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Dear Parent/Carer

eSafety Advice - Year 7

Students in Year 7 participated in an eSafety assembly this week which included advice about selecting the most appropriate privacy settings on social media platforms.

TikTok is a popular app among young people and some students in Year 7 may have access to it despite a minimum user age of 13.

In keeping with our commitment to ensuring all our students are safe both online and offline we are providing you with a comprehensive guide on how to set up parental controls on TikTok, as well as a brief guide on the app and its features.

The guidance provided during the assembly covered privacy settings and other measures that students can take to minimise the risks of potential online harm. By using parental controls, you can help safeguard your child from inappropriate content and unwanted interactions with strangers.

We encourage you to review the information provided and have a conversation with your child about responsible social media use, including any use of TikTok.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me *via* pastoral@bourne-grammar.lincs.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully

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