

# SPOTTING DEEPFAKES

## Tip for students

If something feels “uncanny” (weird, slightly fake, hard to explain why), trust that feeling—DeepFakes often live in those small details. When watching a video or looking at a photo, ask yourself:



## Face

- Does the face look too smooth or too wrinkly compared to the rest of the body?
- Do the skin, hair, and eyes look like they belong to the same age?

## Eyes & Eyebrows

- Do the shadows around the eyes and eyebrows look natural?
- Does the light hit the eyes the way you'd expect in that scene?

## Glasses

- Is there glare or reflection in the glasses?
- Does the glare move naturally when the person moves their head?

## Facial Hair

- Does the beard, mustache, or sideburns look natural—or more like it's been “painted on”?
- If they don't have facial hair, does their skin look too flat or odd where the hair should be?

## Facial Details

- Do moles or freckles look realistic — or do they stay perfectly still when the face moves?

## Blinking

- Do they blink too little, too often, or in a strange rhythm?

## Mouth & Lips

- Do the lip movements match the words naturally, or do they feel slightly off (like bad dubbing)?