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# ALL SCHOOLS WARNED ON 'SEXTORTION EPIDEMIC'

Foreign gangs are blackmailing hundreds of children over intimate pictures online, National Crime Agency tells teachers

**TEACHERS** were given an unprecedented alert yesterday about pupils being targeted in 'sextortion' scams.

The National Crime Agency

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warned all 570,000 primary and secondary teachers across Britain that children as young as five are at risk.

It is the first time the NCA has

issued a national alert to schools and experts say it is urgently needed to stem a 'sextortion epidemic'.

The number of children targeted by criminal gangs has risen by 266 per cent in just two years. The NCA said 243 fell victim in 2020 but

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