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Scams cost people £3.5 billion a year

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It could be a scam if:

● The call, letter, e-mail or text has come out of the blue.
● I’ve never heard of the lottery or competition they are talking about and didn’t buy a ticket.
● They are asking me to send money in advance.
● They are telling me I have to respond quickly so I don’t get time to think about it or talk to family and friends before I decide.
● They are telling me to keep it a secret.

STOP SCAMS!

● Report it. If you have been scammed, or you think someone has tried to scam you, report it to Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or visit www.actionfraud.police.uk/contact-us.
● Get advice. The Citizens Advice Consumer Service 08454 04 05 06 can provide advice and pass details of rogue traders to Trading Standards.
● Tell someone. Tip off a friend, neighbour or relative about any scams you become aware of.