



Tuesday, 26th November 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

I have had to deal today with the outcome of a series of really unpleasant conversations between some Year 6 pupils via 'Snapchat'. I have said before, and I urge you once again to do all that is necessary to stop your child from using this type of social media. The children are too young to be using it and it is causing misery. Some of the language that has been used and the really nasty and personal comments are quite shocking. This is taking place outside school, however, it is having an impact upon relationships in school. I can influence what goes on here, but I cannot control what the children have access to at home. If your child continues to use these social media platforms, I suggest you screenshot any abusive messages and take them to the police. This matter will no longer be dealt with in school. Our school website has a link to CEOP, which will give you important information about how to deal with issues associated with social media.

Yours sincerely

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