



## Programmanus

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Hello, you're listening to Newsreel Easy with me, Kate Holland.

Today, deepfake videos online.

*Kate: I do think it's quite worrying that fake messages could get spread around.*

And UK hip hop's most successful year.

But first.

### European Super League Stopped

These are fans protesting against a new football super league.

12 teams from the UK, Spain, and Italy wanted to form their own league last month. Many football fans did not like the idea and accused the organisers of being more interested in making money than supporting the game.

This is what English ex-footballer Rio Ferdinand said on BT Sports.

*Rio Ferdinand: It's a disgrace. It's embarrassing. And it goes against everything that football's about.*

After a wave of criticism from across the world of football, the plans were quickly stopped.

### Deepfake Videos

Imagine if you could pretend to be Rihanna or Justin Bieber in an online video, and no one would know it was you? Well, a new piece of technology called deepfake makes that possible.

Deepfake uses artificial intelligence to swap one person's face for another.

Many people are worried that more of these videos will be used to spread fake news.

**form**

*bilda*

**accused**

*anklagade*

**the organisers**

*arrangörerna*

**supporting**

*stödja*

**disgrace**

*skam*

**embarrassing**

*pinsamt*

**fake**

*som inte är riktig*

**imagine**

*föreställ dig*

**pretend**

*låtsas*

**swap**

*byta*

This is James. He's 21 and lives in London. He found out about deepfake videos five years ago.

*James: The face always seems slightly out of sync in one way or another.*

Normally James is able to see if a video is fake or not, since many of them look slightly unrealistic.

*James: I'll often see a video of a celebrity or politician doing something they wouldn't usually do and it certainly makes me double check, go back, rewatch.*

This is Kate. She's 21 and from Lincolnshire. Kate believes that deepfakes can be a threat to us.

*Kate: Deepfake technology could definitely be a threat to the public. Especially if the technology develops further so it becomes more realistic.*

I asked James what he thinks we can do to check if videos are real or not.

*James: Always scrutinising the source of your videos and what you watch.*

James says that we need to pay attention to who is posting the videos and where they have got it from.

### Successful Year for UK Rap and Hip-Hop

New figures show that 2020 was the most successful year for rap and hip-hop streaming in the UK.

Just thirty years ago, these genres made up less than 4% of single purchases. But now, that is over 20%.

Here's UK rapper Headie One singing Siberia, featuring Burna Boy.

That's all for today! I'll be back on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of May. Goodbye!

**slightly**

*en aning, lite grann*

**out of sync**

*i otakt, som inte*

*stämmer*

**is able**

*kan*

**unrealistic**

*overklig*

**celebrity**

*kändis*

**rewatch**

*titta igen*

**threat**

*hot*

**the public**

*allmänheten*

**develops further**

*utvecklas ytterligare*

**scrutinising**

*noggrant undersöka*

**the source**

*källan*

**figures**

*siffror*

**successful**

*framgångsrik*

**made up**

*utgjorde*

**purchases**

*inköp*

**featuring**

*med gästartisten*