

Porn and its Impact on Society

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Knowledge, Skills
& Actions



To understand how porn may negatively influence a person's behaviour in society

To explore how common access to pornographic material can affect attitudes and beliefs towards sex, relationships and self-esteem

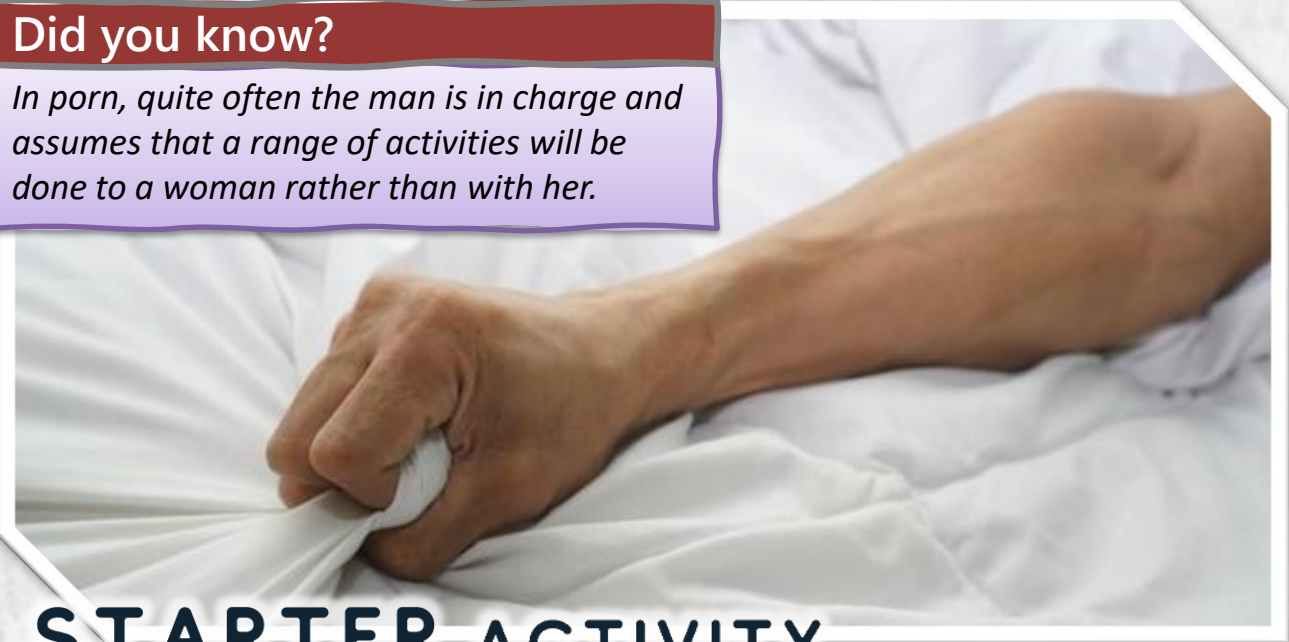
To know what revenge porn is and the law surrounding it

NEW VOCABULARY

Pornography, Negative Influence, Revenge Porn, Intercourse, Indecent Images

Did you know?

In porn, quite often the man is in charge and assumes that a range of activities will be done to a woman rather than with her.



STARTER ACTIVITY

Why don't people use condoms in a lot of porn?
What dangers could these actors and actresses be putting themselves in?
Does porn impact young people's views about what 'real life sex' is like?



3 Minutes

GROUND RULES



Be open and honest
No Personal Comments
Discussions must be about
'general situations'



You don't have to say
things about yourself if
you don't want to

It's OK to be embarrassed
by a topic but don't show
that you are embarrassed
through silliness



Be Respectful

Listen and don't interrupt others
Only 1 person talking at a time
Use the agreed appropriate
language (avoid slang terms)



Don't Make Assumptions
about people's values,
attitudes, behaviours, life
experiences or feelings

PSHE CLASSROOM RULES

DEALING WITH SENSITIVE TOPICS

SAFEGUARDING YOUR WELFARE & HAVING YOUR INTERESTS AT HEART

Be Non-Judgemental

No put-downs. Challenge
the opinion, not the
person



Conversations on sensitive
topics stay in the
classroom unless it is a
safeguarding issue

There are **no stupid questions**
It's OK to get things wrong

Enjoy the lesson, challenge your perceptions and understand how to seek further advice and support



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ASSESSMENT
FOR LEARNING

BASELINE CONFIDENCE CHECKER



BEFORE THE LESSON	NOT CONFIDENT				CONFIDENT				VERY CONFIDENT	
Knowledge, Skills & Actions	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I know how porn can negatively influence a person's behaviour in society										
I can identify a range of aspects that are under represented in porn										
I know what revenge porn is and the law surrounding it										



Complete a baseline assessment of where you think you are at for this lesson
(Discuss or complete sheet)



2 Minutes

I'm not confident at all on this topic

A little confident

Confident

Very confident

I am super confident on this topic

VIEWS ON PORN

Discuss each statement and decide if you agree (Green)
Not sure / Mixed Views (Amber)
Disagree (Red)

Porn makes people think
unprotected sex is ok



Porn hates on women



Porn can affect your
behaviour



Porn leads to violence



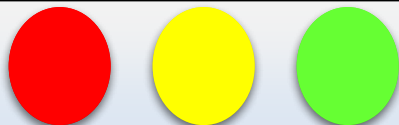
Porn is a lie and a fantasy



All porn should be made
illegal



Porn causes you to feel
lonely



Porn sex is like real sex



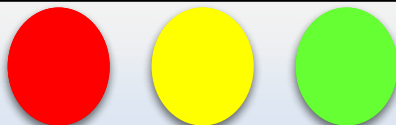
Porn can ruin your sex life



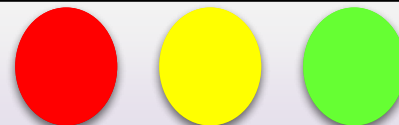
Porn gives you unrealistic
expectations



Porn can be addictive

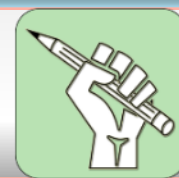


Porn encourages men to
treat women differently





Porn - What you should know



Porn - What you should know.
**The Practical Guide to Love,
Sex & Relationships.**

Task: Pick one or two coloured
hats and answer all the related
questions



6 Minutes



What facts do I
know? What else
do I need to know?
What do I want to
know?

INFORMATION



How do I feel
about this? What
don't I like about
this? What do I like
about this?

FEELINGS



Can something be
done? New ideas?
What are the
solutions/
suggestions?

CREATIVITY



What thinking is
needed?
Next steps?
Where are we
now?

THINKING



What is wrong?
Is it safe?
Can it be done?

JUDGEMENT

Key Aspect of the Law on Consent

The age of consent to any form of sexual activity is 16. The age of consent is the same regardless of the gender or sexual orientation of a person and whether the sexual activity is between people of the same or different gender.

- It is an offence for anyone to have any sexual activity with a person under the age of 16 (if both are under 16, this will be a matter of public interest to decide if a prosecution will be sought).
- It is an offence for a person aged 18 or over to have any sexual activity with a person under the age of 18 if the older person holds a position of trust, (for example a teacher or social worker) as such sexual activity is an abuse of the position of trust.

EXTRACTS FROM

Home Office, Children and Families: Safer from Sexual Crime – The Sexual Offences Act 2003, London: Home Office Communications Directorate, 2004.

Did you know?

Pornographic videos sold or distributed legally within the UK must receive a certificate from the British Board of Film Classification (BBFC)



Are these represented in pornography?



CONSENT

EMOTION

CONTRACEPTION

RESPECT

NEGOTIATION

Did you know?

Pornography is not about representing real sex or relationships its only concern is with very simple visual sexual stimulation.

Task

Explain why these five things might often not be well represented in pornography

What impact can porn have on young people?

Relationships...

Sex life...

Since women are not treated equally in porn, it could encourage men to adopt this attitude towards women in real life.

Addiction...

Body image...

Equality...

Education about sex...

Other...



GENDER EQUALITY - WOMEN'S RIGHT AND PORN



Does viewing porn affect the way men think about and treat women? Does this affect expectations of women in terms of their abilities and careers?



Does porn encourage men to treat women in an abusive way and normalise violence towards women and partners?

Does porn reinforce gender stereotypes of males being the more dominate and powerful people in society?



Key Aspect of the Law on Porn

Legal Forms of Porn

Pornography showing explicit depictions of intercourse, oral sex and anal sex, as long as it's not extreme, those involved have consented and are over 18 year old.

Illegal Forms of Porn

- Indecent images of children (sexual images of under 18s)
- Extreme pornography
- Anything showing bestiality (with animals)
- Anything showing or alluding to necrophilia (with a corpse)
- Rape or sexual assault

Source: www.justice.gov.uk

Did you know?

69% of teenage boys between the ages of 13 and 17 said that, even if nobody ever knew about it, they would feel guilty about looking at pornography on the internet. 86% of girls felt the same way.

Young people between the ages of 18 and 24 were the most likely of all generations to report negative consequences of internet pornography.

Sources: Gallup, Pornified



**Chrissy
Chambers: I
Was a Victim
of Revenge
Porn | This
Morning**

6 Minutes



Did you know?

REVENGE PORN

Known as Image Based Sexual Abuse

This criminal offence broadly has three elements which need to be proven:

- 1. Disclosure of a private sexual photograph or film*
- 2. Without the consent of the person depicted*
- 3. With the intention of causing that individual distress*

Punishable by up to 2 years in prison




Extract from Criminal Justice Act 2015

Task

Video Review Questions

1. What is revenge porn?
2. What happened to the perpetrator?
3. What happened to the victim?
4. What impact did it have in the short term and long term?
5. How did it impact Chrissy Chambers' mental health?

**Why is Chrissy
Chambers' case
a landmark case
in British
history?**

HOW?						
WHAT?						
WHERE?						
WHO?						
WHY?						
						
<div>PAIR & SHARE</div> <div>THOUGHTS & FEELINGS</div>		DID?	MIGHT?	COULD?	CAN? / WILL?	IS? DOES?



Using the grid above to help you come up with three questions about the image

2 Minutes



“The UK and other governments want to limit access to pornography on the internet”

THOUGHTS & FEELINGS

What is your opinion on the statement above?

STRONGLY
DISAGREE

DISAGREE

AGREE

STRONGLY
AGREE

Start with one of these cards

Or one of these

There is
evidence
that...

Surely...

I'm not
convinced
that...

I understand
that, but...

I'm not sure I
understand,
please could...

So, are you
saying that...

In my
opinion...

I think...

Therefore...

Clearly...

Yes, but on
the other
hand...

Perhaps...

So, you think
that...

Does this
mean...

So if ... does
that mean
that...

I wonder if...

I would
contest...

Why do you
think that...

Unlike...

I disagree...

I partially
agree...

Consequently
...

Obviously...

Something
else to
consider is...

Task 1: Discuss/debate with your partner your personal views towards this statement, using the cards to help get you started.

Extension: Can you think of specific examples of recent events that would support this statement and other specific examples that would go against this statement?



Discussion task



2-3 Minutes








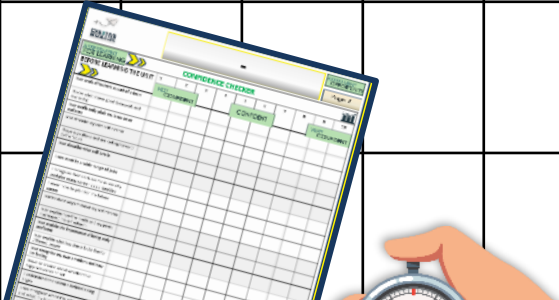
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HOMWORK SUGGESTION



DUE DATE

It must be submitted
by...

Hand/ Google Classroom



Homework Explained

Create an empowering letter, poem or song to remind people that what they may see on a pornographic site is not true to real life. Try to include a message e.g. gender equality and women's rights.





IMPORTANT INFORMATION



2 Minutes



FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE TOPICS COVERED IN THIS UNIT
WE WOULD ADVISE ONE OF THE BELOW:

SPEAK TO YOUR PARENTS/GUARDIANS, HEAD OF YEAR,
A TRUSTED ADULT OR FRIEND.

IF YOU HAVE ANY CONCERNS ABOUT YOURSELF OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW,
IT IS IMPORTANT TO SPEAK UP AND TELL SOMEONE!

SPECIFIC FURTHER INFORMATION ON THIS TOPIC CAN BE FOUND HERE:

- ☐ A sexual health clinic (GUM clinic)
- ☐ <https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/> - info on topics including friends, relationships & sex
- ☐ Call the national sexual health helpline on 0300 123 7123 for details
- ☐ Brook centres - for under-25s
- ☐ GP surgeries
- ☐ NHS Website <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/sexual-health/>

RELATIONSHIPS
& SEX EDUCATION



SEEKING SUPPORT

REFLECTION PLENARY



A problem I overcame today was...

Before I only knew...
now I also know...

The key words for this lesson
were...

I'm really proud of the way I have...

Today I have tried to...

The most important thing I have
learnt today is...

I used to feel ... but I now feel ...

Before I would have done...
Now I will ...

Next lesson I would like to...

A question I would like to ask
is...

I would like to learn more
about...

I know if I need further support
or help I could speak to... or
contact...

I now know I can supported
others by...

One thing I didn't realise was...
this will help me to...

2 Minutes





REFER TO MINDFULNESS POWERPOINT

