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RE: Whatsapp

Dear Parents of children in Y6

I have been made aware that at least half of the children in Y6 are using Whatsapp. I wanted to raise this urgently with you as it is a serious concern given that the minimum age to use Whatsapp is 16. Children under 16 who use Whatsapp do so against their terms of service and could well be guilty of supplying false information.

For more information on this please visit: <https://faq.whatsapp.com/en/26000151/?category=5245250>

I have asked all children with Whatsapp to leave the groups they are in and delete the app from their phones. I shall monitor this and will take appropriate further action if children do not comply with my instruction. I know that you will support me in this in order to keep children safe.

Yours sincerely



F Marsh