Problem Statement & KPIs(Key Performance Indicators)

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"How might we create a supportive environment that reduces both online and offline harassment for students like Junior, ensuring they feel safe, included, and empowered to report incidents?"

Main Pain Points Identified:

- Struggles to distinguish between real and fake information online, leading to confusion and frustration.
- Faces difficulty balancing schoolwork, social media content creation, and gaming, which causes distraction and stress.
- Finds it challenging to keep up with rapidly changing online trends, leading to feelings of missing out.
- Feels pressure to participate in social media trends to stay connected with friends and avoid isolation.
- Experiences a need for recognition through likes and comments on his content, which can cause feelings of inadequacy if the engagement is low.
- Lacks a clear way to manage his time between schoolwork, hobbies, and online activities, leading to overwhelmed emotions.

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

To assess the effectiveness of our solution for addressing Junior Ridge's pain points, we propose the following KPIs:

1. Improved Trend Engagement Efficiency

- Goal: Reduce the time spent keeping up with online trends by 25% within 6 months.
- Why it matters: Reducing the time Junior spends on catching up with trends will free up time for studies and other activities, improving overall balance.

2. Improved Information Validation

- Goal: Achieve a 40% improvement in Junior's ability to differentiate between real and fake information through the introduction of fact-checking tools within 6 months.
- Why it matters: Better decision-making online reduces frustration and misinformation impact, improving his digital literacy.

3. Increased Focus on Academic Work

- Goal: Increase time spent on academic-related tasks by 20% over the next semester.
- Why it matters: Improved focus on schoolwork will alleviate the distractions caused by juggling social media, content creation, and gaming.

4. Higher Content Recognition & Validation

- Goal: Increase social media content engagement (likes, comments) by 15% within 3 months.
- Why it matters: A boost in recognition for his content will help Junior feel validated and reduce any feelings of inadequacy online.

5. Better Balance of Hobbies & Schoolwork

- Goal: Achieve a 30% improvement in time management between school, hobbies, and online activities (measured through time-tracking apps) within 6 months.
- Why it matters: More effective time management will reduce stress and improve overall well-being by balancing academic responsibilities and personal interests.

6. Improved Social Media Pressure Awareness

- Goal: Reduce feelings of social pressure to participate in trends by 20% (measured through anonymous surveys) within 3 months.
- Why it matters: Lower pressure to engage in trends will help Junior feel less anxious about staying connected, leading to improved mental health.