



ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS C. E. (FOUNDATION) PRIMARY AND PRE-SCHOOL

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Dear Families

It has come to our attention that parents and carers within our school community are utilising social media chat groups, such as WhatsApp, to share information regarding our pupils. While we understand the desire to maintain open communication and provide timely reminders about events, we must emphasise that these platforms are not an appropriate forum for discussing individual pupils.

The use of social media groups to share information about our pupils can inadvertently cause distress and discomfort for others. Furthermore, it may hinder the school's ability to conduct a full and fair investigation should any incidents arise, or present potential safeguarding concerns for any parents or pupils named in the discussions.

We kindly request that you refrain from using these social media chat groups as a platform to discuss our pupils. Such matters should be addressed directly with the school, where we can ensure a confidential and appropriate response. If you would like to discuss this matter further, please contact the school office to schedule an appointment.

We appreciate your cooperation in maintaining the privacy and wellbeing of all our pupils. Together, we can foster a positive and supportive environment that prioritises the best interests of our school community.

Yours faithfully

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