



Clarendon School
Primary Centre



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We have recently been made aware by transport that some pupils have tried to bring a digital device with them, with access to forms of social media with age restrictions of 13+.

E-Safety is a fundamental part of keeping children safe online and we can only be successful in keeping our pupils safe if we work with you to ensure the e-Safety message is consistent.

Age Restrictions On Social Media					
13	14	16	17	18	18
Twitter Facebook Instagram Pinterest Google+ Tumblr Reddit Snapchat	LinkedIn	WhatsApp	Vine Tinder	Path	(13 with parents consent) YouTube Keek Poursquare WeChat Kik Flickr

There is so much that we can do online nowadays including playing games, chatting with others, watching TV or sharing videos/photographs. One of the ways we can help keep our children safe online is by checking age restrictions/ratings as detailed below:

Video games:

PEGI provides age classifications for video games. PEGI considers the age suitability of a game, not the level of difficulty.

Apps:

Check the individual age ratings within the relevant app store. We also recommend that you download any apps and use them yourself to check their suitability.

Social Media networks:

All social media networks have a minimum age rating; they are all at least 13+. Therefore no primary pupils should have access to social media.

Online Safety and Parental Controls

Antivirus software can protect your Internet connection and data, and using Parental Control functions for computers, mobile phones and games consoles will block unsuitable content or contact. If you have any queries about online safety and keeping your child safe please contact the office and a member of the team will be touch to help you.