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Subject: Important Safety Warning About Roblox

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to share an important concern regarding the popular online gaming platform **Roblox**, which many children enjoy. Recent investigations by ITV News have revealed deeply troubling content on Roblox that poses serious risks to young users. You can read the full report here. What was discovered?

- **Extremist games:** Some games encourage violence, including one called *"Remove Kebab"* where players attack worshippers in a mosque and even simulate school shootings.
- **Hate messages:** Other games feature slogans like "Deport Invaders" and links to white supremacist groups.
- **Far-right skins and costumes:** Children can purchase outfits linked to extremist organizations, such as Britain First and neo-Nazi networks.
- **Voice chat radicalisation:** Players have been overheard promoting white nationalist ideas and explaining how to bypass Roblox's moderation systems.

Why is this a concern?

- Roblox is rated for ages 7+, and many children spend **two hours a day** on the platform.
- Parental controls do **not** effectively block this content.
- Experts warn that exposure to these games can lead to **radicalisation**. One UK parent reported her child was "on the verge of being radicalised" after spending time on Roblox.

What can you do?

- **Talk to your child** about what they play and who they interact with online.
- Monitor their activity closely, including voice chats and private servers.
- Consider whether Roblox is appropriate for your child given these risks.

Jonathan Hall KC, the UK's Independent Reviewer of Terrorism Legislation, stated children: "...shouldn't be using Roblox. They are effectively allowing any number of strangers into their room." For more details, please read the full ITV News investigation here.

If you have any concerns or would like advice on safer alternatives, please contact us. Your child's safety online is our top priority.

Thank you for your support in keeping our children safe. Yours faithfully,

Adrian Nash

Headteacher





