# Lloyd’s Wananga Rape Culture Presentation

Rape Culture by the Rape Prevention Education, Rape Crisis Auckland Incorporated

## Slide 2

* What is rape?
* Why does rape exist?
* Rape culture
  + The idea that our cultural norms set up the possibility for sexual violence in the gendered way that we see it occur
    - 1 in 10 boys (Clark et all; 2013)
    - 1 in 5 girls (Clark et all; 2013)
    - 90% perpetrators are men, 10% women

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Heterosexual norms

* Men are the initiators, women are the gatekeepers
* ‘Guys want sex, girls want relationships’
* ‘Men can’t control themselves’
* Men’s sexuality is celebrated- symbol of status and masculinity
* Women’s sexuality is looked down upon (the idea of a ‘slut’)
* ‘Women who say ‘no’ are just playing hard to get’

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A New Zealand example

Image: of Facebook post from unknown named boy saying ‘If you don’t take advantage of a drunk girl, you’re not a true WC Boy’

Investigations launched over rape comments made by Wellington College students published on stuff.co.nz on the 7th March 2017

## Slide 5

Primary prevention

* What we do at Rape Prevention Education
* Talking to young people about healthy relationships and helping build skills around consent is primary prevention
* This benefits everybody

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What can you do?

* Not letting things slide
* Why it’s hard to do
* Paying attention to ‘the second thought’

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References