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## Social media and children in Y5 and Y6: Tik Tok and Snapchat

Dear parents,

There have been a number of incidents of children using age-restricted social media at home in an inappropriate manner. This is mainly TikTok and Snapchat. We want to make it clear that children at primary school are **not old enough** to be using these apps. The content is not age-appropriate and there are serious safeguarding concerns about children using these apps.

Please monitor your child's internet use closely. Children are taught about the potential risks of these types of apps in school and we would appreciate your support in reinforcing these messages.

For more information about the potential safeguarding concerns regarding these apps, please see our website for downloadable leaflets in the 'E-Safety' section of our 'Parents' tab. Alternatively, you can use the links below:

### **Snap Chat**

<http://www.edale-rise-primary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Snapchat.pdf>

### **Tik Tok**

<http://www.edale-rise-primary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/TikTok.pdf>

We sincerely appreciate your support in this matter.

Thank you

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