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Digital Discovery & Safety Questionnaire

THE SAFE-SCREEN STANDARD: Safe-Screen Inc. maintains the firm professional stance that NO INDIVIDUAL UNDER THE AGE OF 15 should be using social media platforms or chatting applications.

Section 1: App Auditing & Social Circles

1. List every app on your device that allows messaging or photo sharing. What is the main reason you use each?

2. Of the people you communicate with online, how many have you looked in the eye in real life?

3. Has anyone ever messaged you claiming to be a friend of a friend or from a nearby school? How did you verify them?

CRITICAL STATISTIC: THE "FRIEND" ILLUSION

Data indicates that over 90% of online financial and sexual extortion cases begin with a predator posing as a "friend" or a peer.

Section 2: Identifying Predatory Tactics

- **Isolation:** Encouraging the child to keep the friendship a secret.
- **Bribery:** Offering digital currency (Robux, V-Bucks) for photos or favors.
- **The Move:** Pushing to move from a game to a private app like Discord or Snapchat.
- **Testing Boundaries:** Starting with small "secrets" to see if the child follows instructions.

Section 3: The Golden Rules for Teens (15+)

"Delete" is a Myth: Anything sent online can be saved forever. Never send anything you wouldn't want on a billboard.

Identity Verification: If an online "friend" refuses to do a live video call to prove who they are, they are a predator. No exceptions.

The Blackmail Trap: Paying a blackmailer never stops the demands; it only proves you can be exploited.