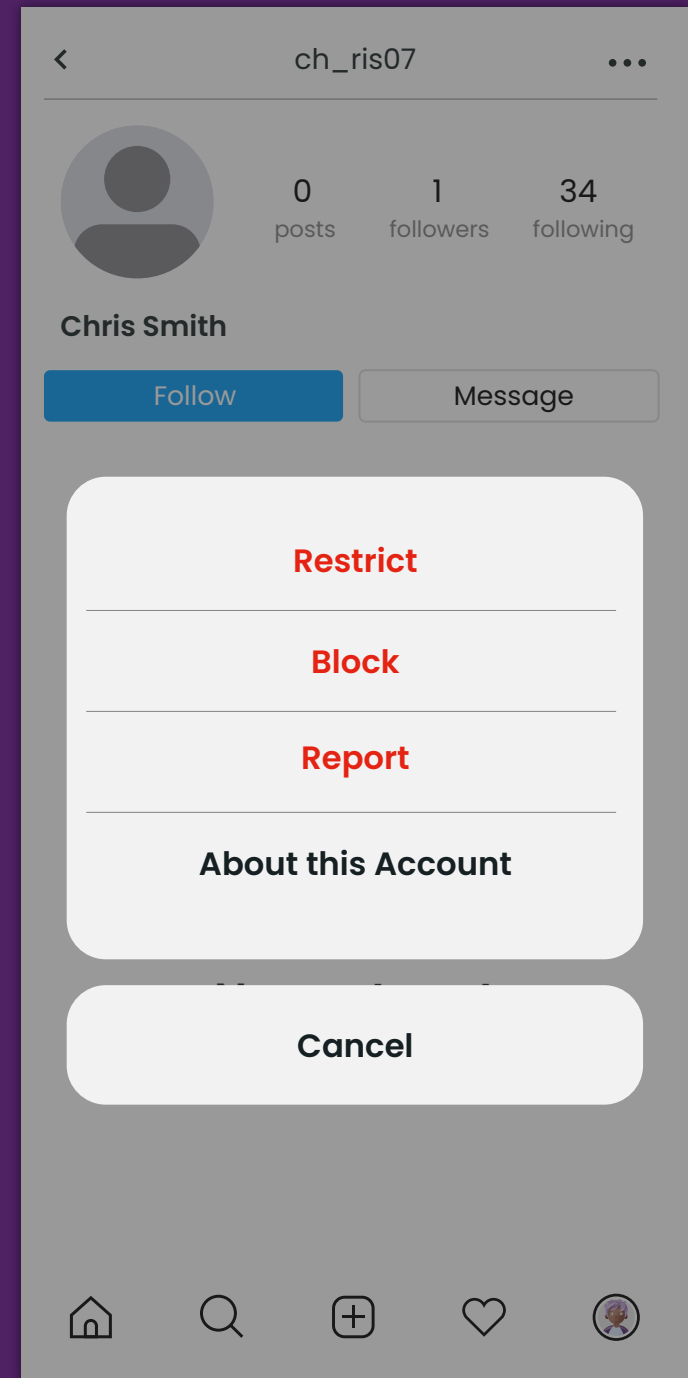
Over to you!

Put yourself in Ali's shoes and start making a report for the unwanted messages you've been receiving on Instagram.

ch_ris07

0 posts

1 followers

34 following

Chris Smith

Follow

Message

No posts yet

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Select a problem to report

We won't notify the account that you have submitted a report!

Nudity or sexual activity

Hate speech or symbols

Scam or fraud

Violence or dangerous organisations

Sale of illegal goods

Bullying or harassment

Pretending to be someone else

Self-harm

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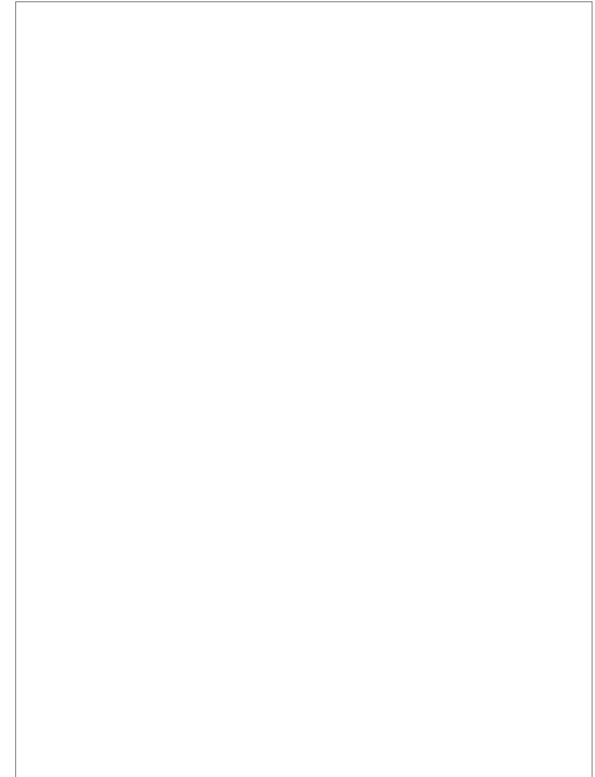
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Report

Cancel

Thank you, we have
received your report!

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