



**THIS ENDS
WHEN WE ALL BEGIN.**

THE CRISIS



71% OF STUDENTS

at Canadian post secondary schools witnessed or experienced unwanted sexualized behaviours in a post-secondary setting.



1 IN 10 FEMALE STUDENTS

experienced a sexual assault in a post-secondary setting.



31% OF WOMEN

who had experienced unwanted sexualized behaviours in the post-secondary context reported being anxious and 8% reported being depressed.



80% OF WOMEN

experienced unwanted sexualized behaviours stated that the perpetrators were fellow students.



NEARLY 25%

of Canadian school age girls have experienced sexual violence before they reach the age of 16.



1 IN 3 YOUTH

reported physical, psychological, and/or adolescent dating violence victimization.



NONBINARY YOUTH

reported significantly higher rates of all forms of adolescent dating violence victimization.

Together, we can do something.

The Rose Campaign is YWCA Canada's national initiative to end violence against women, girls and gender diverse people.

Created in remembrance of the 14 women murdered during the mass femicide at École Polytechnique on December 6, 1989, it began as an act of mourning. It's now a powerful call for change.

This ends when we all begin—one voice, one rose, one action at a time.

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