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Face It Movement 2025 State Policy Priority Agenda

Kentucky should keep kids safer while they learn and socialize in digital spaces



In recent years, there has been a significant shift toward **online sextortion, with cases rapidly escalating**. Perpetrators use social media platforms, gaming sites, and messaging apps to target youth, posing as peers or romantic interests to coerce victims into sharing explicit content. Perpetrators also can use AI-generated images to exploit victims.

State Policy Priority:

Boost child safety and reduce online risk by increasing awareness of and ensuring appropriate responses to sexual extortion.

Kentucky should ensure kids have a safe environment to learn, free from abuse



School staff have positions of trust with the children they serve, but violations of that trust irreparably harm student health and learning. When individuals with a history of sexual misconduct are allowed to work in schools, that trust is broken, and students suffer the consequences.

State Policy Solution:

Reduce the risk of sexual abuse and exploitation and increase the safety of students by ensuring appropriate disclosures, checks, and training are complete for potential public and private school employees.

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