

Prevention is better than cure

Hello, I am Teodora and I come from a small place in Serbia, which is called Čićevac. These days we are marking the day of the fight for a safer internet for children and my friends and I decided to explore how popular this topic is among our peers.

We asked our friends from school how often they correspond with people they don't know and came up with incredible data: 50 percent of them correspond regularly, every day, with someone they don't know personally.

When we asked them why they do it, they replied that it is much more interesting and exciting than corresponding with someone you know.

A few years ago, a girl named Tijana Jurić was kidnapped and killed by a maniac. Her father founded a foundation with her name and fights against the unsafe behavior of children on the Internet, among other things. last year we listened to his lecture at our school and could hear how scary and unsafe it is to correspond with someone on the internet when you don't know him personally. As many as half of the people who correspond via social networks falsely present themselves on the Internet.

If you have inconveniences on the Internet, report them to the Net Patrol or the nearest police station. The police will find and arrest a man who conditions you, threatens you or stalks you on the Internet, because that is also punishable, as well as doing it live.

My friends and I made a film about what can happen to you if you trust someone too much when you don't know them live, but only online. Watch it on the link:

<https://youtu.be/B9yGQVyjq78>