

TN2 – Unit 9 – Reading extra

The following paragraphs are about the problems with the Internet, namely **identity thieves, computer viruses, and cyberbullying**.

First, read the sentences in each paragraph and reorder them so that they can chronologically describe the stages of the problems.

Then, decide which problem each paragraph is about.

1.

She exchanged messages with the boy in the group.

The boy was finally realized to be the girl's classmate's mother.

A girl joined an online social networking group.

The boy post some of their communications so everyone could see them.

She became online friends with a boy.

The boy began to criticize her personality, and told her what a bad person she was.

2.

Criminals withdraw thousands of dollars from ATMs, using the credit card numbers.

Hackers sell credit card numbers and other details on the Internet.

Hackers pretend to be those customers.

Hackers hack in to the wireless networks of popular online stores.

Hackers search for customers' credit card numbers, passwords, and personal information.

3.

Viruses slow down computers

Viruses cause whole office computer systems to crash.

Viruses enter computer systems through junk e-mail.

Hackers send a junk e-mail.

Viruses reach epidemic proportions.

