

Online Identities

Meeting new people online



Activity 1: DECIDE YOUR FATE

Instructions

- Read the given scenario
- As a class, decide which course of action you would take
- Each course of action will determine a specific outcome
- Think carefully, are you a brave/reckless person or a safe/cautious one?
- Your choice will determine your final fate!

START GAME

Scenario



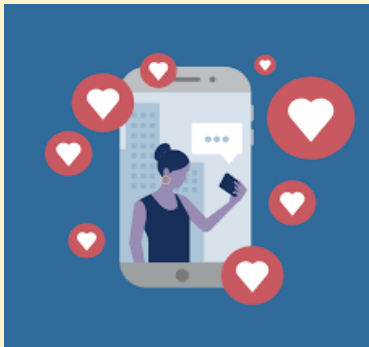
You recently commented on an online post on instagram which you found relatable.

@Sk8terboi then messaged you privately saying that they agree with you as well.

Both of you have an enjoyable chat online with each other.

@Sk8terboi seems nice and his profile looked cool.

@Sk8terboi asked you if you want to meet up to talk more.



Option 1:

Agree to meet-up

Option 2:

You reject the meet-up

Option 1

Both of you all discussed and eventually decided to meet up at a nearby coffee shop to your place

Option A:

Meet up with @Sk8terboi alone



Option B:

A close friend of yours followed along to meet @Sk8terboi

Option 1A

You arrive at the coffee shop and see a person that was wearing the clothes that matches what @Sk8terboi said. You text @Sk8terboi asking if he had reached and he said he has. But the person you saw was way older than what @Sk8terboi said he was.



Option (i):

You walk up to that person and asks if he was @Sk8terboi

Option (ii):

You come up with an excuse to play safe and not meet up with @Sk8terboi

Option 1Ai

The person said that he was @Sk8terboi and was pleased to meet you. He seems friendly and harmless. But you have some doubts with regards to his appearance

Option (a):

You sit down and @Sk8terboi bought you a drink

Option (b):

You reject the offer and expressed your concern with regards to the profile picture and actual appearances

Option 1Aii

However, you were not tactful in explaining and @Sk8terboi spotted you before you can make your escape and calls out to you.

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Option (a):

Since you have already been spotted, you decide to sit down and have a drink

Option (b):

You try to run as fast as possible away. But @Sk8terboi already knows how you look like

Option 1A(i)(a)

- @Sk8terboi bought you a drink and started to question you about what you said previously
- Would you drink it and what would your reply
- What could possibly happen after this?



Create your own outcome! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Option 1A(i)(b)

- @Sk8terboi tries to convince you to stay and have a chat
- Would you stay or try to get away?
- What could possibly happen after this?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Option 1A(ii)(a)

- @Sk8terboi bought you a drink
- Would you drink it?
- What could possibly happen after this?



Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Option 1A(ii)(b)

- @Sk8terboi was very offended and started to text you a string of angry messages
- What would you do?
- What could possibly happen after this?



Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

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Option 1B

You arrive at the coffee shop and see a person that was wearing the clothes that matches what @Sk8terboi said. You text @Sk8terboi asking if he had reached and he said he has. But the person you saw was way older than what @Sk8terboi said he was.

Option (i):

Your close friend finds this online friend very suspicious and asks you to back out from the meeting.



Option (ii):

You and your close friend meet-up with @Sk8terboi.

Option 1B(i)

You ask your friend to go nearer and observe how @Sk8terboi really looks like. He notices your friend (as your friend was not being very stealthy) and turns around and spots you. He seems to recognise you from one of your online pictures.

Option (a):

Try to pretend to be passing by and not look guilty and walk away

Option (b):

Run for your life!!!!

Option 1B(ii)

@Sk8terboi see that you brought a friend decided to call some of his friends to join the conversation

4 other individuals came and join. They seem friendly but much older than you and your friend. One of them invited you for a ride in his new sports car.



Option (a):

Stay and make friends with these individuals

Option (b):

Come up with an excuse to go home

Option 1B(i)(a)

- @Sk8terboi calls out to you. You know he knows who you are and you are present there.
- What would/should you do?
- What could possibly happen after this?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Option 1B(i)(b)

- @Sk8terboi was very offended and started to text you a string of angry messages
- What would you do?
- What could possibly happen after this?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???



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Option 1B(ii)(a)

- You hopped into this person's with your friend and @Sk8erboi car
- What could possibly happen?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive/negative outcomes can arise from this?

BACK TO START

Option 1B(ii)(b)

- The group of individuals felt that you and your friend were being disrespectful and did not want to let the both of you leave
- What would you do?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive/negative outcomes can arise from this?

BACK TO START

Option 2

@Sk8terboi is disappointed not to be able to meet up. However, you remain in contact and @Sk8terboi starts to ask very personal questions about you.

@Sk8terboi also asks if it is possible to exchange chat ID.

Option A:

You answer the questions truthfully and exchange chat ID with @Sk8terboi

Option B:

You draw a clear line for questions to be asked

Option 2A

@Sk8terboi starts to get more personal in his messages to you. Eventually some of the messages end up becoming inappropriate and @Sk8terboi sends you certain offensive pictures and asks you to do the same

Outcome (i):

You decide to block and report @Sk8terboi followed by telling a trusted adult.



Outcome (ii):

You decide to talk to @Sk8terboi about their actions.

Option 2A(i)

However, @Sk8terboi has managed to find out some personal data on where you lived, where you went to school etc. One late night, on the way home, you noticed someone following you.

Outcome (a):

Call for help on your phone



Outcome (b):

Run towards a well lit area such as the HDB void deck and shout for help

Option 2A(ii)

@Sk8terboi apologised for his rudeness and started to share with you personal stories about his struggles. He gets very upset and suggests that he wants to 'end it all'. He says that he is at the rooftop nearby

Outcome (a):

Go and find @Sk8erboi immediately as you must save him

Outcome (b):

Call the authorities for help

Option 2A(i)(a)

- Someone picks up the phone but before you can speak....
- What do you think could happen?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Option 2A(i)(b)

- You made it to the well lit area at the void deck but there is no one around. You turn around and.....
- What do you think could happen?

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What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

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Option 2A(ii)(a)

- You reached the place where @Sk8terboi says he is at
- You do not see anyone there but sensed that someone is watching you
- What could happen?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
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Option 2A(ii)(b)

- The authorities sent a patrol car to check the area but there was no one to be seen. They think you were lying
- What could happen?

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What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

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Option 2B

@Sk8terboi felt angry about this and did not take the rejection well.
@Sk8terboi starts to spam you every day and even attacks you verbally online.

Outcome (i):

You decide to block and report @Sk8terboi , followed by telling a trusted adult.



Outcome (ii):

You decide to talk to @Sk8terboi about his actions.

Option 2B(i)

However, @Sk8erboi has managed to find out some personal data on where you lived, where you went to school etc. One late night, on the way home, you noticed someone following you.

Outcome (a):

Call for help on your phone

Outcome (b):

Run towards a well lit area
such as the HDB void deck
and shout for help

Option 2B(ii)

@Sk8terboi apologises for his actions. He wants to make amends and offers you some game credits for a game which both of you play

Outcome (a):

You accept the game credits and give your game account details to him



Outcome (b):

You accept his apology but reject any offers. You suggest that it is best to break contact with each other

Option 2B(i)(a)

- Someone picks up the phone but before you can speak....
- What do you think could happen?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

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Option 2B(i)(b)

- You made it to the well lit area at the void deck but there is no one around. You turn around and.....
- What do you think could happen?

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Option 2B(ii)(a)

- @Sk8terboi hacks into your game because you gave him your account details. He managed to access your personal data
- What could possibly happen?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Option 2B(ii)(b)

- @Sk8terboi said that he is going to do something silly because of your actions. He doesn't contact you after
- What could possibly happen?

Decide your fate! What will you do?
What positive or negative outcomes can arise from here???

BACK TO START

Key Takeaways

- Never trust anonymous people online
- Never give personal information to online strangers willingly
- Seek a trusted adult if unsure of what to do
- When unsure, always be on the cautious side