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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

In St Thomas` SNS we are committed to safeguarding the physical and emotional wellbeing of all the pupils in the school. Many children have access to many different social media platforms- Snapchat/ Tiktok- which they use to communicate and chat with their friends either on a one to one basis or in the form of a group chat.

However some of these platforms can be used negatively- targeting of an individual(s)/ uploading of hurtful/ harmful content and even bullying.

We would urge you to take the time to regularly monitor your child's phone, internet devices and any social media accounts that they may have. This is an important safeguarding exercise that I know all parents and carers take seriously.

Thank you for your ongoing support in working with teachers and professionals to keep children safe and for the important work that we all do to ensure that our children behave in a way that is safe, respectful, responsible, kind and considerate.

We would ask that you discuss this with your child.

Kind regards,

John Rennick