A Picture Is Worth 1,000 Words

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Source: Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia human trafficking awareness poster

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What type of image are you viewing?

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Describe the people in the image (size of group, gender, age, clothing).

List the actions or activities.

List adjectives that describe the emotions portrayed in the photo.

What is the written content in the image

What is the message of the image?

What questions does this image raise?

A Picture Is Worth 1,000 Words Parent Guide

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Each child should receive an image with questions. Give them a few silent minutes to observe the image independently. After, give them an opportunity to share one word to describe their initial reactions to the image.

The most important thing participants should conclude is the images' message. They should take a way at least one question that can be asked based on their observations.

Based on everything discussed, they should write a tweet presenting what they have learned so far and come up with an original hashtag to go along with the tweet. Participants can create posters with their tweet and/or share them out using websites like Mentimeter or PollEverywhere, or straight to Twitter.

Debrief with your child about the images and tweets.

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