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Social Media

Dear Parents,

Recently, we have noticed an increase in the use of social media platforms by students who may not meet the specified age requirements outlined by these platforms. While we recognise the growing role of technology in education, it is paramount that we ensure our students are using age-appropriate platforms and are aware of the associated responsibilities.

Many social media platforms, such as Facebook, Instagram and Snapchat, have age restrictions in place to protect younger users from potential online risks. As responsible guardians of our students' well-being, we kindly request your support in monitoring and guiding your children to use age-appropriate platforms and to adhere to the guidelines given by these services.

Additionally, we recommend having open conversations with your children about responsible technology use. By fostering a sense of awareness and promoting responsible technology usage, we can continue to contribute to the positive growth and development of our students.

This link contains lots of helpful information to guide you through these conversations - <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

If you have any concerns or questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact the school office. We greatly appreciate your cooperation with this matter.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Best Wishes

Mrs Carlyle