

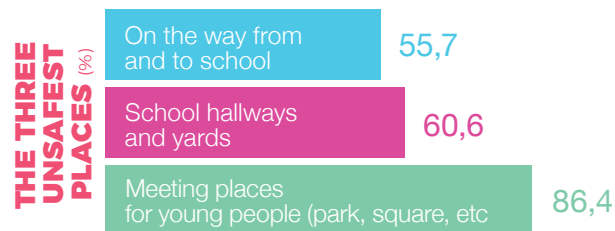
## In the world

**about 246 million** girls and boys are subject to some form of **gender-based violence**.

**over 30%** have suffered at least once **physical** or **sexual** violence.

**over 78%** think that violence against **women** is **very** or fairly **common** in their country.

## In Italy\*



**39%** of boys and girls think **school** is a place **fairly** safe.

**about 55%** of teenagers involved **don't know who to refer** (people or support services) in case of violence.

**about 40%** of respondents would report violence to parents, but most **don't feel confident** or **think is not important to report**.

\* Survey conducted by ActionAid Italia in 3 schools of Milan on a sample of 244 boys/girls aged between 14 and 18 years old.

## The web game

We developed a **free story game** to recognize the signs of **bullying** or **violence** and encourage consideration of the consequences of daily choices:

**14 characters**

**7 main characters to play with**

**28 stories with different crossroads**

By playing, your sons and daughters will be in the shoes of the various characters and will experience, from different perspectives, potential but realistic situations of **abuse**, **harassment** and **cyberbullying**.

At the crossroads, boys and girls will become more aware of the behaviours to be adopted to **prevent bullying** and **promote respect for everyone's rights**.

## Go and play on



## What is Youth For Love?\*

**A European project to prevent and combat gender-based violence among adolescents:** training and support programs with teachers and students in 12 European schools of Italy, Greece, Belgium and Romania. The project has a strong focus on **the active role of young people** through *peer to peer*, and on **the need for participatory construction of formal and informal procedures at school**.

## You parents

The prevention of **gender-based violence** in teens is still an open challenge.

**Parents and tutors** are essential both to ensure the **correct protection of minors** in cases of actual violence and to prevent it through effective, empathic **communication** and appropriate **education**, free from cultural stereotypes.



**Read our advice for parents and tutors:**

[youthforlove.eu/en/parents-faq](https://youthforlove.eu/en/parents-faq)



**Contact us and learn more:**

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In Europe,  
45%-55% of  
women have  
suffered sexual  
harassment

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Play and learn  
how your choices  
can make a difference